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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3–12

Resolutions Submitted: Nine resolutions were submitted, as follows:

S. Res. 1–8; and S. Con. Res. 1. **Pages 8–9**

President Pro Tempore: S. Res. 4, providing for the election of Senator Russell, of Georgia, as President pro tempore of the Senate, was submitted and adopted. Senator Dirksen proposed an amendment to elect Senator Aiken to this office instead of Senator Russell, which was rejected by voice vote. **Page 8**

Swearing in of Senators: The following 34 Senators, elected in November 1968 for 6-year terms beginning January 3, 1969, were sworn in: Senators Aiken, Allen, Bayh, Bellmon, Bennett, Bible, Church, Cook, Cotton, Cranston, Dirksen, Dole, Dominick, Eagleton, Ervin, Fulbright, Goldwater, Gravel, Gurney, Hollings, Hughes, Inouye, Javits, Long, Magnuson, Mathias, McGovern, Nelson, Packwood, Ribicoff, Saxbe, Schweiker, Talmadge, and Young of North Dakota.

In addition, Senator Stevens, who was appointed to serve the unexpired term of the late Senator Bartlett, was sworn in (appointed to serve until Jan. 2, 1973).

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Procedural Resolutions Adopted: Senate adopted the following procedural resolutions:

Notification of quorum: S. Res. 1, providing for the appointment of two Senators to advise the President that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to receive any message. Senators Mansfield and Dirksen were appointed to this committee;

Legislative program: S. Res. 2, advising the House that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to transact business;

Hour of meeting: S. Res. 3, setting the hour of 12 o'clock meridian as the hour of daily meeting of the Senate unless otherwise ordered;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 5, directing that the President be notified of the election of Senator Russell as President pro tempore;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 6, directing that the House be notified of the election of Senator Russell as President pro tempore; and

Condolence resolution: S. Res. 7, expressing condolences on the death of Senator Bartlett. **Pages 8–9**

Funeral of Senator Bartlett: Senate adopted S. Res. 8, to provide for payment of funeral expenses of the late Senator Bartlett. **Page 9**

Electoral Count: Senate adopted S. Con. Res. 1, providing for a joint meeting of the House and Senate in the Hall of the House on Monday, January 6, 1969, at 1 p.m., for the purpose of opening and counting the votes of the electors of the several States for President and Vice President. **Page 8**

Transaction of Senate Business: Majority leader announced that there will be no introduction of bills or resolutions or other matters of business transacted until after the President has delivered the state of the Union message to the Congress, the date of which message is as yet undetermined. **Page 9**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 1,390 public bills, H.R. 1–1389 and H.R. 1776; 664 private bills, H.R. 1390–1775 and H.R. 1777–2054; and 325 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1–177, H. Con. Res. 1–62, and H. Res. 1–86, were introduced.

Pages 22, 29–30, 33–37, 50, 55–100

Bills Reported: The following reports of the 90th Congress were filed subsequent to its adjournment:

A report entitled "The Position of Small Business in Government Procurement" (H. Rept. 1975);

Report on manpower management in the Federal Government. (Examples for the period January–June 1968.) (H. Rept. 1976);

A report entitled "Small Business in Smaller Cities and Towns" (H. Rept. 1977);

Report entitled "The Allocation of Radio Frequency and Its Effect on Small Business" (H. Rept. 1978);

Report entitled "Organization and Operation of the Small Business Administration (1968)" (H. Rept. 1979);

Report entitled "The Use of Games of Chance in Gasoline Marketing and Their Impact Upon Small Business" (H. Rept. 1980);

Report entitled "The Effect Upon Small Business of Voluntary Industrial Standards" (H. Rept. 1981);

Activity report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 90th Congress, second session. (H. Rept. 1982);

Small business problems in the drug industry. (H. Rept. 1983);

Promotional practices by public utilities and their effect upon small business. (H. Rept. 1984);

Final report—90th Congress. (H. Rept. 1985).

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Election of Speaker: By a record vote of 241 to 187, with two voting "present," John W. McCormack was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives over Gerald R. Ford of Michigan. Representatives Friedel, Lipscomb, Sullivan, and Reid of Illinois, acted as tellers. The Speaker was escorted to the chair by Representatives Gerald R. Ford, Arends, Albert, Boggs, and Philbin.

Representative Celler administered the oath of office to the Speaker, who subsequently administered the oath of office to Members-elect present en bloc and the Resident Commissioner of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. Representative-elect Adam Clayton Powell of New York was requested to stand aside during the en bloc oath administration.

Adopted by a record vote of 254 yeas to 158 nays, with six voting "present," H. Res. 2, providing for the administration of the oath of office to Representative-elect Powell; fined Representative Powell $25,000, and authorized a deduction from his salary of $1,150 per month until the fine is paid; his seniority will commence at the time he takes the oath of office for the 91st Congress. Representative Powell presented himself in the well and the Speaker administered the oath.

Prior to adopting H. Res. 2, the previous question was ordered by a record vote of 249 yeas to 171 nays. Prior to action on H. Res. 2 the following action was taken on H. Res. 1, providing that the oath of office be administered to Representative-elect Powell:

Twice motions ordering the previous question were defeated by record votes of 176 yeas to 248 nays and 172 yeas to 252 nays;

A point of order was sustained against an amendment which provided: for the administration of the oath; a fine of $30,000, and a deduction of $1,250 per month from the Representative's salary until the fine was paid; and seniority would begin on his taking the oath in the 91st Congress;

By a record vote of 131 yeas to 291 nays an amendment in the nature of a substitute was defeated, the amendment provided the question of seating of Representative-elect Powell be referred to a special committee which would be required to report back to the House within 3 weeks. Pages 13–34

Party Leaders: It was announced that Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford had been selected as Majority and Minority leaders, respectively; and that Representatives Boggs and Arends have been selected as Democratic and Republican whips, respectively.

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Election of House Officers: Adopted H. Res. 3, electing the following officers of the House of Representatives:

W. Pat Jennings, Clerk of the House of Representatives;

Zeake W. Johnson, Jr., Sergeant at Arms;

William M. Miller, Doorkeeper;

H. H. Morris, Postmaster; and

Rev. Edward G. Latch, D.D., Chaplain.

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Notify Senate: Adopted H. Res. 4, to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House had assembled and had elected John W. McCormack, a Representative from the State of Massachusetts, Speaker; and W. Pat Jennings, Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives.

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Notify President: Adopted H. Res. 5, authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee of three Members to join with a like committee of the Senate to notify the President that a quorum of each House has been assembled and that Congress is ready to receive any communications he may be pleased to make. Subsequently the Speaker appointed Representatives Albert, Boggs, and Gerald R. Ford to the committee. Page 35

Inform President: Adopted H. Res. 6, authorizing the Clerk of the House to inform the President that the House of Representatives has elected John W. McCormack, a Representative from the State of Massachusetts, Speaker; and W. Pat Jennings, a citizen of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Clerk of the House of Representatives. Page 35

House Rules: Adopted by a voice vote, H. Res. 7, providing that the rules of the 90th Congress be the rules of the 91st Congress with an amendment to allow Members to vote in the well after the second call of the roll and before the vote is announced. Page 35

Minority Employees: Adopted H. Res. 8, announcing the selection and fixing the salaries of the following minority employees: Harry L. Brookshire, Richard T. Burress, William R. Bonsell, Tommy Lee Winebrenner, Walter Patrick Kennedy, and Robert T. Hartmann.

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Committee Size: Adopted H. Res. 9, providing for 51 Members on the Committee on Appropriations and 40 Members on the Committee on Armed Services.

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Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 10, electing the following Members to the standing committee of the House of Representatives on Ways and Means: Mills (Chairman); Boggs; Watts; Ullman; Burke of Massachusetts; Griffiths; Rostenkowski; Landrum; Vanik; Fulton of Tennessee; Gilbert; Burleson; Corman; and Green of Pennsylvania. Page 35

Committee Appointments: Adopted H. Res. 11, making standing committee appointments for the majority;

Adopted H. Res. 12, making standing committee appointments for the minority. Pages 35–36

Hour of Meeting: Adopted H. Res. 13, fixing the hour of meeting of the House of Representatives at 12 o'clock meridian, unless otherwise ordered. Page 36

Resignation of Members: Heard the reading of a letter of resignation from Representative Fino of the 90th Congress. Page 36

Electoral Count: Adopted S. Con. Res. 1, providing for a joint session on January 9, 1969, for the opening and counting of the votes of the electors of the several States for President and Vice President. Representatives Friedel and Lipscomb were designated by the Speaker to act as tellers. Page 36

Inaugural Committee: Adopted H. Con. Res. 1, continuing resolution for the Joint Committee on Inauguration. The Speaker appointed Representatives Gerald R. Ford, McCormack, and Albert to serve on the committee. Pages 36–37

Permission To Sit: Adopted H. Res. 14, granting permission to the Committee on Appropriations to sit during general debate of the House during the 91st Congress. Page 37

House Records: Adopted H. Res. 15, relative to compliance with subpenas duces tecum during a recess or adjournment. Page 37

Commission Appointments: The Speaker appointed Representatives Celler and Cramer to the House Office Building Commission. Page 37

Recess: Provided that the Speaker may call a recess at any time on January 9, 1969, for the purpose of holding a Joint Session to receive the Apollo 8 Astronauts.

Pages 37–38

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, January 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Resolution Submitted: One resolution was submitted, as follows: S. Res. 9. Page 197

Electoral Count: Senate met in joint session with the House, pursuant to provisions of S. Con. Res. 1, providing for a joint session of the House and Senate in the Hall of the House for the opening and counting of the electoral ballots of the several States in the election of the President and Vice President.

With regard to the matter of the challenge of the electoral vote of a North Carolina Presidential elector, the Senate, by a vote of 33 yeas to 58 nays, rejected the objection to the electoral votes cast in North Carolina for George C. Wallace for President and for Curtis E. LeMay for Vice President.

After the Senate had returned to its Chamber, Senator Curtis, one of the tellers on the part of the Senate appointed to count the electoral votes, announced the results of the count as follows: Richard M. Nixon and Spiro T. Agnew received 301 votes for President and Vice President, respectively; Hubert H. Humphrey and Edmund S. Muskie received 191 votes for President and Vice President, respectively; and George C. Wallace and Curtis E. LeMay received 46 votes for President and Vice President, respectively. Pages 197–246

Inaugural Committee: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 1, authorizing continuation of joint committee to make arrangements for the inauguration. Page 246

Senate Chaplain: Senate agreed to S. Res. 9, electing Rev. Edward B. Lewis, D.D., of Washington, D.C., Acting Chaplain of the Senate. Page 197

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee announced that it will begin a series of hearings on January 8–10 to receive testimony from Government officials. On Wednesday testimony will be received from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman, on Thursday from Dr. Thomas Bryant, Assistant Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, and Friday from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Wilbur J. Cohen.

These hearings will begin at 10 a.m. in room 1202 of the New Senate Office Building.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 144 public bills, H.R. 2055–2198; 146 private bills, H.R. 2199–2344; 28 resolutions, H.J. Res. 178–192, H. Con. Res. 63–64, and H. Res. 87–97. Pages 191–196

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Disposition of Executive Papers pursuant to 63 Stat. 377, H. Rept. 91–1. Page 191

Electoral Count: Pursuant to S. Con. Res. 1, the House and the Senate met in joint session and counted the votes cast by the electors for President and Vice President of the United States of America. The count disclosed the following votes cast for President:

Richard M. Nixon, 301;
Hubert H. Humphrey, 191; and
George C. Wallace, 46.

The count disclosed the following votes cast for Vice President:

Spiro T. Agnew, 301;
Edmund S. Muskie, 191; and
Curtis LeMay, 46.

Representatives Friedel and Lipscomb, on the part of the House, and Senators Jordan of North Carolina and Curtis, on the part of the Senate, served as tellers.

The vote of Dr. Lloyd W. Bailey, an elector from the State of North Carolina, was challenged on the grounds that he had been elected on a slate of electors pledged to the Nixon-Agnew ticket but cast his vote for Wallace-LeMay. The House rejected the objection by a record vote of 170 yeas to 228 nays. Pages 145–172

Presidential Salary: Under suspension of the rules the House passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 10, providing for an increase in salary of the President of the United States from $100,000 to $200,000. Pages 172–176

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Tuesday, January 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to discuss committee business.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 53 public bills, H.R. 2345–2397; 96 private bills, H.R. 2398–2493; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 193–203, H. Con. Res. 65, and H. Res. 98–101, were introduced. Pages 299–302

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: A report from the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures (H. Rept. 91–2). Page 299

Presidential Messages—OEO, Peace Corps: Two messages from the President were received as follows:

A report pursuant to the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, section 610, on salaries of certain officers and employees of organizations funded under the Economic Opportunity Act—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed; and

The Seventh Annual Report of the Peace Corps—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Pages 292–293

Presidential Communication—Tax: A communication from the President on tax policy was received—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Page 293

Medal of Honor: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 83, authorizing the payment of $15,000 for expenses incurred by holders of the Congressional Medal of Honor incident to their attendance at the presidential inauguration on January 20, 1969. Page 297

Commission Appointments: The Speaker appointed Representatives Dingell and Conte to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission. Page 297

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL

Committee on Rules: Held an organizational meeting. No announcements were made.

Wednesday, January 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FILM OF APOLLO 8

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee Chairman Anderson announced that arrange-

ments have been made to present on Friday, January 10, a special showing to Senators and staff personnel of a 28-minute film of the historic flight of Apollo 8. The film, which will be shown in the auditorium of the New Senate Office Building (room G–308), will be presented five times—at 12 noon, 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., and 4 p.m.

It was also announced that a representative of NASA will be present to answer questions.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs among the people of the United States, which hearings were begun on December 17, 1968. Testimony was received today from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Assistant OEO Director Dr. Thomas Bryant will be heard.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 2494–2522; 123 private bills, H.R. 2523–2645; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 204 and 205, H. Con. Res. 66, and H. Res. 102–108, were introduced. Pages 332–334

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: The annual report of the Joint Committee on Defense Production (H. Rept. 91–3). Page 332

Presidential Communication—Rhodesia: Received, read, and referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed a communication from the President relating to trade and other transactions involving Southern Rhodesia. Pages 326–327

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held today.

Thursday, January 9, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Resolutions Submitted: Three resolutions were submitted, as follows: S. Res. 10–12. Pages 357–359

Senate Chaplain: Senate agreed to S. Res. 10, electing Rev. Edward L. R. Elson, D.D., of Washington, D.C., Chaplain of the Senate. Page 357

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senators Church and Pearson and 35 other Senators submitted S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting.

Also, Senator Miller submitted S. Res. 12, to amend rule XXII so as to provide for closing Senate debate under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths of the Senators present and voting and also by a majority of the Senators affiliated with each of the two major political parties present and voting. Senator Miller also submitted a proposed amendment to S. Res. 11.

Both Senators Church and Miller filed motions of intentions to amend Senate rule XXII.

Objection was made to the immediate consideration of these resolutions, and they were ordered to lie over for 1 day under the rule. Pages 357–359

Joint Meeting—Apollo 8 Astronauts: Senate met jointly with the House in the Hall of the House to honor Apollo 8 Astronauts Col. Frank Borman, U.S. Air Force; Capt. James A. Lovell, Jr., U.S. Navy; and Lt. Col. William A. Anders, U.S. Air Force. Page 359

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the nomination of Joseph W. Barr, of Indiana, to be Secretary of the Treasury. Page 366

Nominations: Senate received numerous nominations, as follows: Joseph W. Barr, of Indiana, to be Secretary of the Treasury; Robert C. Wood, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Robert W. Komer, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Turkey; Albert W. Sherer, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea; Theodore R. McKeldin, of Maryland, to be a member of the Indian Claims Commission; Patrick V. Murphy, of New York, to be Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance; Wesley A. Pomeroy, of California, and Ralph G. H. Siu, of Hawaii, both to be Associate Administrators of Law Enforcement Assistance; Hector P. Garcia, of Texas, and Maurice B. Mitchell, of Colorado, to be members of the Commission on Civil Rights; William Hill Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; William H. Darden, of Georgia, to be a member of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals; sundry nominations in the Army and Navy; a list of Coast Guard nominations; and two lists of Foreign Service nominations. Pages 363–366

Authority To Receive Messages: Secretary of the Senate was authorized to receive messages from the President and House of Representatives during its adjournment. Page 362

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs among the people of the United States, having as its witness Dr. Thomas Bryant, Acting Assistant Director for Health Affairs, Office of Economic Opporunity.

Hearings continue tomorrow when HEW Secretary Wilbur J. Cohen will testify.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 157 public bills, H.R. 2646–2802; 242 private bills, H.R. 2803–3044; and 40 resolutions, H.J. Res. 206-227, H. Con. Res. 67–76, and H. Res. 109–116, were introduced. Pages 376–383

Apollo 8 Astronauts: The House met, recessed, and in a joint meeting of Congress received the Apollo 8 Astronauts: Col. Frank Borman, Capt. James A. Lovell, Jr., and Lt. Col. William A. Anders. The astronauts addressed the joint meeting. Representatives Albert, Boggs, Miller of California, Teague of Texas, Gerald R. Ford, Arends, Fulton of Pennsylvania, and Mosher; and Senators Mansfield, Kennedy, Byrd of West Virginia, Anderson of New Mexico, Dirksen, Scott, Young of North Dakota, Curtis, and Russell were appointed to escort the astronauts into the Chamber. Pages 367–368

Schedule of Recess for 1969: The following schedule was announced:

Lincoln Day Recess, from the close of business on Friday, February 7, to the morning of February 17;

Memorial Day Recess, from the close of business Wednesday, May 28, to the morning of June 2;

Independence Day Recess, from the close of business Wednesday, July 2, to the morning of July 7;

August Recess, from the close of business Wednesday, August 13, to the morning of September 3, assuming there is no sine die adjournment before this recess takes place. Pages 368–369

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FISHERIES AGREEMENTS—SEIZURES OF U.S. VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation, met in executive session for a briefing by representatives of the Department of State relative to the new fisheries agreement between the United States and Russia concerning the Atlantic Coast fisheries; the United States and Japan concerning the Pacific Coast fisheries, and the extension of the United States-Soviet Russia fisheries agreement affecting the Pacific Coast fisheries. The Committee was also briefed on the subject of illegal seizures of United States vessels by foreign countries.

Joint Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Joint Committee on Defense Production: Committee held an executive organizational meeting.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held an executive organizational meeting.

Friday, January 10, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 416–418

President's Message—River Basins: First annual reports of four river basins commissions, established under the Water Resources Planning Commission Act of 1965, were received following Senate adjournment on January 9 and, pursuant to previous authorization, were referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 416

Senate Rules—Cloture: S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting, came over from previous day under the rule and was debated until the close of morning hour at 2 p.m., when it was placed on calendar. Senate then debated Hart motion that S. Res. 11 be taken up. Pages 418–425, 428–431, 433–435

Nominations: Numerous Army, Navy, and Air Force nominations were received.

Also, pursuant to prior authorization, five judicial nominations were received following Senate adjournment on January 9. Pages 444–448

Recess: Recessed at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witness Wilbur J. Cohen, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Thursday, January 16.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, January 13, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 514–522

President's Salary: By unanimous consent, H.R. 10, providing for an increase in salary of the President of the United States from $100,000 to $200,000 per annum, was ordered to lie on the table. **Page 501**

Holiday Schedule: Majority leader announced the following schedule of holiday recesses to be taken by Senate in 1969:

Lincoln's Birthday—from close of business Friday, February 7, until noon Monday, February 17;

Washington's Birthday—there will be no business transacted on February 22 after the reading of the Farewell Address;

Easter—from conclusion of business Thursday, April 3, until noon Wednesday, April 9;

Memorial Day—from conclusion of business Thursday, May 29, until noon Monday, June 2;

Independence Day—from conclusion of business Thursday, July 3, until noon Monday, July 7; and

Summer Recess—from conclusion of business Wednesday, August 13, until noon Tuesday, September 2. **Page 501**

Committee Membership: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Tuesday, January 14, immediately following the Chaplain's prayer it will be in order to proceed to consideration of resolutions dealing with membership and size of the standing committees of the Senate, and any amendments germane thereto; that debate on such resolutions and any amendments be limited to 2 hours, equally divided; and that upon disposition of the resolutions debate will recur on pending motion to proceed to consideration of S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. **Pages 501–504**

State of Union Message: H. Con. Res. 77, providing for joint session to be held in Hall of the House at 9 p.m. Tuesday, January 14, to receive President's state of the Union message, was adopted. **Page 512**

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate continued its consideration of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. **Pages 501–502, 504–514, 522–528**

Nominations: Numerous civilian, one Army in the rank of general, and numerous postmaster nominations were received. **Pages 529–533**

Recess: Recessed at 4:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business continued hearings, which it began last December, regarding the handling of foreign trade zone application of the State of Maine by the Department of Commerce. Witnesses heard were Senators Muskie and Kennedy; Donald O'Hara, executive vice president, National Petroleum Refineries Association; and Eugene P. Foley, president, International Ore & Fertilizer Co.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 95 public bills, H.R. 3045–3139; 96 private bills, H.R. 3140–3235; and 27 resolutions, H. J. Res. 228–244, H. Con. Res. 77–79, and H. Res. 117–123. **Pages 451, 468–472**

President's Message—Joint Session: Adopted H. Con. Res. 77, providing for a joint session of Congress on Tuesday, January 14, 1969, at 9 p.m., for the purpose of receiving a state of the Union message from the President. It will be in order for the Speaker to call a recess at any time. **Page 451**

Presidential Message—Civil Service: Received a Presidential message, the annual report of the U.S. Civil Service Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968; the message was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed with illustrations. **Page 464**

Lobbyists: The compilation by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of all registrations

and quarterly reports for the first quarter of 1969 filed by persons engaged in lobbying activities appears in this issue of the Congressional Record. Pages 472–500

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held today.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments started hearings on review of U.S. balance-of-payments policies, with testimony from Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Will Arey, Acting Director, U.S. Travel Service, Department of Commerce; and Stanley S. Surrey, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Tax Policies).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, January 14, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 569–592

Resolutions Submitted: Three resolutions were submitted, as follows: S. Res. 13–15. Pages 559, 591, 604

Committee Size: Senate debated and adopted, by 56 yeas to 35 nays, S. Res. 13, establishing the numerical size of Senate standing committees for the 91st Congress, changing the size of some and retaining others at their present size. During consideration of the resolution, Senate rejected, by 36 yeas to 51 nays, Fong amendment to retain the numerical size of the Committee on Appropriations and the Committee on Foreign Relations instead of reducing their size. Pages 559–567

President Johnson: Majority leader announced that President Johnson has accepted the invitation extended to him to attend a Senate reception in his honor at 5 p.m. Thursday, January 16, in room S–207 of the Capitol. Page 591

Committee Membership: Senate adopted S. Res. 14, electing the chairmen and majority members of the Senate standing committees for the 91st Congress.

Subsequently, Senate adopted S. Res. 15, electing minority members of the Senate standing committees for the 91st Congress. Pages 591–592, 603–604

Senate Rules—Cloture: Motion was filed, signed by the required number of Senators, to bring to a close debate on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. Under the Senate rules, this motion will be voted on 1 hour following meeting of Senate on Thursday, January 16. Vice President answered parliamentary inquiries respecting possible rulings to be made on this issue. Senate continued debate on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11. Pages 567–569, 592–608

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments: Senator Yarborough, to the National Cultural Center Board; Senator Kennedy, to Select Committee To Study the Unmet Basic Needs Among the People of the U.S.; and Senator Hartke, to Special Committee on Aging. Page 606

State of the Union Message: President Johnson, in a joint session of Congress in the Hall of the House, delivered in person his message on the state of the Union. Page 610

Confirmation: Nomination of William H. Darden, of Georgia, to be judge of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals, was confirmed. Page 610

Recess: Recessed at 9:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of William H. Darden, of Georgia, to be judge, U.S. Court of Military Appeals.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on nominee-designate Melvin Laird, of Wisconsin, to be Secretary of Defense, and on the nomination of Mr. Darden, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Mr. Laird was introduced to the committee by Senator Proxmire.

Committee will hold hearings tomorrow on the proposed nomination of Mr. Laird, and on David Packard, of California, Deputy Secretary of Defense-designate.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on the following nominees-designate: David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Secretary of the Treasury; and Robert H. Finch, of California, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Mr. Finch was introduced to the committee by Senator Cranston.

NOMINATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Theodore R. McKeldin, of Maryland, to

be a member of the Indian Claims Commission, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Senators Mathias and Tydings; and John T. Vance, Chairman, Indian Claims Commission. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee approved nominee-designate John N. Mitchell, of New York, to be Attorney General of the United States, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was introduced by Senator Javits. Mr. Mitchell was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings to investigate the implementation and execution of equal employment opportunity provisions of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Burton Miller, American Road Builders Association; Nello L. Teer, Jr., Associated General Contractors of America, Inc., who was accompanied by his associates; V. E. Comly, Kentucky Road Builders Association; A. B. Long, Jr., Tennessee Road Builders; Grady Norrell, Alabama Road Builders; Daniel Keys, Indiana Highway Constructors, Inc.; J. L. Cone, Jr., Florida Road Builders; Anthony A. Benintend, Constructors Association of Western Pennsylvania; Robert Hirschman, Associated Pennsylvania Constructors; Warren R. Mendel, Engineering & Grading Contractors Association; J. S. Lewis, Carolinas Associated General Contractors; Frank Howard, Virginia Road Builders; Charles Gooding, Michigan Road Builders Association; John P. Wiet, Illinois Road Builders Association; William Knepper, Ohio Contractors Association; F. L. Oliver, Long Construction Co., Billings, Mont.; and James W. Moore, attorney for the Arkansas Chapter of Associated General Contractors of America, Inc.

Hearings continue on Thursday, January 16.

ELDERLY MEXICAN-AMERICANS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to receive testimony as to the availability and usefulness of Federal programs and services to elderly Mexican-Americans. Witnesses heard were Vincente T. Ximenes, Chairman, Inter-Agency Commission on Mexican-American Affairs; Raymond Telles, Ambassador, U.S.-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship; William D. Bechill, Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of HEW; Mrs. Marie McGuire, Special Assistant for Problems of the Elderly and Handicapped, Department of HUD; and S. R. Greenwood, chairman, Governor's Committee on Aging, State of Texas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 112 public bills, H.R. 3236–3347; 297 private bills, H.R. 3348–3644; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 245–248, H. Con. Res. 80–86, and H. Res. 124–127, were introduced. Pages 611, 651–657

Committee Appointment: Adopted H. Res. 124, appointing Representative Gibbons to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 611

President's Message: Before a joint session of Congress President Johnson delivered his state of the Union message. He was escorted to and from the Chamber by Senators Russell, Mansfield, Kennedy, Byrd of West Virginia, Ellender, Dirksen, Scott, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Allott, and Representatives Albert, Boggs, Celler, Patman, Mahon, Gerald R. Ford, Arends, Bush, and Price of Texas.

The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 91–1).

Pages 648–651

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held today.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments continued its hearings to review U.S. balance-of-payments policies, having as its witnesses Robert C. Moot, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller); William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development; and Peter Passell, a doctoral candidate in economics, Yale University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, January 15, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 743–910

Bills Introduced: 268 bills and 21 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1–119; S.J. Res. 1–14; S. Con. Res. 2; and S. Res. 16–20. Pages 768–772, 867–868

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on Small Business entitled "Select Problems of Small Business in the Area of Federal Procurement"—reported during adjournment of second session of the 90th Congress, on December 3, 1968, under authority of order of October 8, 1968 (S. Rept. 1671 of the 90th Congress); and

Report of Joint Committee on Defense Production entitled "18th Annual Report of the Activities of the Joint Committee on Defense Production" (printed heretofore as H. Rept. 3 of the 91st Congress). Page 768

President's Message—Budget: President transmitted message containing his budget recommendations for fiscal year 1970 totaling $195.3 billion—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Pages 744–757

President's Communications: The following three communications from the President were received and referred as indicated:

(1) respecting studies and proposals for tax reform requested of the Treasury Department in the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968—referred to Committee on Finance;

(2) report relating to trade and other transactions involving Southern Rhodesia—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations; and

(3) first assessment of the Nation's water resources under the Water Resources Planning Act of 1965—referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

Page 760

Presidential Pay: H.R. 10, to increase salary of President of United States from $100,000 per annum to $200,000 per annum, to take effect at noon January 20, 1969, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Motion to reconsider passage was tabled.

Pages 910–915

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate continued debate of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. Pages 915–930

Nominations: Numerous Army, three Coast Guard, and numerous postmaster nominations were received.

Pages 930–933

Recess: Recessed at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on Secretary of Defense-designate Melvin Laird, of Wisconsin, and Deputy Secretary of Defense-designate David Packard, of California, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Senator Percy testified in support of Mr. Packard.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS—TRANSPORTATION AND COMMERCE

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on Secretary of Transportation-designate John A. Volpe, of Massachusetts, and Secretary of Commerce-designate Maurice H. Stans, of New York, where testimony in behalf of Mr. Volpe was received from Senators Kennedy and Brooke, and testimony in behalf of Mr. Stans was received from Senators Javits and Goodell.

Committee announced that it will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider these proposed nominations.

NOMINATIONS—STATE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held executive hearings on Secretary of State-designate William P. Rogers, of Maryland, and open hearings on Under Secretary of State-designate Elliot Richardson, of Massachusetts, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Richardson was received from Senator Brooke.

Also, committee announced that it will meet in executive session on Friday, January 17, with Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge to discuss his forthcoming role as chief U.S. negotiator in Paris, and to consider nominations.

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on Secretary of the Interior-designate Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, where the nominee was present, in both morning and afternoon sessions, to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELDERLY MEXICAN-AMERICANS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee concluded its hearings regarding the availability and usefulness of Federal programs and services to elderly Mexican-Americans, after receiving a round table discussion from the following group of witnesses: Frank B. Dean, representing Raymond Telles, Ambassador, United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship; Mrs. Marie McGuire, Special Assistant for Problems of the Elderly and Handicapped, who was accompanied by Constance Downey and Moses Gozonsky, all of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; Othie G. Burke, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; Dennis V. Fargas, Office for Spanish Surname Americans, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Mrs. Magdalene B. Murphy, National Conference of Catholic Charities; David Jeffreys, National Retired Teachers Association-American Association of Retired Persons; David S. Marlin,

National Council of Senior Citizens; Mrs. Geneva Mathiasen, National Council on the Aging; Edward Pena, League of United Latin American Citizens; and Rodolfo L. Ramos, G.I. Forum.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 62 public bills, H.R. 3645–3706; 71 private bills, H.R. 3707–3777; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 249–255, H. Con. Res. 87, and H. Res. 128–133, were introduced. Pages 740–743

President's Message—Foreign Assistance: Received a message from the President submitting the annual report on the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1968. The message was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed with illustrations as a House document (H. Doc. 91–23). Page 708

President's Message—Budget: Received a message from the President submitting the proposed budget of the United States for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1969; estimated budget expenditures were $195.3 billion; estimated budget receipts were $198.7 billion. The message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 91–15 and H. Doc. 91–16). Pages 709–722

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on H.R. 514, the Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969. Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, Wilbur J. Cohen, testified before the committee. Secretary Cohen will continue his testimony in a meeting scheduled for 9 a.m. on Thursday.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments continued its hearings to review U.S. balance-of-payments policies, receiving testimony from Charles E. Fiero, Director, Office of Foreign Direct Investments, Department of Commerce; Andrew F. Brimmer, member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Frederick L. Deming, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; Gesualdo Costanzo, First National City Bank of New York; and N. R. Danielian, International Economic Policy Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Thursday, January 16, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 995–1059

Bills Introduced: In addition to the bills and resolutions shown in the DIGEST and Record of Wednesday, January 15, as having been introduced that day, the following were also introduced: S. 120–268; and S. Res. 19–20.

Today, 90 bills and 6 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 269–358; S.J. Res. 15–17; and S. Res. 21–23. Pages 1009–1012, 1040

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 22, requesting $110,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency to investigate matters within its jurisdiction (S. Rept. 91–1)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 23, requesting $155,000 for operating funds of Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency (S. Rept. 91–2)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 1040

President's Economic Report: Economic Report of the President was received, together with the annual report of the Council of Economic Advisers—referred to Joint Economic Committee. Pages 976–982

President's Message—D.C. Budget: President transmitted message with proposed D.C. budget for fiscal year 1970—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Pages 975–976

President's Messages—Science and the Arts: President transmitted 1968 annual reports of the National Science Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts, each accompanied by his message with reference to the subject matter thereof. Pages 974–975

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate voted, by 51 yeas to 47 nays, to adopt motion to bring to a close debate (cloture) on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators pres-

ent and voting. Vice President ruled that the motion was adopted on the grounds that at the start of a new Congress, Senate may close debate on a rules change by a simple majority rather than by two-thirds majority as set out in rule XXII.

Senator Holland appealed from the decision of Vice President on the ground that, under the rules, two-thirds affirmative vote is required to adopt motion to close debate. The Vice President's ruling that the cloture motion had been adopted was reversed when Senate voted, by 45 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), against sustaining his ruling.

Senate then continued with its consideration of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11. **Pages 982, 983, 989–995**

Tributes to President Johnson: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Friday, January 17, it will be in order from 10 a.m. until noon (and for such additional time as may be necessary) for Senators to make speeches in tribute to retiring President Lyndon B. Johnson. **Page 996**

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Friday, January 17. **Page 996**

Authority To Receive Messages: Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from President and the House following completion of Senate business on Friday, January 17. **Page 1008**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: One civilian, numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service, 11 postmasters, and numerous Navy. **Pages 1059–1075**

Recess: Recessed at 4:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee approved, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the following nominees-designate: Clifford M. Hardin, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture; Phil Campbell, of Georgia, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture; and Clarence D. Palmby, of Minnesota, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Prior to this action, in open hearings, testimony on Mr. Hardin was received from Senators Hruska and Curtis; and John W. Scott, Master, The National Grange. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee announced that the hearing record would remain open until Monday, January 20, for inclusion of additional written material.

NOMINATION—HUD, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee approved, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the nomination of George W. Romney, of Michigan, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development-designate, prior to which action, in open hearings, Senators Griffin and Hart made statements in support of the nominee. Governor Romney was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Also, committee approved for reporting S. Res. 22, requesting $110,000 for the committee to investigate matters within its jurisdiction, and S. Res. 23, requesting $155,000 for operating funds of its Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs.

NOMINATIONS—TRANSPORTATION AND COMMERCE

Committee on Commerce: Committee approved, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the nominations of John A. Volpe, of Massachusetts, Secretary of Transportation-designate; and Maurice H. Stans, of New York, Secretary of Commerce-designate.

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued its hearings on Secretary of the Interior-designate Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, where the nominee continued to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Dr. George Shultz, of Illinois, Secretary of Labor-designate, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf. Dr. Shultz was introduced to the committee by Senator Percy.

Committee announced that it had agreed unanimously to poll its membership with a view to approval of this nomination upon its formal receipt by the Senate.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed its hearings to investigate the implementation and execution of equal employment opportunity provisions of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Senator Hansen; Representative Zion; Ross G. Stapp, American Association of State Highway Officials; Douglas Fugate, Virginia State Highway Department; Reece Hammond, International Union of Operating Engineers; Robert R. Ragsdale, Associated General Contractors of New Mexico; A. R. Trautman, Associated General Contractors of New Jersey; John Welton, Fargo, N. Dak.; W. E. Naumann, Sundt Construction Co., Tucson, Ariz.; Angelo Cefalo and Jack Hilton, both of United Mine Workers of America; and Clarence Mitchell, NAACP.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 88 public bills, H.R. 3778–3865; 146 private bills, H.R. 3866–4011; and 25 resolutions, H.J. Res. 256–272, H. Con. Res. 88, and H. Res. 134–140, were introduced. Pages 1141–1146

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 96, authorizing payment of compensation for certain committee employees (H. Rept. 91–4). Page 1141

Speaker Pro Tempore: The Speaker designated Representative Albert to act as Speaker Pro Tempore on Thursday, January 16, 1969. Page 1075

Committee Employee Compensation: Adopted H. Res. 96, continuing the compensation of certain committee employees from January 3, 1969, through February 28, 1969. Page 1075

Presidential Message—D.C. Budget: Received a message from the President submitting the proposed D.C. budget for the 1970 fiscal year. The message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 15, Part 2). Pages 1095–1096

Presidential Message—Arts: Received a message from the President submitting the annual report of the National Endowment for the Arts for fiscal 1968. The message was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Pages 1096–1097

Presidential Message—NSF: Received a message from the President submitting the 18th annual report of the National Science Foundation for the fiscal year 1968. The message was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–49). Page 1097

Presidential Message—Medical Science: Received a message from the President submitting the 2d annual report of the U.S.-Japan cooperative medical science program. The message was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–48). Page 1097

Presidential Message—Economic Report: Received a message from the President submitting the Economic Report of the President, together with the annual report of the Council of Economic Advisers. The message was referred to the Joint Economic Committee and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–28). Pages 1097–1103

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3 p.m.

Committee Meetings

1970 BUDGET

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session to consider the fiscal year 1970 budget presentation. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION—MALNUTRITION—SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM—FEDERAL FOOD SERVICE PROGRAMS

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued their hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Wilbur J. Cohen concluded his testimony on this subject and also testified on the Public Health survey on malnutrition. The hearings were continued in the afternoon when testimony was heard from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman on malnutrition, the school lunch program and Federal food service programs.

Joint Committee Meetings

C–5A CARGO PLANE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government resumed its hearings on military procurement practices, with testimony today regarding cost overruns being incurred in connection with the C–5A cargo plane contract. Witnesses heard were Frank Weitzel, Assistant Comptroller General, and Charles Bailey, Director, Defense Division, both of the General Accounting Office; and Robert H. Charles, Assistant Secretary, and A. E. Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, Office of the Assistant Secretary, both of the Air Force.

Friday, January 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1234–1263

Bills Introduced: 46 bills and 10 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 359–404; S.J. Res. 18–22; and S. Res. 24–28. Pages 1236–1237, 1248–1249

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 24, requesting $105,000 for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 25, requesting $155,000 for operating funds of Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 26, requesting $698,500 for operating funds of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 27, requesting $175,211 for operating funds of Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 1248–1249

President's Message—Federal Salaries: President transmitted message discussing recommendations from the Kappel Commission respecting the top Federal salary network and outlining his reasons for modifying some of the Commission's recommendations—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Pages 1235–1236

President's Message—Transportation: President transmitted, with his message thereon, the first annual report of the Secretary of Transportation—referred to Committee on Commerce. Pages 1234–1235

Tributes to President Johnson: Numerous Senators made speeches in tribute to the life, character, and services of President Lyndon B. Johnson, who will leave office on January 20.

It was ordered that record be left open for 10 days for receipt of any additional tributes, and that the tributes made today and hereafter be compiled as a Senate document. Pages 1199–1226

Inauguration Day: Order was entered that when Senate concludes its business today it stand in recess until 10:30 a.m. Monday, January 20, when, after transaction of routine business and a quorum call, it will proceed to the East Front of the Capitol for ceremonies inaugurating Richard M. Nixon as President; and that at conclusion of inaugural ceremonies, and subject to the call of the Chair, Senate will return to its Chamber, and it will be in order to receive nominations from the President.

It was also agreed that when Senate completes its business on Monday, January 20, it will stand in recess until noon Tuesday, January 21. Pages 1233–1234

Confirmations: Senate confirmed 176 postmaster nominations, and numerous nominations in the Coast Guard and the Environmental Science Services Administration.

Pages 1263–1264

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Two Navy in the rank of admiral, two Air Force in the rank of general, and 27 postmasters.

Pages 1263–1264

Recess: Recessed at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, approved, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the nominations of Melvin R. Laird, of Wisconsin, Secretary of Defense-designate; and David Packard, of California, Deputy Secretary of Defense-designate.

Committee will meet on Thursday, January 23, to consider nominations for Secretaries of the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

NOMINATIONS—TREASURY AND HEW

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, approved, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the nominations of David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, Secretary of the Treasury-designate; and Robert H. Finch, of California, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare-designate.

PARIS NEGOTIATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge to discuss his forthcoming role as chief U.S. negotiator in Paris and other matters concerning U.S. foreign policy.

SUBCOMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported original resolutions requesting operating funds for its subcommittees, as follows:

S. Res. 24, National Security and International Operations, $105,000;

S. Res. 25, Executive Reorganization, $155,000;

S. Res. 26, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, $698,500;

S. Res. 27, Intergovernmental Relations, $175,211; and

S. Res. 38, Government Research, $63,000 (approximate).

Also, as is customary at the beginning of each session of the Congress, the committee adopted rules of procedure for its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, with minor technical amendments.

Committee authorized the filing of a report entitled "Organization and Coordination of Federal Drug Research and Regulatory Programs: LSD."

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued its hearings on Secretary of the Interior-designate Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, with testimony from Representatives McCarthy and Pollack; David Brower, Sierra Club, San Francisco; Lehman Brightman, United Natives American; Charles Edwardsen, representative of the Eskimos of the North Slope, Alaska; Adam Nordwall, California League for American Indians; and John Borbridge, Willie Hensley, Eben Hobsen, and Emile Notti, representing the Alaska Federation of Natives. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this proposed nomination.

NOMINATION—POSTMASTER GENERAL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on Postmaster General-designate Winton

M. Blount, of Alabama, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf. Appearing in support of the nominee were Senators Sparkman and Allen, and the Alabama congressional delegation.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded its hearings to investigate the implementation and execution of equal employment opportunity provisions of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968, after receiving testimony from Lowell Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Transportation; and Pierre DuBois, Colorado Contractors Association, Inc.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 4012–4047; 71 private bills, H.R. 4048–4118; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 273–277 and H. Res. 141–143, were introduced.

Pages 1184, 1197–1199

Monday Proceedings: Adopted H. Res. 141, providing that the House will meet at 10:30 a.m. Monday, January 20, 1969, and proceed in a body to the East Front of the Capitol to attend the inauguration ceremonies, and at the conclusion of the inaugural ceremonies the House will stand in adjournment until Thursday, January 23, 1969, at 12 o'clock noon. Page 1184

Clerk—Receive Messages: Granted permission for the Clerk to receive messages from the President and the Senate after the House adjourns today until the House meets on Monday. Page 1184

Inaugural Procedure: The House procedure for the inauguration was announced. Page 1184

Speaker Pro Tempore: The Speaker designated Representative Celler to act as Speaker pro tempore on January 20, Inauguration Day. Page 1184

Presidential Message—Transportation: Received a message from the President submitting the first annual report of the Department of Transportation. The message was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–53). Pages 1189–1190

Presidential Message—NASA: Received a message from the President submitting the 19th annual report of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The message was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–54). Page 1190

Presidential Message—Salaries: Received a message from the President submitting a report on Government employees' salaries. The message was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–51). Pages 1190–1191

Presidential Message—Space Activities: Received a message from the President submitting a report on the U.S. aeronautics and space activities. The message was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–55). Page 1192

Presidential Message—Marine Resources: Received a message from the President submitting the third annual report of the President on marine resources and engineering development. The message was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–56). Page 1192

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held today.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began hearings on the President's Economic Report, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Treasury Joseph W. Barr; Arthur M. Okun, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers; and Charles J. Zwick, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings will continue some time in February.

Monday, January 20, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1286–1289

President's Messages—First Annual Reports: President Johnson transmitted, pursuant to provisions of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, the First Annual Report on National Housing Goals—referred to Committee on Banking and Currency.

President Johnson transmitted, pursuant to provisions of the Public Broadcasting Act of 1967, the First Annual Report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting—referred to Committee on Commerce. Pages 1286–1287

Nixon Inauguration: Following transaction of routine business the Senate proceeded to east front of the Capitol

for the ceremonies in connection with the inauguration of President Nixon. Pages 1288–1292

Nominations: Senate received from President Nixon the following nominations to the Cabinet: William P. Rogers, of Maryland, to be Secretary of State; David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Secretary of the Treasury; Melvin R. Laird, of Wisconsin, to be Secretary of Defense; John N. Mitchell, of New York, to be Attorney General; Winton M. Blount, of Alabama, to be Postmaster General; Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, to be Secretary of Interior; Clifford M. Hardin, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture; Maurice H. Stans, of New York, to be Secretary of Commerce; George P. Shultz, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Labor; Robert H. Finch, of California, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; George W. Romney, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and John A. Volpe, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of Transportation.

Senate also received from President Nixon the nomination of Charles W. Yost, of New York, to be representative to the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, and to be representative to the Security Council of the United Nations.

Under prior authorization, Senate received from President Johnson the following nominations during the weekend recess: two postmasters on January 18; and on January 19, three postmasters, numerous Foreign Service, and one postmaster withdrawal.

Pages 1297–1298

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations by President Nixon to be members of his Cabinet:

William P. Rogers, of Maryland, to be Secretary of State;

David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Secretary of the Treasury;

Melvin R. Laird, of Wisconsin, to be Secretary of Defense;

John N. Mitchell, of New York, to be Attorney General;

Winton M. Blount, of Alabama, to be Postmaster General;

Clifford M. Hardin, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture;

Maurice H. Stans, of New York, to be Secretary of Commerce;

George P. Shultz, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Labor;

Robert H. Finch, of California, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare;

George W. Romney, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development;

John A. Volpe, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of Transportation. Pages 1298

Recess: Recessed at 3:20 p.m.

Committee Meeting

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee approved, in executive session, pending formal receipt by the Senate, the nomination of Secretary of the Interior-designate Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska.

On Saturday, January 18, in executive session, committee had further considered this nomination.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 4119–4121; and six private bills, H.R. 4122–4127, were introduced. Pages 1299–1300

Inauguration Ceremonies: Pursuant to H. Res. 141, the House met at 10:30 a.m., and proceeded in a body led by Speaker Pro Tempore Celler, to the inauguration ceremonies. Page 1298

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:44 p.m.

Tuesday, January 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1304–1342

Bills Introduced: 73 bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 405–477; S.J. Res. 23; and S. Res. 29–34. Pages 1305, 1314–1315, 1328–1333

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 34, requesting $240,000 for Committee on Public Works to investigate matters within its jurisdiction (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 1333

Vice President Agnew: By unanimous consent, congratulatory remarks welcoming Vice President Agnew as President of the Senate were made by several Senators. Page 1304

Committee Assignment: S. Res. 29, assigning Senator Dole to Select Committee on Small Business, was adopted. Page 1305

Appointment to Board: Vice President appointed Senator Fulbright as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Page 1309

Printing—Inaugural Address: Order was entered that President Nixon's inaugural address be printed as a Senate document. Page 1335

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate resumed consideration of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11 to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. Pages 1342–1348, 1368–1372

Confirmation: Nomination of Charles W. Yost, of New York, to be representative to the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, and to be representative to the Security Council of the United Nations. Page 1372

Nominations: The following nominations were received: John H. Chafee, of Rhode Island, to be Secretary of the Navy; Robert C. Seamans, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of the Air Force; Elliot L. Richardson, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of State; U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; Richard F. Pedersen, of California, to be Counselor of the Department of State; David Packard, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense; Robert F. Froehlke, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; J. Phil Campbell, of Georgia, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture; Clarence D. Palmby, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Rocco C. Siciliano, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; James D. Hodgson, of California, to be Under Secretary of Labor; Arnold R. Weber, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; Geoffrey H. Moore, of New Jersey, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics; Elizabeth Duncan Koontz, of North Carolina, to be Director of the Women's Bureau; Patricia Reilly Hitt, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; James E. Johnson, of California, to be a Civil Service Commissioner; Walter E. Washington, of D.C., to be D.C. Commissioner; Paul W. McCracken, of Michigan, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers; George A. Lincoln, of Michigan, to be Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; and Lee A. DuBridge, of California, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology. Page 1372

Recess: Recessed at 3:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee held an executive organizational meeting, but made no announcements.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Charles W. Yost, of New York, to be U.S. representative to the United Nations, and U.S. representative to the Security Council of the U.N. Prior to this action, in open hearings, testimony was received from Michael Jaffee, Liberty Lobby; and Benjamin Ginsburg, of Hollywood, Fla. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee began hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89–465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Judge George L. Hart, Jr., U.S. District Court for the D.C., and Chairman of the Judicial Council Committee To Study the Operation of the Bail Reform Act in the D.C.; Chief Judge Harold H. Greene, D.C. court of general sessions; and Bruce D. Beaudin, Director, D.C. Bail Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 34, requesting $240,000 for the committee to investigate matters within its jurisdiction.

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original resolution requesting $250,000 for committee operating funds for this session of the Congress.

Committee will resume hearings tomorrow on its study of food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power held an open hearing and heard testimony from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations.

INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY

Committee on Rules: Held an open hearing and ordered reported to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 66, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business. Testimony was heard from Representatives Conte and Evins of Tennessee.

H. Res. 93, amended, investigative authority, Committee on the Judiciary. Testimony was heard from Chairman Celler.

H. Res. 105, investigative authority, Committee on

Armed Services. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rivers and Representative Bates.

H. Res. 116, investigative authority, Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers.

H. Res. 47, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Testimony was heard from Chairman Teague of Texas and Representative Teague of California.

H. Res. 21, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall and Representative Saylor.

H. Res. 76, amended, investigative authority, Committee on the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Chairman McMillan and Representative Nelsen.

Wednesday, January 22, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1381–1495

Bills Introduced: 90 bills and 23 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 478–567; S.J. Res. 24; S. Con. Res. 3; and S. Res. 35–55. **Pages 1381–1383, 1420–1424**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 38, requesting $63,852 for operating funds of Subcommittee on Government Research of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

The following 15 original resolutions requesting operating funds for various subcommittees of Committee on the Judiciary, all reported without written report, and all referred to Committee on Rules and Administration—

S. Res. 39. Administrative Practice and Procedure, $244,820;

S. Res. 40. Antitrust and Monopoly, $623,500;

S. Res. 41. Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations, $9,500;

S. Res. 42. Constitutional Amendments, $139,500;

S. Res. 43. Constitutional Rights, $220,000;

S. Res. 44. Criminal Laws and Procedures, $142,000;

S. Res. 45. Immigration and Naturalization, $200,000;

S. Res. 46. Internal Security, $475,000;

S. Res. 47. Improvements in Judicial Machinery, $213,000;

S. Res. 48. Juvenile Delinquency, $257,500;

S. Res. 49. Patents, Trade-Marks, and Copyrights, $117,000;

S. Res. 50. Refugees and Escapees, $109,227;

S. Res. 51. Revision and Codification, $48,950;

S. Res. 52. Separation of Powers, $130,000; and

S. Res. 54. National Penitentiaries, $5,000.

Pages 1420–1424

Committee Assignments: Vice President made the following appointments to committees—

Special Committee on Aging, Senators Murphy, Fannin, Gurney, and Saxbe; and

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, Senators Cook, in lieu of Boggs, Dole in lieu of Goodell, and Dominick in lieu of Prouty.

Senate adopted S. Res. 53, assigning the following Members of Senate Minority to Select Committee on Small Business: Senators Javits, Dominick, Baker, Hatfield, Dole, Cook, and Stevens. **Pages 1381, 1479**

Confirmations: Senate debated nomination of Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, to be Secretary of the Interior, but did not conclude action thereon, agreeing, by unanimous consent, that at conclusion of prayer and approval of Journal on Thursday, January 23, further debate will be limited to the time between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., equally divided, and that the vote on this confirmation will be taken not later than 1 p.m.

Senate confirmed nominations of J. Phil Campbell, of Georgia, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture; and Clarence D. Palmby, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. **Page 1536**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Richard G. Kleindienst, of Arizona, to be Deputy Attorney General; the following six to be Assistant Attorneys General: William H. Rehnquist, of Arizona; Will Wilson, of Texas; Richard W. McClaren, of Illinois; William D. Ruckelshaus, of Indiana; Jerris Leonard, of Wisconsin; and Johnnie M. Walters, of South Carolina; Willie J. Usery, Jr., of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; Herbert Stein, of Maryland, and Hendrik S. Houthakker, of Massachusetts, both to be members of Council of Economic Advisers; and J. Phil Campbell, of Georgia, and Clarence D. Palmby, of Virginia, both to be members of Board of Directors of Commodity Credit Corporation. **Page 1536**

Recess: Recessed at 5:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89–465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Senator Tydings; Charles W. Halleck, Judge, D.C. court of general sessions; and Mrs. Patricia M. Wald, member, Judicial Council Committee To Study the Bail Reform Act, and

member of President's Commission on Crime in the D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported original resolutions requesting funds for its subcommittees, as follows:

S. Res. 39. Administrative Practice and Procedure, $244,820;

S. Res. 40. Antitrust and Monopoly, $623,500;

S. Res. 41. Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations, $9,500;

S. Res. 42. Constitutional Amendments, $139,500;

S. Res. 43. Constitutional Rights, $220,000;

S. Res. 44. Criminal Laws and Procedures, $142,000;

S. Res. 45. Immigration and Naturalization, $200,000;

S. Res. 46. Internal Security, $475,000;

S. Res. 47. Improvements in Judicial Machinery, $213,000;

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S. Res. 49. Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights, $117,000;

S. Res. 50. Refugees and Escapees, $109,227;

S. Res. 51. Revision and Codification, $48,950;

S. Res. 52. Separation of Powers, $130,000; and

S. Res. 54. National Penitentiaries, $5,000.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed its series of hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witnesses Dr. Arnold E. Schaefer, Chief, Nutrition Program, Division of Chronic Disease Programs, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Dr. William J. McGanity, chairman, department of obstetrics and gynecology, University of Texas Medical Branch.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power held an open hearing at which testimony was heard from Rear Adm. S. J. Harlfinger with reference to the Soviet challenge.

NEAR EAST SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session for a briefing on the Near East situation by Parker T. Hart, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

Thursday, January 23, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1664–1673

Bills Introduced: 39 bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 568–606; S.J. Res. 25–28; and S. Res. 56–57. **Pages 1648–1649, 1656–1657**

Resolution Reported: One resolution was reported, as follows: S. Res. 56, requesting $225,000 for operating funds of Committee on Armed Services (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 1656**

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments:

Senate Office Building Commission, Senator Bellmon;

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, Senator Cotton; and

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, Senator Pell. **Page 1647**

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate returned to its unfinished business, consideration of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate completes its business today, tomorrow, and Monday, January 27, it will recess in each instance until noon the following day. **Page 1684**

Confirmations: After further debate, Senate confirmed, by 73 yeas to 16 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), nomination of Walter J. Hickel, of Alaska, to be Secretary of the Interior.

Senate debated and, by 82 yeas to 1 nay, confirmed the nomination of David Packard, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense. Motion to reconsider this vote was tabled.

Senate also confirmed the following nominations: Paul A. Volcker, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; Charls E. Walker, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury;

Elliot L. Richardson, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of State; Richard F. Pedersen, of California, to be Counselor of State Department; and J. Phil Campbell, of Georgia, and Clarence D. Palmby, of Virginia, both to be members of Board of Directors of Commodity Credit Corporation. Page 1690

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Charls E. Walker, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury; Paul A. Volcker, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; Barry James Shillito, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; and Frank J. Shakespeare, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Director of the U.S. Information Agency.

President withdrew numerous nominations in the categories of civilian, judicial, and postmaster.

Pages 1690–1691

Recess: Recessed at 4:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 56), requesting $225,000 for committee operating funds for this session of the Congress. Committee also approved 9,181 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee held hearings on the nominations of Stanley R. Resor, Secretary-designate of the Army; John H. Chafee, to be Secretary of the Navy; and Robert C. Seamans, Jr., to be Secretary of the Air Force, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Mr. Chafee was introduced to the committee by Senators Pastore and Pell, and Mr. Seamans was introduced by Senator Brooke.

NOMINATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Charls E. Walker, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury, and Paul A. Volcker, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs, prior to which action, the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Senator Dodd appeared in support of Mr. Walker.

NOMINATIONS, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Elliot L. Richardson, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of State; and Richard F. Pedersen, of California, to be Counselor of the Department of State.

Committee also approved for reporting an original resolution requesting $275,000 for continuation of studies of U.S. foreign policy, and an original resolution requesting $25,000 enabling the Senate to respond to invitations from foreign governments.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Pedersen was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89-465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; Alan M. Dershowitz, professor of law, Harvard University; and Maj. Gen. Charles L. Decker, National Defender Project, National Legal Aid and Defender Association.

Hearings continue Tuesday, January 28.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee began hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, and 20), receiving testimony from Senators Baker, Dominick, Bayh, Muskie, and Moss, the latter two of whom submitted written statements for the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witnesses Dr. Walter G. Unglaub, associate dean and professor of medicine, Tulane University School of Medicine, New Orleans; Dr. Patrick M. Morgan, deputy director, national nutrition survey for Louisiana; and B. P. Taylor, Superintendent of Schools, San Diego, Tex.

Hearings continue on Monday, January 27.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Frank J. Ayd, a psychiatrist of Baltimore; and Dr. Clinton C. McGill, an internist of Portland, Oreg.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 192 public bills, H.R. 4128–4319; 243 private bills, H.R. 4320–4562; and 45 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 278–298, H. Con. Res. 89–100, and H. Res. 144–155, were introduced. Pages 1626–1635

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 21, amended, to authorize the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–5);

H. Res. 47, amended, to authorize the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–6);

H. Res. 66, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business (H. Rept. 91–7);

H. Res. 76, amended, to authorize the Committee on the District of Columbia to conduct an investigation and study of the organization, management, operation, and administration of departments and agencies of the government of the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–8);

H. Res. 93, amended, to authorize the Committee on the Judiciary to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–9);

H. Res. 105, to authorize the Committee on Armed Services to conduct a full and complete investigation and study of all matters relating to procurement by the Department of Defense, personnel of such department, laws administered by such department, use of funds by such department, and scientific research in support of the armed services (H. Rept. 91–10); and

H. Res. 116, to authorize the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–11).

Page 1626

Resignations: Received and read resignations from the House of Representatives from Representatives Laird and Reinecke. Page 1571

Presidential Messages: Received and read the following Presidential messages submitting the following reports:

First annual report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce;

First annual report on national housing goals—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–63);

1966 and 1967 annual reports of the Department of Housing and Urban Development—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–60);

Sixth annual report on activities of Communications Satellite Act—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–61);

Fifth annual report on the status of the national wilderness preservation system—referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–58);

Third annual report of the National Endowment for the Humanities—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor;

Annual report of the Appalachian Regional Commission for the fiscal year 1968—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–59); and

Manpower report—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 91–62). Pages 1607–1609

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power met in executive session to hear further testimony from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations.

NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security and Scientific Developments Affecting Foreign Policy met in executive session to hear testimony from the Honorable W. Averell Harriman.

Friday, January 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1759–1801

Bills Introduced: 22 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 607–628; S.J. Res. 29; S. Con. Res. 4; and S. Res. 58–59. Pages 1764–1765, 1792–1793

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 59, requesting $40,000 in operating funds for Committee on Aeronautics and Space Sciences (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 1793

Senate Rules—Cloture: Motion was filed, signed by the required number of Senators, to bring to a close debate (cloture) on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. Under the Senate rules, this motion will be voted on 1 hour following meeting of Senate on Tuesday, January 28. Pages 1801–1805

Confirmations: Numerous Army, Navy, and Air Force nominations were confirmed. Pages 1805–1807

Nominations: The following nominations were received: David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Governor of the International Monetary Fund, Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, a Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, and Governor of the Asian Development Bank; and U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund, and Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Page 1805

Recess: Recessed at 1:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee announced that it has approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 59) requesting $40,000 for committee operating expenses for this session of the Congress.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee continued its hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of election of the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, and 20), having as its witnesses Dr. Lloyd Bailey, presidential elector from North Carolina; Theodore Sorensen, former special counsel to President Kennedy; Dr. Otis Shao, School of Public Affairs, University of the Pacific; and Dr. Dennis Warren, representing national LUV campaign (Let Us Vote).

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION—CSC

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on the nomination of James E. Johnson, of California, to be a member of the Civil Service Commission, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf. Mr. Johnson was introduced to the committee by Senator Fong.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

There were no committee meetings today.

Monday, January 27, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1829–1866

Bills Introduced: 66 bills and 12 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 629–694; S.J. Res. 30–33; S. Con. Res. 5–6; and S. Res. 60–65. Pages 1840–1841, 1848–1850

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 57, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 91–3)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 63, requesting $250,000 in operating funds for Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (S. Rept. 91–4)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 60, requesting $160,000 in operating funds for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 64, requesting $275,000 in operating funds for Committee on Foreign Relations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 65, requesting $25,000 for Committee on Foreign Relations to enable the Senate to respond to invitations from foreign governments (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 1840, 1849–1850

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate continued debate on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. Pages 1866–1869, 1875–1881

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 62, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Everett, of Tennessee. Page 1881

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Richard C. Van Dusen, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Floyd H. Hyde, of California, Samuel C. Jackson, of D.C., and Samuel J. Simmons, of Michigan, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Sherman Unger, of Ohio, to be General Counsel of Department of Housing and Urban Development; David A. Hamil, of Colorado, to be Administrator of Rural Electrification Administration; and numerous Air Force in the rank of general. Pages 1881–1882

Recess: Recessed at 3:07 pm.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Paul W. McCracken, of Michigan, to be Chairman, Hendrik S. Houthakker, of Massachusetts, and Herbert Stein, of Maryland, all to be members of the Council of Economic Advisers, prior to which action the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

Committee also ordered favorably reported S. Res. 57, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Small Business for this session of the Congress.

Also, committee announced that it had made subcommittee assignments as follows:

Financial Institutions, Senators Proxmire, chairman, Sparkman, Williams of New Jersey, Muskie, McIntyre, Mondale, Bennett, Brooke, Percy, and Goodell;

Housing and Urban Affairs, Senators Sparkman, chairman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Muskie, McIntyre, Mondale, Hollings, Hughes, Cranston, Tower, Bennett, Brooke, Percy, Goodell, and Packwood;

International Finance, Senators Muskie, chairman, Sparkman, Williams of New Jersey, Mondale, Hughes, Cranston, Brooke, Bennett, Tower, and Percy;

Production and Stabilization, Senators Mondale, chairman, Proxmire, Muskie, Hollings, Hughes, Cranston, Goodell, Bennett, Tower, and Packwood;

Securities, Senators Williams of New Jersey, chairman, Proxmire, Muskie, McIntyre, Hollings, Cranston, Packwood, Bennett, Tower, and Brooke; and

Small Business, Senators McIntyre, chairman, Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Hollings, Hughes, Percy, Tower, Goodell, and Packwood.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Frank J. Shakespeare, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Director of the U.S. Information Agency, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee announced that it had tentatively approved assignments to subcommittees as follows:

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, Senators McClellan, chairman, Jackson, Ervin, Muskie, Ribicoff, Mundt, Javits, Percy, and Griffin;

National Security and International Operations, Senators Jackson, chairman, Muskie, Ribicoff, Harris, Metcalf, Mundt, Griffin, Percy, and Gurney;

Intergovernmental Relations, Senators Muskie, chairman, Ervin, Ribicoff, Metcalf, Allen, Mundt, Percy, Stevens, and Gurney;

Executive Reorganization, Senators Ribicoff, chairman, McClellan, Harris, Metcalf, Allen, Javits, Percy, Gurney, and Stevens; and

Government Research, Senators Harris, chairman, McCarthy, Allen, Mundt, and Stevens.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 60) requesting $160,000 to conduct studies of matters within the committee's jurisdiction.

Also, committee announced assignments to subcommittees as follows:

Indian Affairs, Senators McGovern, chairman, Jackson, Anderson, Burdick, Metcalf, Gravel, Fannin, Hansen, Stevens, and Bellmon;

Minerals, Materials, and Fuels, Senators Moss, chairman, Jackson, Bible, McGovern, Gravel, Jordan of Idaho, Bellmon, Allott, and Stevens;

Parks and Recreation, Senators Bible, chairman, Jackson, Anderson, Church, Moss, Nelson, Hansen, Fannin, Hatfield, and Bellmon;

Public Lands, Senators Church, chairman, Jackson, Bible, Metcalf, Gravel, Hatfield, Allott, Jordan of Idaho, and Fannin;

Territories and Insular Affairs, Senators Burdick, chairman, Jackson, McGovern, Nelson, Metcalf, Stevens, Allott, Hansen, and Bellmon;

Water and Power Resources, Senators Anderson, chairman, Jackson, Church, Moss, Burdick, Nelson, Allott, Jordan of Idaho, Fannin, Hansen, and Hatfield; and

Special Subcommittee on Legislative Oversight, Senators Jackson, chairman, Anderson, and Allott.

COMMITTEE FUNDS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 63) requesting $250,000 for committee operating expenses for this session of Congress.

Also, committee announced assignments to subcommittees as follows:

Ex-Officio members of the Committee on Appropriations for Treasury, Post Office, and Executive Offices, Senators McGee, chairman, Randolph, and Fong;

Contested Nominations, Senators McGee, chairman, Yarborough, and Fong;

Postal Affairs, Senators Yarborough, chairman, Hartke, Hollings, Moss, Fong, Boggs, and Fannin;

Civil Service, Senators Randolph, chairman, Hartke,

Burdick, Hollings, Yarborough, Moss, Fong, Boggs, Fannin, and Stevens;

Retirement, Senators Hartke, chairman, Randolph, Burdick, Moss, Fong, Boggs, and Bellmon; and

Health Benefits and Life Insurance, Senators Burdick, chairman, Hartke, Hollings, Moss, Boggs, Stevens, and Bellmon.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, receiving testimony from Dr. William J. Darby, chairman, Department of Medicine, Vanderbilt University, Nashville; and Dr. Garth Hansen, Vice Chancellor, Utah State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 69 public bills, H.R. 4563–4631; 149 private bills, H.R. 4632–4780; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 299–303, H. Con. Res. 101 and 102, and H. Res. 156–161, were introduced. **Pages 1825–1829**

Condolence Resolution: The House, upon receiving notification of the death of Representative Robert A. Everett of the Eighth Congressional District of Tennessee, adopted H. Res. 156, expressing the sympathy of the House, authorizing the appointment of a funeral committee, and providing for adjournment today out of respect for the late Representative Everett. The Speaker appointed the following funeral committee: Representatives Evins of Tennessee, Brock, Fulton of Tennessee, Quillen, Anderson of Tennessee, Duncan, Blanton, Kuykendall, Rivers, Fallon, Teague of Texas, Jones of Alabama, Stubblefield, and Slack.

It was announced that a future day would be set aside for eulogies. **Page 1825**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session to hear Dr. Julius A. Stratton, Chairman of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources, and members of his staff discuss the Commission's report "Our Nation and the Sea." The meeting adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Tuesday, January 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1938–1983

Bills Introduced: 51 bills and 13 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 695–745; S.J. Res. 34–35; and S. Res. 66–76. **Pages 1938–1940, 1963–1968**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 73, to authorize the printing as a Senate document of the 69th annual report of the National Society of the DAR (S. Rept. 91–5);

S. Res. 66, extending for 1 year authority of Committee on Finance to hire six additional clerical assistants (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 70–72, inclusive, providing gratuities for survivors of three deceased Senate employees (no written report);

S. Res. 74, naming Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Allen, and Scott as Senate members of the Joint Committee on Printing; and Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Pell, Cannon, Cooper, and Thurmond as Senate members of the Joint Committee on the Library (no written report); and

S. Res. 75, authorizing the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for use during the 91st Congress (no written report). **Pages 1963, 1967–1968**

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate voted, by 50 yeas to 42 nays, on question of adoption of cloture motion (to close debate) on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting. The motion having failed to obtain a constitutional two-thirds affirmative vote, Vice President Agnew ruled that it had not carried under the provisions of Senate rule XXII and under the judgment of the Senate made on January 16.

Senate then continued on Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11. **Pages 1931–1938**

1898 Executive Session: Senate adopted S. Res. 69, to make public certain records of Senate proceedings held in executive session in 1898. **Pages 1969–1970**

Recess: Recessed at 2:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of

Robert F. Froehlke, of Wisconsin, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Administration; Barry J. Shillito, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; George A. Lincoln, of Michigan, to be Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; John H. Chafee, of Rhode Island, to be Secretary of the Navy; Robert C. Seamans, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of the Air Force; two nominations in the Navy; and one in the Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. Froehlke, Shillito, and Lincoln were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

COMMITTEE STAFF PERSONNEL

Committee on Finance: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 66) extending for 1 year authority to hire six additional clerical assistants.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed its hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89–465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Judge Tim Murphy, D.C. court of general sessions, and member, Judicial Council Committee To Study the Bail Reform Act; and Harry I. Subin, Vera Institute of Justice, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held an executive organizational meeting, and took the following actions:

(1) Designated the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month as its regular meeting days;

(2) Adopted other rules of procedure to be followed for this session of the Congress;

(3) Adopted regulations governing senatorial long-distance telephone calls and telegrams;

(4) Ordered reported three original resolutions (S. Res. 70–72) providing gratuities for survivors of three deceased Senate employees;

(5) Approved an original resolution (S. Res. 75) authorizing the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for use during the 91st Congress;

(6) Approved an original resolution (S. Res. 73) to authorize the printing as a Senate document of the 69th annual report of the National Society of the DAR;

(7) Agreed to hold a meeting, the date of which is as yet undetermined, to consider a proposal relating to installation of a speech reinforcement system in the Senate Chamber;

(8) Approved an original resolution (S. Res. 74) naming Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Allen, and Scott as Senate members of the Joint Committee on Printing; and Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Pell, Cannon, Cooper, and Thurmond as Senate members of the Joint Committee on the Library;

(9) Announced appointments to subcommittees as follows:

Standing Rules of the Senate, Senators Byrd of West Virginia, chairman, Cannon, and Cooper;

Privileges and Elections, Senators Cannon, chairman, Byrd of West Virginia, and Curtis;

Printing, Senators Jordan of North Carolina, chairman, Allen, and Scott;

Library, Senators Jordan of North Carolina, chairman, Pell, and Thurmond;

Smithsonian Institution, Senators Pell, chairman, Byrd of West Virginia, and Cooper; and

Restaurant, Senators Allen, chairman, Byrd of West Virginia, and Thurmond.

Following this action, in open session, committee heard Senator McClellan testify in behalf of S. Res. 26, requesting $698,500 for the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations; S. Res. 44, requesting $142,000 for Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures of the Committee on the Judiciary; and S. Res. 49, requesting $117,000 for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights of the Committee on the Judiciary. Committee also heard Senator McGee testify in behalf of S. Res. 63, requesting $250,000 for expenses of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Committee announced that it will hold meetings on Friday, January 31, and Wednesday, February 5, for the purpose of hearing Senate committee and subcommittee chairmen testify in connection with requested funds for their respective committees.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witnesses Dr. D. Mark Hegsted, professor, Department of Nutrition, Harvard University School of Public Health; Dr. Charles U. Lowe, Scientific Director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; and Dr. David B. Coursin, director of research, St. Joseph Hospital, Lancaster, Pa.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee held an executive organizational meeting, after which it announced assignments to subcommittees as follows:

Monopoly, Senators Nelson, chairman, Sparkman, Long, McIntyre, Bible,[1] Hatfield, Dole, Cook, and Javits;[1]

Financing and Investment, Senators Sparkman, chairman, Williams of New Jersey, McIntyre, Gravel, Bible,[1] Stevens, Dominick, Baker, and Javits;[1]

Government Procurement, Senators Montoya, chairman, Long, Randolph, Sparkman, Bible,[1] Dominick, Stevens, Dole, and Javits;[1]

Science and Technology, Senators Randolph, chairman, Montoya, Harris, McIntyre, Bible,[1] Cook, Baker, Stevens, and Javits;[1]

Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices, Senators Harris, chairman, Williams of New Jersey, Nelson, Gravel, Bible,[1] Dole, Hatfield, Dominick, and Javits;[1] and

Urban and Rural Economic Development, Senators Williams of New Jersey, chairman, Nelson, Montoya, Harris, Bible,[1] Baker, Cook, Hatfield, and Javits.[1]

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 101 public bills, H.R. 4781–4881; 286 private bills, H.R. 4882–5167; and 34 resolutions, H.J. Res. 304–319, H. Con. Res. 103–108, and H. Res. 162–173, were introduced. **Pages 2008–2015**

Presidential Visit: The Speaker called a recess at 12:03 p.m. for an informal visit by President Nixon. Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford escorted the President into the Chamber. A reception line of President Nixon, Speaker McCormack, Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford, and Doorkeeper Miller greeted Members. The House reconvened at 1:25 p.m. **Page 1984**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power met in executive session to hear Adm. John J. Hyland, commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee, held open hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from a number of superintendents of schools. Additional superintendents will testify on Wednesday and Thursday.

[1] Ex officio member.

Wednesday, January 29, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2136–2187

Bills Introduced: 30 bills and eight resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 746–777; S. Con. Res. 7; and S. Res. 77–83. **Pages 2137, 2150–2158**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 17, relating to the method of the election of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp. (S. Rept. 91–6);

S. Res. 79, requesting $550,000 in operating funds for Committee on Commerce (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 80, requesting $72,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 81, requesting $695,400 for operating expenses of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Pages 2136, 2158**

President's Visit: President Nixon visited the Senate, made brief informal remarks, and was greeted by the membership. **Pages 2187–2188**

Senate Rules—Cloture: Senate continued debate of Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11, to amend Senate rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that when Senate completes its business today it adjourn until noon Friday, January 31. As a result of this adjournment, the Hart motion to take up S. Res. 11 will die. **Page 2187**

Authority To Report: Committee on Government Operations was granted extension of time until April 30 to file certain reports of its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations. **Page 2188**

Federal Pay Rates: Senator Williams of Delaware submitted and spoke on the following two resolutions: S. Res. 82, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to

Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970, and S. Res. 83, to discharge Committee on Post Office and Civil Service from further consideration of S. Res. 17, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970. Immediate consideration of these resolutions was requested, which was objected to, and the resolutions were ordered to lie over for 1 day under the rule. Pages 2198–2200

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Paul W. McCracken, of Michigan, Hendrik S. Houthakker, of Massachusetts, and Herbert Stein, of Maryland, each to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers; Robert F. Froehlke, of Wisconsin, and Barry James Shillito, of Ohio, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Robert C. Seamans, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of the Air Force; John H. Chafee, of Rhode Island, to be Secretary of the Navy; George A. Lincoln, of Michigan, to be Director of Office of Emergency Preparedness; Lt. Gen. John W. Carpenter III, to be senior Air Force member, Military Staff Committee, United Nations; James E. Johnson, of California, to be a Civil Service Commissioner; and two Navy in the rank of admiral. Page 2210

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Russell E. Train, of D.C., to be Under Secretary of the Interior; Fred J. Russell, of California, to be Deputy Director of Office of Emergency Preparedness; one Navy in the rank of admiral; and numerous Marine Corps. Pages 2200–2210

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORP., NOMINATIONS, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 17, relating to the method of the election of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.; the nominations of Rocco C. Siciliano, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; and Capts. Joseph J. McClelland, Helmer S. Pearson, and Chester A. Richmond, Jr., all for promotion to the grade of rear admiral in the Coast Guard; and an original resolution (S. Res. 79) requesting $550,000 for committee operating expenses for this session of the Congress.

Also, committee announced appointment of Senators Moss and Griffin to the Board of Visitors to the Coast Guard Academy, and Senators Hollings and Prouty to the Board of Visitors to the Merchant Marine Academy.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in connection with S. 17 was received from Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; James D. O'Connell, Director, Telecommunications Management, Office of Emergency Planning; and James McCormack, Chairman of the Board, Communications Satellite Corp. Senators Bennett, Murphy, and Moss appeared in support of Mr. Siciliano. The above-listed four nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

COMMITTEE FUNDS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held an executive organizational meeting where it adopted its rules of procedure and approved for reporting an original resolution requesting funds for committee operating expenses for this session of the Congress.

Also, committee announced appointments to subcommittees as follows:

Judiciary, Senators Bible, chairman, Tydings, and Goodell;

Business and Commerce, Senators Tydings, chairman, Bible, and Mathias;

Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety, Senators Spong, chairman, Eagleton, and Prouty;

Fiscal Affairs, Senators Eagleton, chairman, Spong, and Mathias;

Ex officio members to Senate Appropriations Committee, Senators Eagleton and Spong; and

Conferee to Senate Appropriations Committee, Senator Eagleton.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee heard further testimony from U. Alexis Johnson, of California, in behalf of his nomination to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

NOMINATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

Richard G. Kleindienst, of Arizona, to be Deputy Attorney General, and William H. Rehnquist, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Attorney General, with testimony from Senators Fannin and Goldwater;

Will Wilson, of Texas, to be an Assistant Attorney General, with testimony from Senators Yarborough and Tower;

Richard W. McLaren, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Attorney General;

William D. Ruckelshaus, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Attorney General, with testimony from Senator Hartke;

Jerris Leonard, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Attorney General, with testimony from Senator Proxmire; and

Johnnie M. Walters, of South Carolina, to be an Assist-

ant Attorney General, with testimony from Senator Thurmond.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider these nominations.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89-465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses James F. Hewitt, Legal Aid Society of San Francisco; Tom Karas, Maricopa County Legal Aid Society, Phoenix; and Harry D. Steward, executive director, Defenders, Inc., San Diego, California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE FUNDS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held an executive organizational meeting, after which it announced that it had approved an original resolution (S. Res. 81) requesting $695,400 for committee operating expenses for this session of the Congress, and an original resolution (S. Res. 80) requesting $72,000 for expenses of its Subcommittee on Indian Education for the period February 1, 1969, through July 31, 1969.

Also, committee announced appointments to subcommittees as follows:

Health, Senators Yarborough, chairman, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Nelson, Eagleton, Cranston, Hughes, Dominick, Javits, Murphy, Prouty, and Saxbe;

Education, Senators Pell, chairman, Yarborough, Randolph, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Mondale, Eagleton, Prouty, Javits, Dominick, Murphy, and Schweiker;

Labor, Senators Williams of New Jersey, chairman, Randolph, Pell, Nelson, Mondale, Eagleton, Cranston, Javits, Prouty, Saxbe, Bellmon, and Schweiker;

Employment, Manpower, and Poverty, Senators Nelson, chairman, Yarborough, Pell, Kennedy, Mondale, Cranston, Hughes, Murphy, Javits, Prouty, Dominick, and Bellmon;

Veterans' Affairs, Senators Cranston, chairman, Yarborough, Randolph, Mondale, Hughes, Schweiker, Dominick, and Bellmon;

Railroad Retirement, Senators Eagleton, chairman, Pell, Nelson, Hughes, Bellmon, Schweiker, and Saxbe;

Migratory Labor, Senators Mondale, chairman, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Cranston, Hughes, Saxbe, Murphy, Bellmon, and Schweiker; and

Indian Education, Senators Kennedy, chairman, Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Mondale, Dominick, Bellmon, and Murphy.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 113 public bills, H.R. 5168–5280; 203 private bills, H.R. 5281–5483; and 24 resolutions, H.J. Res. 320–334 and H. Res. 174–182, were introduced.

Pages 2083–2085, 2130–2136

Committee Resignations: Received and read a resignation from Representative Evans of Colorado from the Committee on Armed Services; and from Representative Cowger from the Committee on House Administration.

Page 2082

Committee Organization: Adopted H. Res. 174, setting the number of members on certain House committees; adopted H. Res. 175, election of majority Members to certain standing committees; adopted H. Res. 176, election of minority Members to certain standing committees; adopted H. Res. 177, electing the Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico to the Committees on Agriculture, Armed Services, and Interior and Insular Affairs.

Pages 2083–2085

Permission To Sit—Ways and Means: Granted permission to the Committee on Ways and Means to sit during general session of the House during this session of Congress.

Page 2085

D.C. Parking: Discharged the Committee on Public Works from the further consideration of H.R. 2194, D.C. parking facilities, and referred the bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Page 2101

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

Thursday, January 30, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee approved the nomination of Walter E. Washington, for

reappointment as Commissioner of the District of Columbia, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Walter McArdle, president, McArdle Printing Co., Washington, D.C.; Flaxie Pinkett, D.C. Health and Welfare Council; Carl Shipley, D.C. Republican national committeeman; Dr. Charles Warren, Council of Churches of Greater Washington; and Thelma Avery, D.C. Committee for Responsible Citizenship. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS, AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, authorized the filing of annual activities report of the committee, including subcommittees, and authorized the printing of the annual organization chart of Federal executive departments and agencies.

Also, committee confirmed assignments to subcommittees as follows:

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations

Mr. McClellan, *Chairman*

Mr. Jackson	Mr. Mundt
Mr. Ervin	Mr. Javits
Mr. Muskie	Mr. Percy
Mr. Ribicoff	Mr. Griffin

National Security and International Operations

Mr. Jackson, *Chairman*

Mr. Muskie	Mr. Mundt
Mr. Ribicoff	Mr. Griffin
Mr. Harris	Mr. Percy
Mr. Metcalf	Mr. Gurney

Intergovernmental Relations

Mr. Muskie, *Chairman*

Mr. Ervin	Mr. Mundt
Mr. Ribicoff	Mr. Percy
Mr. Metcalf	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Allen	Mr. Gurney

Executive Reorganization

Mr. Ribicoff, *Chairman*

Mr. McClellan	Mr. Javits
Mr. Harris	Mr. Percy
Mr. Metcalf	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Allen	Mr. Gurney

Government Research

Mr. Harris, *Chairman*

Mr. McCarthy	Mr. Mundt
Mr. Allen	Mr. Stevens

NOMINATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the following nominations: Richard G. Kleindienst, of Arizona, to be Deputy Attorney General; William H. Rehnquist, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Attorney General, legal counsel; Will Wilson, of Texas, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division; Richard W. McLaren, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division; William D. Ruckelshaus, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division; Jerris Leonard, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division; and Johnnie M. Walters, of South Carolina, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings on the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Charles Murray, D.C. Attorney, and member of the American Bar Association Advisory Committee on the Criminal Trial; Chief Judge Alfred P. Murrah, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, and chairman of the American Bar Association Advisory Committee on Pretrial Proceedings; and Mrs. Barbara Bowman, Legal Aid Agency for the D.C., and member of the Judicial Council Committee To Study the Bail Reform Act.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 4.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 103 public bills, H.R. 5484–5586; 217 private bills, H.R. 5587–5803; and 26 resolutions, H.J. Res. 335–341, H. Con. Res. 109–115, and H. Res. 183–194, were introduced. Pages 2282–2287

Permission To Sit—Science and Astronautics: Granted permission to the Committee on Science and Astronautics to sit during sessions of the House on February 4, 5, and 6. Page 2269

Presidential Message—Executive Reorganization: Received and read a message from the President requesting the Congress to extend for at least 2 years the President's authority to transmit the executive branch reorganization plans. The message was referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–70). Pages 2269–2270

Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the following committees, commissions, and boards: Joint Economic Committee; Board of Directors of Gallaudet College; Board of Regents to the Smithsonian Institution; ex officio members of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts; Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy; Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy; Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Acad-

emy; Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy; Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy; Joint Commission on the Coinage; Father Marquette Tercentenary Commission; National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws; Golden Spike Centennial Commission; Public Land Law Review Commission; National Commission for the Review of Federal and State Laws Relating to Wiretapping and Electronic Surveillance. **Pages 2270–2271**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held an executive organizational meeting but did not complete organization matters. Committee will meet again next week for this purpose.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session to have a committee picture taken.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held an executive organizational meeting. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Held an executive organizational meeting. No announcements were made.

Friday, January 31, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2335–2410

Bills Introduced: 59 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 778–836; S.J. Res. 36–38; S. Con. Res. 8; and S. Res. 84. **Pages 2339–2340, 2368–2369**

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 84, requesting $129,400 funds for operating expenses of Committee on the District of Columbia (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 2369**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of S. 734, to revise the Federal election laws, and the bill was then referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 2341**

President's Message—Government Reorganization: President transmitted message urging prompt enactment of legislation to extend for at least 2 years the President's authority to transmit executive reorganization plans—received on January 30 under prior authority and referred to Committee on Government Operations. **Page 2335**

Senate Rules—Cloture: By unanimous consent, S. Res. 11, to amend rule XXII so as to provide for the bringing of Senate debate to a close under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths (rather than two-thirds) of Senators present and voting, was taken from calendar and ordered to lie on the table, and S. Res. 12, to amend rule XXII so as to provide for closing Senate debate under certain circumstances by a vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting, and also by a majority of Senators of each of the two major political parties present and voting, was taken from "resolutions over, under the rule" and ordered to lie on the table. **Page 2336**

Federal Pay Rates: By unanimous consent, S. Res. 82, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970, was taken from "resolutions over, under the rule" and placed on the calendar, it being agreed that on the completion of morning business on Tuesday, February 4, it be the pending business of the Senate. **Pages 2409–2410**

Appointments to Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 90–448, appointed Senators Sparkman and Hollings as members of the National Advisory Commission on Low-Income Housing. **Page 2420**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, Senate passed seven measures, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Communications Satellite: S. 17, relating to the method of the election of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 75, authorizing the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for use during the 91st Congress;

Joint committee assignments: S. Res. 74, naming Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Allen, and Scott as Senate members of the Joint Committee on Printing; and Senators Jordan of North Carolina, Pell, Cannon, Cooper, and Thurmond as Senate members of the Joint Committee on the Library;

Printing: S. Res. 73, to authorize the printing as a Senate document of the 69th annual report of the National Society of the DAR; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 70–72, providing gratuities for survivors of three deceased Senate employees.

Pages 2416–2420

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Rocco C. Siciliano, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; Richard G. Kleindienst, of Arizona, to be Deputy Attorney General; the following six to be Assistant Attorneys General: William H. Rehnquist, of Arizona; Will Wilson, of Texas; Richard W. McLaren, of Illinois; William D. Ruckelshaus, of Indiana; Jerris Leonard, of Wisconsin; and Johnnie M. Walters, of South Carolina; Walter E. Washington, of D.C., to be D.C. Commissioner; and three Coast Guard.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: John W. Warner, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Navy; Frank Sanders, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Elmer T. Klassen, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Postmaster General; James W. Hargrove, of Texas, and Kenneth A. Housman, of Connecticut, each to be an Assistant Postmaster General; David A. Nelson, of Ohio, to be General Counsel of the Post Office Department; Gerard C. Smith, of D.C., to be Director of U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; two judicial; and Albert W. Sherer, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Senators in behalf of funds for Senate committee activities, as follows:

Senator Sparkman, on S. Res. 22, requesting $110,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency to investigate matters within its jurisdiction; and S. Res. 23, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency;

Senator Harris, on S. Res. 38, requesting $63,852 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Government Research of Committee on Government Operations;

Senator Anderson (in behalf of Senator Jackson), on S. Res. 60, requesting $160,000 in operating funds for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

Senator Kennedy, on S. Res. 39, requesting $244,820 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Hart, on S. Res. 40, requesting $623,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Dirksen, on S. Res. 41, requesting $9,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Dirksen (for Senator Bayh), on S. Res. 42, requesting $139,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Ervin, on S. Res. 43, requesting $220,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Dodd, on S. Res. 48, requesting $257,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Kennedy, on S. Res. 50, requesting $109,227 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Ervin, on S. Res. 51, requesting $48,950 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Ervin, on S. Res. 52, requesting $130,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of Committee on the Judiciary; and

Senator Sparkman (in behalf of Senator Bible), on S. Res. 57, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Small Business.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, February 5, to hear other Senators in behalf of funds for other committees and subcommittees.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power met in executive session to hear Adm. E. Holmes, commander in chief of the Atlantic Fleet.

Monday, February 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Richard C. Van Dusen, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Floyd H. Hyde, of California, Samuel C. Jackson, of the D.C., and Samuel J. Simmons, of Michigan, each to be an Assistant Secretary of HUD; and Sherman Unger, of Ohio, to be General Counsel of the Department of HUD.

Prior to this action, the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Saturday, February 1, committee held hearings on proposed changes in the D.C. Bail Agency Act, having as its witnesses Chief Judge Edward M. Curran, U.S. District Court for the D.C.; Chief Judge Harold H. Greene, D.C. court of general sessions; William R. Cecil, Assistant Director, D.C. Bail Agency; and Robert F. Kneipp, Legislation and Opinions Division, D.C. Corporation Counsel.

Also, Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on a proposal to outlaw the practice of debt consolidation in the D.C., with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp; and on proposed D.C. Retail Installment Sales Act, with testimony from John W. Hechinger, president, Hechinger Building Materials Co.; Robert F. Kneipp; William Press, Washington Board of Trade; and Miss Maribeth Halloran, Neighborhood Legal Services.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ROBERT A. EVERETT MEMORIAL BRIDGE

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 769, to name the bridge to be constructed across the Mississippi River northwest of Dyersburg, Tenn., the Robert A. Everett Memorial Bridge, in honor of the late Representative Everett.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution began hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Joseph E. Moody, president, National Coal Policy Conference; Robert H. Gerdes, president, Edison Electric Institute, New York City; James H. Rook, Water Resources Committee, Manufacturing Chemists Association; and Fred Tucker, American Iron and Steel Institute, Technical Committee on Air and Water Quality Control.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 67 public bills, H.R. 5804–5870; 76 private bills, H.R. 5871–5946; and 27 resolutions, H.J. Res. 342–356, H. Con. Res. 116–121, and H. Res. 195–200, were introduced. **Pages 2450–2453**

Committee Appointments: The Speaker made the following appointments: to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, Representatives Holifield, Price of Illinois, Aspinall, Young, Edmondson, Hosmer, Bates, Anderson of Illinois, and McCulloch; to the Committee To Investigate Nonessential Federal Expenditures, Representatives Mills, Boggs, Byrnes of Wisconsin, Mahon, Kirwan, and Bow; to the National Historical Publications Commission, Representative Miller of California. **Page 2433**

Committee Appointments—*Correction:* Vacated passage of H. Res. 177, appointment of the Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico to committees, adopted a technical amendment, and passed H. Res. 177 as amended; vacated passage of H. Res. 176, appointment of minority Members to committees, adopted an amendment relating to the seniority of minority Members on the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and passed the resolution as amended. **Pages 2433–2434**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION—MARINE CORPS PROMOTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 3832, amended, to provide the grade of general for the Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps so long as such office is held by the present incumbent, and completed organization of the committee.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

STUDENT UNREST

Special Subcommittee on Education held hearings on the subject of student unrest. Testimony was heard from Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, acting president, San Francisco State College and the college's financial aid officer, Dr. Helen Bedesen.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through January 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	18	16	..
Time in session	62 hrs., 04′	29 hrs., 33′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	1,177	638	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	684
Public bills enacted into law	..	1	1
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	28	26	..
Senate bills	1	..	..
House bills	1	1	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
House concurrent resolutions	2	1	..
Simple resolutions	23	23	46
Measures reported, total	*64	*9	..
Senate bills	1	..	..
House bills	1	1	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	2	..	..
Simple resolutions	59	8	67
Special reports	1	2	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	1	7	..
Measures introduced, total	966	6,453	7,419
Bills	836	5,803	6,639
Joint resolutions	38	341	379
Concurrent resolutions	8	115	123
Simple resolutions	84	194	278
Quorum calls	7	6	..
Yea-and-nay votes	8	7	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 6 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 11 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through January 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 1,148, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,148
Air Force nominations, totaling 809, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	742
Unconfirmed	67
Navy nominations, totaling 7,295, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,294
Unconfirmed	1
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 4,343, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	4,343
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,272, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	489
Unconfirmed	769
Withdrawn	14
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	15,495
Total confirmed	9,849
Total unconfirmed	5,180
Total withdrawn	466

Tuesday, February 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2544–2677

Bills Introduced: 88 bills and 11 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 837–924; S.J. Res. 39–41; and S. Res. 85–92. Pages 2547–2549, 2603–2605

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 769, to name the bridge to be constructed across the Mississippi River northwest of Dyersburg, Tenn., the Robert A. Everett Memorial Bridge, in honor of the late Representative Everett (S. Rept. 91–7). Page 2547

Memorial Bridge: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President S. 769, to name the bridge to be constructed across the Mississippi River northwest of Dyersburg, Tenn., the Robert A. Everett Memorial Bridge, in honor of the late Representative Everett. Page 2623

Federal Pay Rates: Senate considered and rejected, by 34 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), S. Res. 82, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970.

S. Res. 83, to discharge Committee on Post Office and Civil Service from further consideration of S. Res. 17, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970, was taken from "resolutions and motions over, under the rule," and the resolution was placed on the calendar. Pages 2677–2716

Senate Authorizations: Order was entered that during adjournment of Senate until noon Friday, February 7, Secretary of Senate will be authorized to receive and refer messages from the President and the House, and all committees will be authorized to file reports. Page 2716

Authority To Report: Special Committee on Aging was granted extension until March 15, 1969, to file its report, pursuant to S. Res. 223 of the 90th Congress. Page 2547

Nominations: The following nominations were received: James C. Counts, of California, to be Federal Mediation and Conciliation Director; James V. Smith, of Oklahoma, to be Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration; Samuel DePalma, of Maryland, Joseph John Sisco, of Maryland, and Martin J. Hillenbrand, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and three Army in the rank of general. Page 2749

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—STATE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Frank J. Shakespeare, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Director of the U.S. Information Agency; U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; and Albert W. Sherer, Jr., of Illinois, Ambassador to Togo, to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Equatorial Guinea.

Also, committee announced appointment of an ad hoc Subcommittee on Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad, members of which are Senators Symington, chairman, Fulbright, Mansfield, Sparkman, Aiken, Cooper, and Javits.

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Russell E. Train, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of the Interior, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed its hearings to study the operation of the Bail Reform Act of 1966 (P.L. 89–465), and related problems concerning crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Senator Byrd of West Virginia; Chief Judge Edward M. Curran, U.S. District Court for the D.C.; Prof. Caleb Foote, School of Law, University of California, Berkeley; and Hiawatha Burris, Director of Bonabond, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Ralph E. Casey, American Institute of Merchant Shipping, Washington, D.C., accompanied by James J. Higgins, Maritime Law Association of the United States; Paul J. Kreuzkamp, Marine Insurance Committee, Insurance Brokers Association, New York City; Peter N. Miller and John Shearer, insurance underwriters of London; Alexander B. Hawes, American Waterways Operators, Inc., Washington, D.C.; Vice Adm. James A. Hirshfield (U.S.C.G. ret.), president, Lake Carriers Association, Cleveland; and Everett S. Checket, American Petroleum Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 128 public bills, H.R. 5947–6074; 92 private bills, H.R. 6075–6166; and 34 resolutions, H.J. Res. 357–379, H. Con. Res. 122–123, and H. Res. 201–209, were introduced. Pages 2539–2544

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years (H. Rept. 91–12);

H.R. 3689, to cede to the State of Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States of the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center, Fort Harrison, Mont. (H. Rept. 91–13);

H.R. 684, amended, to make certain technical amendments to title 38 of the U.S. Code (H. Rept. 91–14).

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Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the following commissions: The American Revolution Bicentennial Commission; National Commission on Consumer Finance; National Forest Reservation Commission; Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; James Madison Memorial Commission; National Memorial Stadium Commission; National Visitor Facilities Advisory Commission. Pages 2491–2492

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing on the situation in Europe. Testimony was heard from the Honorable John M. Leddy, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE NAME CHANGE

Committee on Rules: Favorably reported H. Res. 89, to amend the rules of the House to change the name of the Committee on Un-American Activities to "Committee on Internal Security."

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session with a panel on "Science and Technology in the Cities." Foreign and domestic experts in urban affairs participated in the seminar.

DISABILITY COMPENSATION—VA CENTER JURISDICTION—U.S. CODE TITLE 38 AMENDMENTS—COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: In executive session favorably reported H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years; H.R. 3689, to cede to the State of Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States of the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center, Fort Harrison, Mont.; and H.R. 684, amended, to make certain technical amendments to title 38 of the U.S. Code; and completed committee organization.

Wednesday, February 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee held its executive organizational meeting, and announced subcommittee assignments, as follows:

SOIL CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

(*Subcommittee No. 1*)

Mr. Eastland, *Chairman*

Mr. Holland	Mr. Aiken
Mr. Jordan (North Carolina)	Mr. Cook

AGRICULTURAL CREDIT AND RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

(*Subcommittee No. 2*)

Mr. Talmadge, *Chairman*

Mr. Holland	Mr. Aiken
Mr. McGovern	Mr. Miller
Mr. Allen	Mr. Dole

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, MARKETING, AND STABILIZATION OF PRICES

(*Subcommittee No. 3*)

Mr. Holland, *Chairman*

Mr. Jordan (North Carolina)	Mr. Young (North Dakota)
Mr. Talmadge	Mr. Miller
Mr. McGovern	Mr. Curtis
Mr. Eastland	Mr. Cook

AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND GENERAL LEGISLATION

(*Subcommittee No. 4*)

Mr. Jordan (North Carolina), *Chairman*

Mr. Eastland	Mr. Young (North Dakota)
Mr. Talmadge	Mr. Curtis
Mr. Allen	Mr. Dole

SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON WATERSHED PROJECTS

Mr. Talmadge, *Chairman*

Mr. Jordan (North Carolina) Mr. Young (North Dakota)

Mr. Ellender, ex officio member of each subcommittee.

NOMINATIONS—STATE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Joseph J. Sisco, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs; Martin J. Hillenbrand, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs; and Samuel DePalma, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, having as its witnesses George Clyde, member, Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors, and member, Santa Barbara Channel Oil Advisory Committee, California; Fred Hartley, Union Oil Co. of California; and Thomas R. Glenn, Jr., Association of State and Interstate Water Pollution Control Administrators.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony from Senators in behalf of funds for Senate committee activities, as follows:

Senator Anderson, on S. Res. 59, requesting $40,000 for operating funds for the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences;

Senator Stennis, on S. Res. 56, requesting $225,000 for operating funds of the Committee on Armed Services;

Senator Pastore (for Senator Magnuson), on S. Res. 79, requesting $550,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce;

Senator Tydings, on S. Res. 84, requesting $129,400 for operating funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia;

Senator Long, on S. Res. 66, extending for 1 year authority of Committee on Finance to hire six additional clerical assistants;

Senator Fulbright, on S. Res. 64, requesting $275,000 for operating funds for Committee on Foreign Relations;

Senator Fulbright, on S. Res. 65, requesting $25,000 (for Committee on Foreign Relations) to enable the Senate to respond to invitations from foreign governments;

Senator Ribicoff, on S. Res. 25, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations;

Senator Muskie, on S. Res. 27, requesting $175,211 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations of Committee on Government Operations;

Senator Mundt (for Senator Jackson), on S. Res. 24, requesting $105,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations;

Senators Tydings and Hruska, on S. Res. 47, requesting $213,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Byrd of West Virginia (for Senator Eastland), on S. Res. 45, requesting $200,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senators Byrd of West Virginia and Hruska (for Senator Eastland), on S. Res. 46, requesting $475,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Internal Security of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senator Burdick, on S. Res. 54, requesting $5,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries of Committee on the Judiciary;

Senators Yarborough and Javits, on S. Res. 81, requesting $695,400 for operating funds for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

Senator Mondale (for Senator Kennedy), on S. Res. 80, requesting $72,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

Senators Randolph and Cooper, on S. Res. 34, requesting $240,000 for operating funds for Committee on Public Works;

Senator Cannon, on S. Res. 31, requesting $105,000 for

Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of Committee on Rules and Administration;

Senators McGovern and Javits, on S. Res. 68, requesting $250,000 for operating funds for Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs; and

Senator Williams of New Jersey, on S. Res. 76, requesting $214,000 for operating funds for the Special Committee on Aging.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider these and other pending committee budgetary resolutions.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 138 public bills, H.R. 6167–6304; 159 private bills, H.R. 6305–6463; and 56 resolutions, H.J. Res. 380–413, H. Con. Res. 124–132, and H. Res. 210–222, were introduced. Pages 2777, 2861–2867

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows: H. Res. 89, to change the name of the Committee on Un-American Activities to the Committee on Internal Security (H. Rept. 91–15). Page 2861

Committee Resignation: Received and read a resignation from Representative Del Clawson from the Committee on Un-American Activities. Page 2775

Communications—Committee Designations: Received and read a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means designating the following members of the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation: Representatives Mills, Boggs, Watts, and Byrnes of Wisconsin; received and read a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency suggesting the following members of the Joint Committee on Defense Production: Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Widnall, and Brock. Page 2775

Adjournment Resolution: Adopted, by a record vote of 240 yeas to 125 nays, H. Con. Res. 124, providing that when the House adjourns on February 7, 1969, it adjourn over until 12 o'clock noon on February 17, 1969. Pages 2777–2778

Recess Appointments: The Speaker was granted permission to appoint boards and commissions during the recess ending on February 17, 1969. Page 2778

Committee Resolutions: Adopted the following resolutions:

H. Res. 66, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business;

H. Res. 93, amended, investigative authority, Committee on the Judiciary;

H. Res. 105, investigative authority, Committee on Armed Services;

H. Res. 116, investigative authority, Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce;

H. Res. 47, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Veterans' Affairs;

H. Res. 21, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and

H. Res. 76, amended, investigative authority, Committee on the District of Columbia. Pages 2778–2784

Committee Appointment—Small Business: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 66, the Speaker appointed members of the Select Committee on Small Business. Page 2778

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

AIRLINE SAFETY AND HIJACKING OF AIRPLANES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Full committee held public hearings on airline safety and hijacking of airplanes. Testimony was heard from Representatives Don H. Clausen, Wyman, and Broomfield; Frank E. Loy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Transportation and Telecommunication; Will R. Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; David D. Thomas, Acting Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration; and Mr. Joseph J. O'Connell, Jr., Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Full committee held hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills per-

taining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boggs, Bennett, Bingham, Boland, Fisher, Snyder, Burlison of Missouri, and Evans of Colorado. Statements were submitted by Representatives Edmondson, Corman, Macdonald, Teague of Texas, Wolff, and Hosmer.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

FEDERAL OFFICIALS PAY RATES

Committee on Rules: In executive session, tabled H. Res. 142 and related resolutions, relative to consideration of H. Res. 133, the resolution to disapprove the recommendations of the President with respect to the rates of pay of Federal officials.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued in open session with a panel on "Science and Technology in the Cities." Foreign and domestic experts in urban affairs participated in the seminar.

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Full committee held an open hearing on legislative recommendations of veterans' organizations. Testimony was heard from national commanders of AMVETS and Veterans of World War I; national president of Blinded Veterans of America; and representatives of Gallant Veterans of the American Expeditionary Forces, 1917–19.

Joint Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held its executive organizational meeting, electing Representative Holifield and Senator Pastore as its chairman and vice chairman, respectively.

Thursday, February 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John W. Warner, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Navy; Frank Sanders, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Installations and Logistics; Fred J. Russell, of California, to be Deputy Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness; and 4,890 nominations in the Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Warner was introduced to the committee by Senator Byrd of Virginia. Messrs. Warner, Sanders, and Russell were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

DISASTER LOANS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony regarding the current status of the Federal Government's disaster loan programs. Witnesses heard were Logan Hendricks, Associate Administrator, and Clarence Cowles, both of the Small Business Administration; Jack Frost, Director of Emergency Loan Division, Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; and Robert Y. Phillips, Director, Emergency Operations Office, James L. Lewis, Chief, Disaster Assistance Division, Charles F. Simms, General Counsel, and Gordon Gillis, Congressional Liaison, all of the Office of Emergency Preparedness.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 3 weeks for the inclusion of additional written material.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Gerard C. Smith, of the District of Columbia, to be Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, U.S., where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee announced assignment to subcommittees, as follows:

Consultative Subcommittees [1]

European Affairs.—Senators Sparkman (chairman), Symington, Pell, McGee, Case, Cooper, and Javits.

Far Eastern Affairs.—Senators Mansfield (chairman), Sparkman, Gore, Dodd, Aiken, Mundt, and Cooper.

International Organization and Disarmament Affairs.—Senators Gore (chairman), Church, Pell, McGee, Case, Cooper, and Williams of Delaware.

Western Hemisphere Affairs.—Senators Church (chairman), Sparkman, Mansfield, Dodd, Aiken, Case, and Javits.

Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.—Senators Symington (chairman), Sparkman, Mansfield, Aiken, and Mundt.

Economic and Social Policy Affairs.—Senators Dodd (chairman), Gore, McGee, Williams of Delaware, and Javits.

Ocean Space.—Senators Pell (chairman), Church, and Case.

African Affairs.—Senators McGee (chairman), Dodd, and Mundt.

[1] The chairman of the full committee is an ex officio member of all subcommittees.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, of California, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology; James D. Hodgson, of California, to be Under Secretary of Labor; Arnold R. Weber, of Illinois, and Willie J. Usery, Jr., of Georgia, to be Assistant Secretaries of Labor; and Mrs. Elizabeth D. Koontz, of North Carolina, to be Director of the Women's Bureau, Department of Labor.

Prior to this action, in open hearings, Mr. Weber was introduced to the committee by Senator Percy, who also spoke in behalf of Dr. DuBridge. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS—POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Elmer T. Klassen, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Postmaster General; James W. Hargrove, of Texas, to be Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Finance and Administration); Kenneth A. Housman, of Connecticut, to be Assistant Postmaster General (Personnel); David A. Nelson, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, Post Office Department; and John L. O'Marra, for reappointment as Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Facilities).

Prior to this action, in open hearings, Senator Tower appeared in behalf of Mr. Hargrove, and Senator Saxbe in behalf of Mr. Nelson. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Dr. Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Ted Pankowski, Izaak Walton League; William Towell, the American Forestry Association; W. Lloyd Tupling, Sierra Club; and Lupert Cutler, the Wilderness Society.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following resolutions:

S. Res. 59, requesting $40,000 for operating funds for the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences;

S. Res. 56, requesting $225,000 for operating funds for the Committee on Armed Services;

S. Res. 22, requesting $110,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency to investigate matters within its jurisdiction;

S. Res. 23, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency;

S. Res. 79, requesting $550,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce;

S. Res. 84, requesting $129,400 for operating funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia (amended to reduce amount to $57,000);

S. Res. 66, extending authority of Committee on Finance to hire six additional clerical assistants (amended to make such authority permanent);

S. Res. 64, requesting $275,000 for operating funds for Committee on Foreign Relations (amended to reduce amount to $260,000);

S. Res. 65, requesting $25,000 (for Committee on Foreign Relations) to enable the Senate to respond to invitations from foreign governments;

S. Res. 26, requesting $698,500 for the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations;

S. Res. 25, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations (amended to reduce amount to $115,000);

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S. Res. 27, requesting $175,211 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations of Committee on Government Operations (amended to reduce amount to $130,000);

S. Res. 24, requesting $105,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations;

S. Res. 60, requesting $160,000 for operating funds for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

S. Res. 39, requesting $244,820 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $210,000);

S. Res. 40, requesting $623,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $525,000);

S. Res. 42, requesting $139,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $120,000);

S. Res. 43, requesting $220,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $200,000);

S. Res. 52, requesting $130,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $95,000);

S. Res. 44, requesting $142,000 for Subcommittee on

Criminal Laws and Procedures of the Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $120,000);

S. Res. 41, requesting $9,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations of Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 47, requesting $213,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $200,000);

S. Res. 45, requesting $200,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization of Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 46, requesting $475,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Internal Security of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $450,000);

S. Res. 48, requesting $257,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $225,000);

S. Res. 54, requesting $5,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries of Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 49, requesting $117,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights of the Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $105,000);

S. Res. 50, requesting $109,227 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $100,000);

S. Res. 51, requesting $48,950 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $48,900);

S. Res. 81, requesting $695,400 for operating funds for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (amended to reduce amount to $550,000);

S. Res. 80, requesting $72,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (amended);

S. Res. 63, requesting $250,000 for expenses of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (amended to reduce amount to $200,000);

S. Res. 34, requesting $240,000 for operating funds for Committee on Public Works;

S. Res. 31, requesting $105,000 for Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 57, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Small Business;

S. Res. 68, requesting $250,000 for operating funds for Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs (amended to reduce amount to $150,000); and

S. Res. 76, requesting $214,000 for operating funds for the Special Committee on Aging (amended to reduce amount to $200,000).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 102 public bills, H.R. 6464–6565; 42 private bills, H.R. 6566–6607; and 33 resolutions, H.J. Res. 414–431, H. Con. Res. 134, and H. Res. 223–236, were introduced. Pages 3028–3029, 3049–3053

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 3832, amended, to provide the grade of general for the Commandant of the Marine Corps so long as such office is held by the incumbent (H. Rept. 91–16). Page 3049

Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the following committees and commissions: Commission on the Revision of Criminal Laws in the District of Columbia; Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission; Committee on the House Recording Studio; National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control; and the Joint Committee on Immigration and Nationality Policy. Page 2989

Economic Report: Permission was granted to delay until April 1, 1969, the date for filing the Joint Economic Committee's report on the Economic Report. Page 2997

Boy Scouts: Adopted H. Con. Res. 133, commending Boy Scouts of America. Page 3028

Supplemental Appropriation: Discharged the Committee on Appropriations from further consideration of H.J. Res. 414 and passed H.J. Res. 414, 1969 supplemental appropriation providing $36 million for unemployment compensation for Federal employees. Pages 3028–3029

Appointments: The Speaker appointed the following members of the U.S. delegation of the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: Representatives Nix, Wright, Johnson of California, Gonzalez, de la Garza, Fraser, Symington, Springer, Morse, Harvey, Whalley, and Bush. Page 3029

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted the Clerk to receive messages from the Senate and for the Speaker to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions during the February 7–17 recess. Page 3030

Calendar Wednesday: Calendar Wednesday on February 19 was dispensed with by unanimous consent. Page 3030

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for

elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SITUATION IN PERU

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on the situation in Peru. Testimony was heard from the Honorable J. Wesley Jones, U.S. Ambassador to Peru.

AIRLINE SAFETY AND HIJACKING OF AIRPLANES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued public hearings on airline safety and hijacking of airplanes. Further testimony was heard from David D. Thomas, Acting Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, and Mr. Joseph J. O'Connell, Jr., Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board. Also testifying today were representatives of the Air Transport Association, Airline Pilots Association, and Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Ullman, Ottinger, Van Deerlin, Stratton, Wright, Davis, Vanik, O'Hara, Heckler, and Pollock. Statements were submitted by Representatives de la Garza, Johnson of California, Derwinski, and Thompson of Georgia.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Concluded their open sessions with a panel on "Science and Technology in the Cities." Foreign and domestic experts in urban affairs participated in the seminar.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Full committee met in executive session on organizational matters. No announcements were made.

Friday, February 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3107–3178

Bills Introduced: 69 bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 925–993; S.J. Res. 42–44; and S. Res. 93–96. **Pages 3110–3112, 3167–3168**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Joint Economic Committee entitled "Federal Reserve Discount Mechanism: System Proposals for Change" (S. Rept. 91–8)—reported during adjournment February 6 under prior authorization, and the report was ordered to be printed as supplementary views to the committee's findings and recommendations on the Economic Report of the President, to be filed by April 1.

Reported today were: S. 129, 130, 132, 147, 148, 151, 153–157, 572, 113, 127, 149, 76, 85, 378, 490, 573, 584, 586, 131, 112, 165, 256, 495, 510, 678, 682, 686, 109, 319, and 458, private bills (S. Repts. 91–9 to 91–42).

Pages 3107, 3109–3110

Bill Reference: S. 953, to promote peaceful resolution of international conflict, was ordered referred to Committee on Foreign Relations, and when reported therefrom, it is to be referred to Committee on Government Operations. **Pages 3151–3157**

Authority To Report: Joint Economic Committee was granted extension of time until April 1 to file report of its findings and recommendations respecting Economic Report of the President. **Page 3186**

Committee on Appropriations: Authority was granted Committee on Appropriations to meet during sessions of Senate in the 91st Congress and during adjournments or recesses thereof to report bills with accompanying notices of motions to suspend rules for purpose of offering amendments thereto. **Page 3170**

Federal Pay Rates: By unanimous consent, S. Res. 83, to discharge Committee on Post Office and Civil Service from further consideration of S. Res. 17, to disapprove recommendations of President Johnson respecting certain rates of pay transmitted to Congress in the budget for fiscal year 1970, was taken from calendar and indefinitely postponed. **Page 3110**

Supplemental Appropriations: H.J. Res. 414, making Employment Security, Department of Labor, was taken supplemental appropriation of $36 million for Bureau of from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President. **Pages 3108–3109**

Lincoln's Birthday: Senate took from desk and adopted without amendment H. Con. Res. 124, providing that when the two Houses of Congress adjourn on February 7 they stand adjourned until noon Monday, February 17. **Page 3178**

Boy Scouts: H. Con. Res. 133, commending the Boy Scouts of America, was taken from desk and adopted without amendment. **Page 3178**

Senate Authorizations: Authority was granted during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, February 17, for Secretary of Senate to receive messages from President and the House, for all committees to file reports, and for the President of the Senate or the President pro tempore to sign duly enrolled bills. **Pages 3178–3181**

Appointments to Commission: Vice President appointed Senators Ervin, Muskie, and Mundt to the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

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Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Russell E. Train, of D.C., to be Under Secretary of the Interior; U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; Martin J. Hillenbrand, of Illinois, Joseph John Sisco, of Maryland, and Samuel J. DePalma, of Maryland, each to be an Assistant Secretary of State; Albert W. Sherer, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Republic of Equatorial Guinea; Elmer T. Klassen, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Postmaster General; James W. Hargrove, of Texas, Kenneth A. Housman, of Connecticut, and John L. O'Marra, of Oklahoma, each to be an Assistant Postmaster General; David A. Nelson, of Ohio, to be General Counsel of Post Office Department; James D. Hodgson, of California, to be Under Secretary of Labor; Arnold R. Weber, of Illinois, and Willie J. Usery, Jr., of Georgia, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; Richard C. Van Dusen, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Floyd H. Hyde, of California, Samuel C. Jackson, of D.C., and Samuel J. Simmons, of Michigan, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Sherman Unger, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Elizabeth D. Koontz, of North Carolina, to be Director of Women's Bureau, Department of Labor; Lee A. DuBridge, of California, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology; Frank J. Shakespeare, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Director of U.S. Information Agency; John W. Warner, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Navy; Fred Sanders, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Fred J. Russell, of California, to be Deputy Director of Office of Emergency Preparedness; Gerard C. Smith, of D.C., to be Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; one Navy; and numerous Air Force and Marine Corps. Pages 3258–3259

Nominations: Numerous Army nominations were received. Pages 3255–3258

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 59 public bills, H.R. 6608–6666; 47 private bills, H.R. 6667–6713; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 432–438, H. Con. Res. 135–136, and H. Res. 237–242, were introduced. Pages 3264–3265, 3269–3271

Resignations: Received and read the following resignations: Representative Quie from the Committee on House Administration; Robert T. Hartmann from the minority position assigned to him by H. Res. 8; and ity employee to fill an existing vacancy (minority Sergeant at Arms). Page 3264

Minority Appointments: Adopted H. Res. 237, appointing Representative Pettis to the Committee on House Administration, and Representative Scherle to the Committee on Un-American Activities; adopted H. Res. 238, designating Robert T. Hartmann a minority employee to fill an existing vacancy (minority Sergeant at Arms). Pages 3264–3265

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, February 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3420–3496

Bills Introduced: 41 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 994–1034; S.J. Res. 45–48; and S. Res. 97. Pages 3423, 3447

Resolutions Reported: The following resolutions providing operating funds for various committees and subcommittees were reported after adjournment of Senate on February 7, pursuant to prior authorization:

S. Res. 59, requesting $40,000 for operating funds for the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences (S. Rept. 91–43);

S. Res. 56, requesting $225,000 for operating funds for the Committee on Armed Services (S. Rept. 91–44);

S. Res. 22, requesting $110,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency to investigate matters within its jurisdiction (S. Rept. 91–45);

S. Res. 23, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency (S. Rept. 91–46);

S. Res. 79, requesting $550,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce (S. Rept. 91–47);

S. Res. 84, requesting $129,400 for operating funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia (amended to reduce amount to $57,000) (S. Rept. 91–48);

S. Res. 66, extending authority of Committee on Fi-

nance to hire six additional clerical assistants (amended to make such authority permanent) (S. Rept. 91–49);

S. Res. 64, requesting $275,000 for operating funds for Committee on Foreign Relations (amended to reduce amount to $260,000) (S. Rept. 91–50);

S. Res. 26, requesting $698,500 for the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 91–51);

S. Res. 25, requesting $155,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations (amended to reduce amount to $115,000) (S. Rept. 91–52);

S. Res. 38, requesting $63,852 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Government Research of Committee on Government Operations (amended to reduce amount to $63,800 through September 30, 1969) (S. Rept. 91–53);

S. Res. 27, requesting $175,211 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations of Committee on Government Operations (amended to reduce amount to $130,000) (S. Rept. 91–54);

S. Res. 24, requesting $105,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 91–55);

S. Res. 60, requesting $160,000 for operating funds for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs (S. Rept. 91–56);

S. Res. 39, requesting $244,820 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $210,000) (S. Rept. 91–57);

S. Res. 40, requesting $623,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $525,000) (S. Rept. 91–58);

S. Res. 42, requesting $139,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $120,000) (S. Rept. 91–59);

S. Res. 43, requesting $220,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $200,000) (S. Rept. 91–60);

S. Res. 52, requesting $130,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $95,000) (S. Rept. 91–61);

S. Res. 44, requesting $142,000 for Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures of the Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $120,000) (S. Rept. 91–62);

S. Res. 41, requesting $9,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations of Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 91–63);

S. Res. 47, requesting $213,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $200,000) (S. Rept. 91–64);

S. Res. 45, requesting $200,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization of Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 91–65);

S. Res. 46, requesting $475,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Internal Security of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $450,000) (S. Rept. 91–66);

S. Res. 48, requesting $257,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $225,000) (S. Rept. 91–67);

S. Res. 54, requesting $5,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries of Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 91–68);

S. Res. 49, requesting $117,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights of the Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $105,000) (S. Rept. 91–69);

S. Res. 50, requesting $109,227 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $100,000) (S. Rept. 91–70);

S. Res. 51, requesting $48,950 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $48,900) (S. Rept. 91–71);

S. Res. 81, requesting $695,400 for operating funds for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (amended to reduce amount to $550,000) (S. Rept. 91–72);

S. Res. 80, requesting $72,000 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (amended) (S. Rept. 91–73);

S. Res. 63, requesting $250,000 for expenses of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (amended to reduce amount to $200,000) (S. Rept. 91–74);

S. Res. 34, requesting $240,000 for operating funds for Committee on Public Works (S. Rept. 91–75);

S. Res. 31, requesting $105,000 for Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of Committee on Rules and Administration (S. Rept. 91–76);

S. Res. 57, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 91–77);

S. Res. 68, requesting $250,000 for operating funds for Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs (amended to reduce amount to $150,000) (S. Rept. 91–78);

S. Res. 76, requesting $214,000 for operating funds for the Special Committee on Aging (amended to reduce amount to $200,000) (S. Rept. 91–79); and

S. Res. 65, requesting $25,000 (for Committee on Foreign Relations) to enable the Senate to respond to invitations from foreign governments (S. Rept. 91–80).

Washington's Farewell Address: Vice President appointed Senator Fannin to read Washington's Farewell Address to the Senate on Friday, February 21.

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Senator Bartlett Eulogies: Order was entered that at conclusion of routine morning business on Wednesday, February 19, there will be a period for the delivery of memorial addresses on the life, character, and public service of the late Senator Bartlett. Page 3420

Appointment to Commission: Vice President appointed Senator Bellmon to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission in lieu of Senator Hruska, resigned therefrom. Page 3420

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 70 measures, 34 of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: S. 129, 130, 132, 147, 148, 151, 153–157, 572, 113, 127, 149, 76, 85, 378, 490, 573, 584, and 586, private bills.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: S. 131, 112, 165, 256, 495, 510, 678, 682, 686, 109, 319, and 458, private bills.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

The following 15 resolutions providing operating funds for committees and subcommittees, titles of which will be found under "Resolutions reported" above, were adopted without amendment: S. Res. 59, 56, 22, 23, 79, 26, 24, 60, 41, 45, 54, 34, 31, 57, and 65.

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

The following 21 resolutions providing operating funds for committees and subcommittees titles of which will be found under "Resolutions reported" above, were adopted with amendment: S. Res. 27, 84, 66, 64, 25, 38, 39, 42, 43, 52, 44, 47, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51, 81, 80, 63, and 76. Pages 3496–3518, 3521–3540, 3547–3549

Antitrust and Monopoly: Senate made its unfinished business S. Res. 40, requesting $623,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of Committee on the Judiciary (amended to reduce amount to $525,000). Pages 3518–3521

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Edwin S. Cohen, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Jerome M. Rosow, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; Creed C. Black, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW; James M. Beggs, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; James D. Braman, of Washington, and Paul W. Cherington, of Massachusetts, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; John A. Hannah, of Michigan, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development; James D. O'Connell, of California, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; numerous Army; eight Navy in the rank of admiral; numerous Air Force; and the withdrawal of the nomination of U. Alexis Johnson, of California, to be U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund, and U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Pages 3554–3560

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from Dr. Edward R. Willett, chairman, Massachusetts Consumers' Council, who was accompanied by Dermot Shea; William O. Doub, Maryland Public Service Commission; and Dick Herbert, Arizona Corporation Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 106 public bills, H.R. 6714–6819; 123 private bills, H.R. 6820–6942; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 439–449, H. Con. Res. 137 and 138, and H. Res. 243–249, were introduced. Pages 3359, 3414–3418

Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the following council and commissions: the Federal Records Council, the Joint Commission on Navajo-Hopi Indian Administration, and the National Advisory Commission on Low-Income Housing.

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Washington's Farewell Address: The Speaker appointed Representative Wampler to read Washington's Farewell Address on Thursday, February 20, 1969, immediately following the reading of the Journal.

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Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years;

H.R. 3689, to cede to the State of Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center, Fort Harrison, Mont.; and

H.R. 684, amended, to make certain technical corrections therein. Pages 3355–3359

Legal Representation: Adopted H. Res. 243, continuing the provisions of H. Res. 376, 90th Congress, author-

izing the Speaker to appoint legal counsel to represent the House of Representatives in the *Powell* case.

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Assistant Commandant of Marine Corps: By unanimous consent considered and passed H.R. 3832, amended, to provide for the grade of general for the Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps so long as such office is held by the present incumbent.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee continued open hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witness Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, who was accompanied by Hendrik S. Houthakker and Herbert Stein, members, all of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Budget Director Mayo.

Tuesday, February 18, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3602–3666

Bills Introduced: 42 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1035–1076; and S.J. Res. 49.

Pages 3610–3611

Report Filed: Report was made as follows: Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Activities of the Committee on Government Operations" (S. Rept. 91–81). Page 3631

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 3602

President's Message—Science: President transmitted message with the first report of the National Science Board, prepared pursuant to section 4(g) of the National Science Foundation Act, as amended by Public Law 90–407, and entitled "Toward a Public Policy for Graduate Education in the Sciences," together with a companion volume entitled "Graduate Education: Parameters for Public Policy"—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 3602

Committee Funds: Senate adopted S. Res. 40, providing $577,500 for operating funds for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of the Committee on the Judiciary, after adopting committee amendment as amended by Hart amendment to provide operating funds of $577,500 (rather than $593,000 as originally proposed in his amendment No. 3, which was indicated in Congressional Record as adopted without change). The resolution as reported by Committee on the Judiciary would have provided $623,500 for the subcommittee, and the resolution as reported by the Committee on Rules and Administration would have provided $525,000.

Senate also adopted, without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled), S. Res. 68, providing $250,000 for operating funds for Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs. This was done after rejection of committee amendment to reduce amount of funds to $150,000, following rejection of Ellender amendment (to committee amendment) to increase amount of funds to $165,000. Pages 3666–3690

Appointment to Commission: Vice President appointed Senator Hruska in lieu of former Senator Carlson to the James Madison Memorial Commission.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: Roger T. Kelley, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; one Army in the rank of general; two Navy in the rank of admiral; and three Air Force in the rank of general. Page 3720

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Secretary of State William P. Rogers and Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 20, when Secretary of Defense Laird and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff General Wheeler will testify.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its hearings

on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel. Witnesses heard were State Senator Henry Howell, Jr., of Norfolk, Va.; State Representative Norman S. Berson, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Mayor William Hunt, of Chester, Mont.

It was announced that the hearings will continue during the week beginning March 10.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education began hearings concerning recommendations for change in policy, organization, and administration in the field of education of American Indians. Witnesses heard were Don Wanatee, accompanied by Columbus Keahna and Pat Brown, all representatives of the Mesquakie Tribe, Tama, Iowa; Lehman Brightman, director of United Native Americans, San Francisco; and Ralph Nader, of Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held an executive meeting and agreed to make certain recommendations as a result of its recent series of hearings to investigate the implementation and execution of equal employment opportunity provisions of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968. These recommendations will be included in a report which will be printed as a committee print.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed its series of hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, with testimony today concerning malnutrition and related conditions in South Carolina. Witnesses heard were Senator Hollings; State Senator James Wadell, of Columbia, Thomas E. Barnwell, Jr., of Hilton Head, and William Grant, of Burton, all of South Carolina.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 136 public bills, H.R. 6943–7078; 88 private bills, H.R. 7079–7166; and 26 resolutions, H.J. Res. 450–462, H. Con. Res. 139–143, and H. Res. 250–257, were introduced. Pages 3723, 3747, 3790–3795

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 127, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Agriculture (H. Rept. 91–17);

H. Res. 131, investigative authority, Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries (H. Rept. 91–18);

H. Res. 143, investigative authority, Committee on Foreign Affairs (H. Rept. 91–19);

H. Res. 152, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Banking and Currency (H. Rept. 91–20);

H. Res. 189, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Public Works (H. Rept. 91–21);

H. Res. 192, investigative authority, Committee on Science and Astronautics (H. Rept. 91–22);

H. Res. 200, investigative authority, Committee on Education and Labor (H. Rept. 91–23);

H.R. 4214, amended, to amend the Communications Satellite Act of 1962 with respect to the election of the Board of Directors of Comsat (H. Rept. 91–24).

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Official Objectors: The following official objectors for the 91st Congress were announced: For the majority, Consent Calendar, Representatives Aspinall, Boland of Massachusetts, and McFall; majority, Private Calendar, Representatives Boland of Massachusetts, Davis of Georgia, and Edmondson; for the minority, Consent Calendar, Representatives Pelly, Hall, and Johnson of Pennsylvania; minority, Private Calendar, Representatives Duncan, Brown of Ohio, and Hunt. Page 3721

Committee Appointment: Adopted H. Res. 250, appointing Representative Chisholm to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Page 3723

Presidential Message: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the first annual report of the National Science Board to the Congress; the report was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics. Page 3723

Un-American Activities: By a record vote of 307 yeas to 80 nays the House adopted H. Res. 89, to change the name of the Committee on Un-American Activities to the Committee on Internal Security. The previous question was ordered by a record vote of 262 yeas to 123 nays. Pages 3723–3747

Internal Security: The House adopted H. Res. 251, electing Members to the Committee on Internal Security and referred matters formerly before the Committee on Un-American Activities to the Committee on Internal Security. Page 3747

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM—TAXES ON OILSEED PRODUCTS

Committee on Agriculture: Full committee held public hearings on H.R. 5554, and related bills, to provide a special milk program for children. Testimony was

heard from Representatives Quie, Steiger of Wisconsin, and public witnesses. Statements were submitted by Representatives Sebelius and Thomson of Wisconsin. Following the open session, the committee held an executive session and adopted unanimously a committee resolution favoring and supporting H. Con. Res. 91, a resolution expressing the opposition of Congress to the adoption by the European Economic Community of an internal tax on vegetable oils and meals. The committee's action was taken to express its concern over the impact such a tax would have on sales of American-grown soybeans and their products within the community.

STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE, AND JUDICIARY—INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee continued public hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ORIENTATION MEETING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee met in executive session with Secretary of the Interior Hickel and his staff. The Secretary will meet with the committee again on Wednesday.

COMMUNICATIONS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: In executive session ordered favorably reported H.R. 4214, amended, to amend the Communications Act re Board of Directors of Comsat. Prior to the executive session, the committee held an open hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from James McCormack, Chairman, Comsat.

PRIVATE CLAIMS—CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and agreed on procedure in its investigation of conglomerate mergers.

INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing and ordered reported the following resolutions:

H. Res. 143, investigative authority, Committee on Foreign Affairs. Testimony was heard from Chairman Morgan and Representative Adair.

H. Res. 131, investigative authority, Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. Testimony was heard from Chairman Garmatz and Representative Pelly.

H. Res. 200, investigative authority, Committee on Education and Labor. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representative Ayres.

H. Res. 192, investigative authority, Committee on Science and Astronautics. Testimony was heard from Chairman Miller of California and Representative Fulton of Pennsylvania.

H. Res. 127, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Agriculture. Testimony was heard from Chairman Poage and Representative Belcher.

H. Res. 152, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Banking and Currency. Testimony was heard from Chairman Patman and Representative Widnall.

H. Res. 189, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Public Works. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fallon and Representative Cramer.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held public hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on committee business. No announcements were made.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Began public hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Patman and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, receiving testimony from Robert P. Mayo, Director, and Samuel M. Cohen, Assistant Director for Budget Review, both of the Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Kennedy.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3883–3923

Bills Introduced: 18 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1077–1094; and S.J. Res. 50–51.

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Reports Filed: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Organization and Coordination of Federal Drug Research and Regulatory Programs: LSD" (S. Rept. 91–82); and

Report of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States," with individual views (S. Rept. 91–83).

Pages 3885–3886

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 3885

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences was discharged from further consideration of S. 121, recognizing the contributions made by Vincent J. Burnelli to aeronautical sciences in the U.S., with an amendment to authorize payment to his widow of $100,000. Page 3949

President's Message: President transmitted message announcing a number of steps intended to be taken for combating the "blight of poverty" and his intention of submitting recommendations for revising and extending the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, which is scheduled to expire June 30, 1970, and extending for another year the authorization for appropriations therefor, which at present runs only until June 30, 1969—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

Pages 3882–3883

Appointment to Commission: Vice President announced appointment of Senator Murphy to Joint Commission on the Coinage in lieu of former Senator Kuchel. Page 3884

Senator Bartlett Eulogies: Numerous Senators delivered memorial addresses in tribute to the life, character, and public services of the late Senator Bartlett.

Order was entered that these addresses be printed in one volume as a Senate document. Pages 3923–3943, 3964

Authority To Receive Messages: Authority was granted during the adjournments of Senate between today and noon Tuesday, February 25, for Secretary of Senate to receive messages from the President and the House.

Order was entered that Senate will adjourn at close of business today until 10 a.m. Friday, February 21, to hear reading of Washington's Farewell Address, following which, without transaction of any business, it will adjourn until noon Tuesday, February 25.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: G. Warren Nutter, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; John L. McLucas, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; Grant Hansen, of California, and Curtis W. Tarr, of California, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Thaddeus R. Beal, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Army; Eugene M. Becker, of Illinois, and William K. Brehm, of Michigan, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; James D. Hittle, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; John G. Veneman, of California, to be Under Secretary of HEW; James E. Allen, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW, and to be Commissioner of Education; Gilbert Hahn, Jr., of D.C., to be Chairman of the D.C. Council; Sterling Tucker, of D.C., to be Vice Chairman of the D.C. Council; and Jerry A. Moore, of D.C., to be a member of the D.C. Council.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held hearings on S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; William C. Colman, Executive Director, and David B. Walker, Assistant Director, both of the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; and James L. Martin, Office of Federal-State Relations, National Governors' Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 713, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif., and S. 714, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif. Witnesses heard were Edward P. Cliff, Chief, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Helen J. McGinnis, National Capital Wilderness Study Committee; Stewart M. Brandborg, accompanied by Rupert Cutler, both of the Wilderness Society; Rudd Crawford, Sierra Club, Monterey, Calif.; Eric Gerstung, Sierra Club, Sacramento; and Francis Walcott, San Francisco.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 1 week for the inclusion of additional written material.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education continued hearings concerning recommendations for change in policy, organization, and administration in the field of education of American Indians, having as its witnesses Dr. Jean Van Dusen, pediatrician, Tuba City Public Health Hospital, Ariz.; Dr. Glen Nimnicht and Dr. Francis McKinley, both of the Far West Laboratory for Research and Development, Berkeley, Calif.; Dr. Robert Rath and Alphonse Selinger, both of the Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory; Peter Petrafeso and Mrs. Rosemary Christensen, both of the Upper Midwest Regional Educational Laboratory, Minneapolis; William Antell, Minnesota State Department of Education; and Vincent Prince, Lloyd New, and Alvin Josephy, all Commissioners, Indian Arts and Crafts Board, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 24.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its series of hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, with further testimony concerning malnutrition and related conditions in South Carolina. Witnesses heard were Dr. James T. Carter, professor of nutrition, Vanderbilt University, Nashville; Dr. Robert Coles, University Health Services, Harvard University; Dr. E. J. Lease, School of Pharmacy, University of South Carolina; and Dr. Felix Lauter, Department of Biology, University of South Carolina.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. W. J. Hagood, of Little Retreat Clinic, Clover, Va.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 51 public bills, H.R. 7167–7217; 87 private bills, H.R. 7218–7304; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 463–472, H. Con. Res. 144–146, and H. Res. 258–262, were introduced. Pages 3973, 4028–4030

Presidential Message—Poverty: Received and read a Presidential message on poverty—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Pages 3964–3966

Presidential Message—Training: Received and read a Presidential message on Government employees' training—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 3966

Investigative Authority: The following resolutions regarding committee investigative authority were called up and agreed to:

H. Res. 189, Committee on Public Works (amended);

H. Res. 131, Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries;

H. Res. 200, Committee on Education and Labor;

H. Res. 192, Committee on Science and Astronautics;

H. Res. 152, Committee on Banking and Currency (amended);

H. Res. 127, Committee on Agriculture (amended); and

H. Res. 143, Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Communications Satellite Act: Under a unanimous consent request, the House passed, with an amendment, H.R. 4214, to amend the Communications Satellite Act of 1962 with respect to the election of the board of directors of the Communications Satellite Corp. This passage was subsequently vacated, and a similar Senate bill, S. 17, was passed in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 4214 as passed. Page 3973

Beauty Parlor: The House agreed to H. Res. 258, providing for a Select Committee on the House Beauty Parlor Operation. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed as members of the select committee Representatives Griffiths, Green of Oregon, and May. Pages 3970–3973

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Committee on Agriculture: Full committee held a hearing on H.R. 7, to amend the Rural Electrification Act to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program. Testimony was heard from Representative Kleppe and public witnesses.

INDEPENDENT OFFICES—HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices—Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION—MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 497, to amend section 301 of the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, as amended, and completed committee organization.

Prior to the executive session, the committee continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of

assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EUROPEAN MILITARY SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing on the military situation in Europe. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Department of Defense.

ORIENTATION MEETING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee met in executive session and continued the briefing with Secretary of the Interior Hickel and his staff.

AIRLINE SAFETY AND HIJACKING OF AIRPLANES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued public hearings on aviation safety and hijacking of airplanes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Full committee continued public hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from William T. Gossett, Esq., president, American Bar Association; John D. Feerick, Esq.; Dean Robert G. Storey; and Prof. James C. Kirby, Jr., Statements were submitted by Representatives Anderson of Illinois, Biaggi, Broomfield, Collier, Dingell, Howard, and Price of Illinois.

FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 248, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law. Testimony was heard from Russell E. Train, Under Secretary of the Interior, and public witnesses.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Representative Mize; Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology; and Dr. Clark Wescoe, Chancellor, University of Kansas.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Full committee continued public hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Rooney of New York, Conte, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy, who was accompanied and assisted by Under Secretaries Paul A. Volcker and Charls E. Walker.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Secretary of Labor Shultz.

Thursday, February 20, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of of Stanley R. Resor, to be Secretary of the Army; John S. Foster, Jr., to be Director of Defense Research and Engineering; Robert C. Moot, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller); Robert A. Frosch, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research and Development); Charles A. Bowsher, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management); Roger T. Kelley, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); James D. Hittle, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); and 1,313 nominations in the Army.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. Foster, Moot, Frosch, Bowsher, Kelley, and Hittle were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee announced that it will hold executive hearings on Thursday, February 27, to receive testimony on the military implications of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons from John S. Foster and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Also, committee announced assignments to subcommittees, as follows:

Central Intelligence

Senator Stennis, *Chairman*

Senator Symington	Senator Dominick
Senator Jackson	Senator Murphy

National Stockpile and Naval Petroleum Reserves

Senator Symington, *Chairman*

Senator Cannon	Senator Brooke
Senator Young of Ohio	Senator Goldwater
Senator Inouye	Senator Schweiker

Preparedness Investigating

Senator Stennis, *Chairman*

Senator Symington	Senator Thurmond
Senator Jackson	Senator Tower
Senator Cannon	Senator Brooke
Senator Young of Ohio	Senator Goldwater
Senator Inouye	Senator Schweiker
Senator McIntyre	

Military Construction Authorization

Senator Jackson, *Chairman*

Senator Ervin	Senator Thurmond
Senator Cannon	Senator Tower
Senator Byrd of Virginia	Senator Dominick

Status of Forces

Senator Ervin, *Chairman*

Senator McIntyre	Senator Murphy
Senator Byrd of Virginia	Senator Schweiker

Ex Officio Members of the Committee on Appropriations for Defense Appropriations

Senator Symington, *Chairman*

Senator Jackson	Senator Thurmond

Ex Officio Members of the Committee on Appropriations for Military Construction Appropriations

Senator Symington, *Chairman*

Senator Cannon	Senator Goldwater

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Senators Tydings and Mathias; Mayor Thomas D'Alessandro, of Baltimore, representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors and the National League of Cities; Prince Georges County (Maryland) Commissioner Gladys Spellman, representing the National Association of Counties; and L. Thomas Appleby, of New York, representing the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 25.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its series of hearings to study the food, medical, and other related basic needs of the people of the United States, with further testimony concerning malnutrition and related conditions in South Carolina. Witnesses heard were Charles Frazier and Mrs. Landon Butler, Jr., both of Sea Pines Plantation Co., Hilton Head, S.C.; Paul Mathias, South Carolina Human Relations Council, Columbia; Agnes Robinson, Economic Opportunity Commission of Beaufort, S.C.; Hazel Frazier, of Beaufort Welfare Rights Union; DeQuincy Newman, NAACP; and Peter Caprioglio, Albany Junior College, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Robert H. Moser, Director of Medicine, Walter Reed Medical Center, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue next week.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 71 public bills, H.R. 7305–7375; 49 private bills, H.R. 7376–7424; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 473–478, H. Con. Res. 147–149, and H. Res. 263–274, were introduced. **Pages 4069–4070, 4096–4098**

Washington's Farewell Address: Pursuant to a special order agreed to on February 17, George Washington's Farewell Address was read to the House by Representative Wampler. **Pages 4065–4069**

Joint Committee Appointments: Agreed to H. Res. 263, electing Members to be members of certain joint committees of Congress. The appointments are as follows:

Joint Committee on Printing: Mr. Friedel, Mr. Dent, and Mr. Lipscomb.

Joint Committee on the Library: Mr. Friedel, Mr. Thompson of New Jersey, Mr. Podell, Mr. Corbett, and Mr. Harvey. **Pages 4069–4070**

Disposition of Executive Papers: Agreed to H. Res. 264, relative to the membership of the Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed as members of the committee Representatives Nedzi and Pettis. **Page 4070**

Minority Appointment: Agreed to H. Res. 265, appointing John J. Williams, a minority employee, to fill an existing vacancy. Page 4070

Territorial Expansion Memorial Commission: The Speaker appointed as members of the U.S. Territorial Expansion Commission Representatives Hays, Sullivan, and Camp, on the part of the House. Page 4088

Lewis and Clark Trail Commission: The Speaker appointed as members of the Lewis and Clark Trail Commission Representatives Hungate, Reuss, Berry, and Cunningham, on the part of the House. Page 4088

Mortgage Rates Study: The Speaker appointed as members of the commission to study mortgage interest rates and the availability of mortgage credit at a reasonable cost to the consumer Representatives Sullivan and Brock, on the part of the House. Page 4088

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 26. Page 4070

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted the Clerk to receive messages from the Senate, and for the Speaker to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions. Page 4070

Presidential Message—Headstart Program: Received and read a Presidential message regarding responsibility for administering the Headstart program—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Page 4088

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 7, to amend the Rural Electrification Act to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative O'Konski.

INDEPENDENT OFFICES—HUD, INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices—Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee met in executive session and adopted rules for organization and operation of the committee.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Committee met in executive session with the Secretary of State, Hon. William P. Rogers.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Internal Security: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

AIRLINE SAFETY AND HIJACKING OF AIRPLANES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Committee continued hearings on aviation safety and hijacking of airplanes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Moss, Horton, and Mr. Clarence Mitchell, director, Washington Bureau, NAACP. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Gilbert.

FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 248, and related bills, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law. Testimony was heard from Representative McCarthy and Government and public witnesses.

SALARY ADJUSTMENTS—COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported H.R. 7206, to provide adjustments in the salaries of the Vice President, the Speaker of the House, the President pro tempore of the Senate, and the majority and minority leaders of both Houses of the Congress, to restore the proper relationship between such salaries and the new salary rates for Federal executives, judges, and Members of Congress which became effective recently pursuant to a Presidential recommendation submitted in accordance with the provisions of Public Law 90–206.

The committee voted to submit, for printing as a House document, a report entitled "Job Evaluation and Ranking in the Federal Government."

The committee also adopted rules for organization and operation of the committee and its standing subcommittees.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Mr. Lucius P. Gregg, Jr., Director, Office of Research Coordination, and associate dean of sciences, Northwestern University, and Dr. Landrum Bolling, president, Earlham College.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from CIA Director Richard Helms.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witness Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 24.

Friday, February 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Comsat: Vice President appointed Senators Pastore and Scott to attend the Plenipotentiary Conference on Definitive Arrangements for the International Communications Satellite Consortium to be held at Washington, D.C., February 24 to March 21. Page 4124

President's Message—Electoral Reform: President transmitted message with his recommendations for certain reforms in the "Presidential selection mechanism"—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. This message was received during adjournment of Senate on February 20 under prior authorization. Page 4125

President's Message—Headstart Program: President submitted message transmitting report of special study on administration of the Headstart program—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. This message was received during adjournment of Senate on February 20 under prior authorization. Page 4124

Washington's Farewell Address: Senator Fannin read to the Senate George Washington's Farewell Address. Pages 4125–4129

Nominations: The following nominations were received during adjournment of Senate on February 20, pursuant to prior authorization: Walter H. Annenberg, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Great Britain; Jacob D. Beam, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics; John S. D. Eisenhower, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Belgium; Hilary J. Sandoval, of Texas, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; Lawrence M. Cox, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of HUD; Francis C. Turner, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration; Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; Donald L. Jackson, of California, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; Eugene T. Rossides, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; one judicial; three Army in the rank of general; and one Navy in the rank of admiral. Pages 4129–4130

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:49 a.m.

Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held an executive meeting to receive a briefing from CIA Director Richard Helms.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 7, to amend the Rural Electrification Act to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Monday, February 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings into certain aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses Allan Horne, Insurance Commissioner, accompanied by Ernst Fennell, Executive Assistant Commissioner, and John Norman Harkey, former Insurance Commissioner, all of the State of Arkansas; Burton J. Albertson, retired insurance examiner, Boise, Idaho; and Dempsey Travis, Chicago insurance agent, accompanied by Judson Miner, an attorney, and Milton Moses, an insurance broker.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education continued its hearings concerning recommendations for change in policy, organization, and administration in the field of education of American Indians, having as its witnesses Senators Goldwater and Gravel; Dr. Carl Marburger, Commissioner of Education for the State of New Jersey, and formerly with the Bureau of Indian Affairs; Dr. Leon Ovsiew, professor of educational administration, Temple University; William Pensoneau, National Indian Youth Council; and Dr. Alan Sorkin, Brookings Institution.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 99 public bills, H.R. 7425–7523; 44 private bills, H.R. 7524–7567; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 479–481 and H. Res. 275, were introduced.

Pages 4208–4211

Presidential Message—Electoral Reform: Received and read a message from the President on electoral reform; the message was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–78).

Pages 4205–4206

Presidential Message—Debt Limit: Received and read a message from the President on a revision of the debt limit; the message was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–79).

Pages 4206–4207

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES—HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices—Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

SUBCOMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: The following subcommittees were appointed:

Transportation and Aeronautics

Samuel N. Friedel, Maryland, *Chairman*

John D. Dingell, Michigan
J. J. Pickle, Texas
Daniel J. Ronan, Illinois
Brock Adams, Washington
Samuel L. Devine, Ohio
Glenn Cunningham, Nebraska
Albert W. Watson, South Carolina
Dan Kuykendall, Tennessee

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign transportation, (*b*) civil aeronautics (including Federal Aviation Administration and Civil Aeronautics Board), (*c*) inland waterways, (*d*) railroad retirement and unemployment, and (*e*) railroad labor.

Communications and Power

Torbert H. Macdonald, Massachusetts, *Chairman*

Lionel Van Deerlin, California
Fred B. Rooney, Pennsylvania
Richard L. Ottinger, New York
Richardson Preyer, North Carolina
James T. Broyhill, North Carolina
James Harvey, Michigan
Donald G. Brotzman, Colorado
Clarence J. Brown, Jr., Ohio

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign communications, (*b*) Weather Bureau, (*c*) petroleum and natural gas (including interstate oil compact), (*d*) interstate electric power.

Public Health and Welfare

John Jarman, Oklahoma, *Chairman*

Paul G. Rogers, Florida
David E. Satterfield III, Virginia
Peter N. Kyros, Maine
Robert O. Tiernan, Rhode Island
Ancher Nelsen, Minnesota
Tim Lee Carter, Kentucky
Joe Skubitz, Kansas
James F. Hastings, New York

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Public health and quarantine, (*b*) food and drugs, (*c*) hospital construction, (*d*) mental health and research, and (*e*) air pollution.

Commerce and Finance

John E. Moss, California, *Chairman*

John M. Murphy, New York
Ray Blanton, Tennessee
W. S. (Bill) Stuckey, Georgia
Bob Eckhardt, Texas
Hastings Keith, Massachusetts
G. Robert Watkins, Pennsylvania
James Harvey, Michigan
Fletcher Thompson, Georgia

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign commerce generally (including Federal Trade Commission and labeling), (*b*) secu-

rities and exchanges, (*c*) motor vehicle safety, (*d*) newsprint, pulp and paper, and brand names, (*e*) Trading With the Enemy and War Claims Acts, and (*f*) travel and tourism.

Special Subcommittee on Investigations

Harley O. Staggers, West Virginia, *Chairman*

Samuel N. Friedel, Maryland	William L. Springer, Illinois
Torbert H. Macdonald, Massachusetts	Samuel L. Devine, Ohio
John Jarman, Oklahoma	Hastings Keith, Massachusetts
John E. Moss, California	Glenn Cunningham, Nebraska

Chairman Staggers and Mr. Springer are members of each subcommittee, with voting privileges.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Blackburn and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witnesses Lawrence R. Klein, professor of economics, University of Pennsylvania; George L. Perry, professor of economics, University of Minnesota; Daniel B. Suits, professor of economics, University of Michigan; and Robert M. Williams, professor, Graduate School of Business, UCLA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, February 25, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4291–4394

Bills Introduced: 84 bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1095–1178; S.J. Res. 52–58; and S. Res. 98–99. **Pages 4296–4298, 4328–4394**

Report Filed: Report was made as follows: Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Improper Practices, Commodity Import Program, U.S. Foreign Aid, Vietnam," together with individual views (S. Rept. 91–84). **Pages 4390–4394**

President's Message—Debt Limit: President transmitted message proposing "that the Congress establish a new debt limit defined to accord with the unified budget concept"—referred to Committee on Finance. This message was received during adjournment on February 24 under prior authorization. **Pages 4290–4291**

President's Message—Postal Reform: President transmitted message urging prompt enactment of legislation to provide for (1) elimination of present statutory requirement for Presidential appointment and senatorial confirmation of postmasters, (2) appointment of postmasters by Postmaster General in the competitive civil service, and (3) prohibition of political considerations in the selection or promotion of postal employees—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 4291**

Communications Satellite: S. 17, relating to the method of the election of the board of directors of the Communications Satellite Corp., was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. **Pages 4329–4330**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Friday, February 28, to receive messages from the President and the House; Vice President was authorized to sign enrolled bills; and all committees were authorized to file reports, including minority, individual, or supplemental views. **Page 4364**

Committee Authorizations: Senate received and adopted S. Res. 99, to amend S. Res. 26 (adopted February 17) by providing that the Committee on Government Operations or any subcommittee thereof shall be empowered until January 31, 1970, rather than January 1, 1970, to require attendance of witnesses or production of documents at investigations. **Page 4394**

Confirmation: Senate confirmed nomination of James F. Battin, of Montana (presently serving as a Member of the U.S. House of Representatives), to be U.S. district judge for the district of Montana. **Page 4468**

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Charles H. Rogovin, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator, and Richard W. Velde, of Virginia, to be an Associate Administrator, both of Law Enforcement Assistance.

The following nominations were received during adjournment on February 21 under prior authorization: Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., of New York, and Robert A. Podesta, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; James T. Lynn, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, and Andrew E. Gibson, of New Jersey, to be Maritime Administrator, both of the Department of Commerce; C. Langhorne Washburn, of D.C., to be Director of U.S. Travel Service; G. Fred Steele, Jr., of North Carolina, to be Federal Cochairman of the Coastal Plains Regional Commission; W. Donald Brewer, of Colorado, to be Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission; Albert L. Cole, of Connecticut, to be a member of Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; Eugene M. Becker, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; and the withdrawal of one civilian nomination.

The following nominations were received during adjournment on February 24 under prior authorization: Richard E. Lyng, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; T. Carroll Atkinson, Jr., of South Carolina, and James H. Dean, of Kansas, each to be a member of the Federal Farm Credit Board, Farm Credit Administration; and 17 Air Force in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Finance: Committee announced formation of a Subcommittee on Veterans' Legislation, membership of which will be Senators Talmadge, chairman, Long, Hartke, Ribicoff, Bennett, Miller, and Jordan of Idaho.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Committee also approved a list of foreign service nominations, dated February 17, 1969.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Representative Gonzalez, whose statement was submitted for the record; David K. Hartley, American Institute of Planners; Ross Stapp, American Association of State Highway Officers; Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr., NAACP; and Phillip Tocker, Outdoor Advertising Association of America, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of James F. Battin, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Montana, prior to which action, in open hearings, Senators Mansfield and Metcalf appeared in behalf of the nominee.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into certain aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Oscar Goodman, Roosevelt University, Chicago; Gordon H. S. Scott, Chicago Legal Aid Bureau; and Prof. Dan Welty, Mankato State College School of Business, Minnesota.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nominations of James C. Counts, to be Director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Jerome M. Rosow, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; and Geoffrey H. Moore, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Also, it was announced that the Subcommittee on Labor will hold hearings on Thursday, February 27, on pending coal mine safety legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 62 public bills, H.R. 7568–7629; 62 private bills, H.R. 7630–7691; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 482–489 and H. Res. 276–277, were introduced.

Pages 4482–4485

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

A report on measuring hamlet security in Vietnam (H. Rept. 91–25);

H.R. 497, to amend section 301 of the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, as amended (H. Rept. 91–26); and

H.R. 7206, increase the salary of the Vice President and the leadership of the House (H. Rept. 91–27).

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Presidential Message—Postal Reform: Received and read a message from the President on reform of the postal system; the message was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed (H. Doc. 91–81). Page 4478

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session. No announcements were made.

CONSUMER CREDIT REGULATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs held a hearing on the subject of consumer credit regulations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing

on H.R. 517, to increase educational opportunities throughout the Nation by providing grants for the construction of elementary and secondary schools and supplemental educational centers. Testimony was heard from Representative Perkins and public witnesses.

INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session with William A. Ellis, AID Mission Director, Brazil, and James R. Fowler, Deputy United States Coordinator for the Alliance for Progress.

ORIENTATION MEETING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued orientation meeting with Secretary Hickel and his staff.

SECURITIES MARKET

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held hearings on the problems of the securities market. Testimony was heard from members of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE TAXATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on State Taxation of Interstate Commerce met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Representative Keith and public witnesses.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. H. Guyford Stever, president, Carnegie-Mellon University, and Dr. Philip Handler, Chairman, National Science Board.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witnesses Prof. George L. Bach, Graduate School of Business, Stanford University; Martin Bronfenbrenner, professor of economics, Carnegie-Mellon University; John M. Culbertson, professor of economics, University of Wisconsin; and Prof. Robert C. Turner, School of Business Administration, Indiana University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, February 26, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of David A. Hamil, of Colorado, to be Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration; James V. Smith, of Oklahoma, to be Administrator, Farmers Home Administration; and Richard E. Lyng, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee received testimony from Senator Allott in behalf of Mr. Hamil, and from Senator Bellmon and Representatives Belcher and Camp in behalf of Mr. Smith. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held its executive organizational meeting and announced assignments to subcommittees, as follows:

(The names of ex officio members appear in italic. Senator Russell, as chairman of the committee, and Senator Young, as ranking minority member, are ex officio members of all subcommittees of which they are not regular members.)

Agriculture, Related Agencies

Senators Holland, chairman, Russell, Stennis, McGee, Proxmire, Yarborough, Byrd, Hruska, Young, Mundt, Fong, and Boggs.

Ellender, Eastland, and *Aiken.*

Mr. Schafer, staff assistant.

Defense

Senators Russell, chairman, McClellan, Ellender, Stennis, Pastore, Magnuson, Mansfield, Young, Smith, Mundt, Allott, and Hruska.

Symington, Jackson, and *Thurmond.*

Messrs. Woodruff and Hewitt, staff assistants.

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Senators Russell, McClellan, Ellender, Young, and Mundt.

Deficiencies, Supplementals

Senators Byrd, chairman, Pastore, Holland, Ellender, McClellan, Magnuson, Stennis, *Russell,* Mundt, Young, Smith, Hruska, and Allott.

Mr. Scott, staff assistant.

District of Columbia

Senators Proxmire, chairman, Yarborough, Montoya, *Russell,* Pearson, and Young.

Engleton, Spong, and *Mathias.*

Mr. Jordan, staff assistant.

Foreign Operations

Senators McGee, chairman, Ellender, McClellan, Holland, Montoya, *Russell,* Fong, Cotton, Pearson, and *Young.*

Mr. Pujol, staff assistant.

Independent Offices

Senators Pastore, chairman, Magnuson, Ellender, Russell, Holland, Stennis, Mansfield, Allott, Smith, Hruska, Cotton, Case, and *Young.*

Also on Aeronautical and Space Activities: *Anderson, Symington,* and *Curtis.*

Mr. Cooper, staff assistant.

Interior, Related Agencies

Senators Bible, chairman, McClellan, Byrd, McGee, Proxmire, Montoya, *Russell,* Mundt, Young, Boggs, and Fong.

Mr. Eaton, staff assistant.

Labor, Health, Education, and Welfare, Related Agencies

Senators Magnuson, chairman, Russell, Stennis, Bible, Byrd, Holland, Cotton, Case, Fong, Boggs, and *Young.*

Mr. Downey staff assistant.

Legislative

Senators Montoya chairman, Proxmire, Yarborough, *Russell,* Pearson, Cotton, and *Young.*

Mr. Scott, staff assistant.

Military Construction

Senators Mansfield, chairman, Bible, Proxmire, Yarborough, *Russell,* Boggs, Pearson, Fong, and *Young.*

Symington, Cannon, and *Goldwater.*

Mr. Rexroad, staff assistant.

Public Works

Senators Ellender, chairman, Russell, McClellan, Magnuson, Holland, Stennis, Bible, Byrd, Pastore, McGee, Young, Hruska, Mundt, Smith, Allott, Case, and Cotton.

Also on Rivers and Harbors items: *Randolph, Young* of Ohio, and *Cooper.*

Also on Atomic Energy items: *Anderson, Gore,* and *Aiken.*

Mr. Bousquet, staff assistant.

State, Justice, Commerce, the Judiciary, Related Agencies

Senators McClellan, chairman, Ellender, Pastore, Mansfield, *Russell,* Smith, Hruska, Case, and *Young.*

Also on Diplomatic and Consular items: *Fulbright, Sparkman,* and *Aiken.*

Mr. Merrick, staff assistant.

Transportation

Senators Stennis, chairman, Magnuson, Pastore, Bible, McGee, Mansfield, *Russell,* Case, Mundt, Smith, Allott, Pearson, and *Young.*

Mr. Witeck, staff assistant.

Treasury and Post Office and Executive Office

Senators Yarborough, chairman, Byrd, Montoya, *Russell,* Boggs, Allott, and *Young.*

Also on Post Office items: *McGee, Randolph,* and *Fong.*

Mr. Gonzales, staff assistant.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Eugene M. Becker, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army (Financial Management); William K. Brehm, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); G. Warren Nutter, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs); Thaddeus R. Beal, to be Under Secretary of the Army; John L. McLucas, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; Grant Hansen, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Research and Development); Maj. Gen. Frederick J. Clarke, for appointment as Chief of Army Engineers; and 1,339 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. Becker, Brehm, Nutter, Beal, McLucas, and Hansen, and General Clarke were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Mr. Nutter was introduced to the committee by Senator Byrd of Virginia, and Mr. Beal was introduced to the committee by Senator Brooke.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Lawrence M. Cox, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr., of Texas, to be Administrator, Small Business Administration, prior to which action, in open session, Representative Whitehurst and Ellis W. James, of Norfolk, testified in connection with the nomination of Mr. Cox. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John G. Veneman, of California, to be Under Secretary of HEW; Edwin S. Cohen, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; and Creed C. Black, of Illinois, and Patricia Reilly Hitt, of California, each to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW.

Also, committee approved with amendment S. 1022, requiring advice and consent of the Senate in future ap-

pointments to the Office of Administrator of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

WORLD SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the world situation from Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

U.S. COMMITMENTS ABROAD

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad met in executive session for organizational purposes.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Moss; Representative Koch; Lawson B. Knott, Administrator, General Services Administration; Berkeley G. Burrell, National Business League; and Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau. A statement of the National Urban League was submitted for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held its annual conference with officials of the National Reclamation Association to discuss items of mutual interest in the fields of reclamation and water resources.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into certain aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses Tennessee Insurance Commissioner David M. Pack, accompanied by Paul Tidwell, Deputy Commissioner; F. Tom Eanes, an insurance consultant of Boise, Idaho; and Arthur Levitt, Jr., a partner in a New York insurance firm.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 4.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 86, to print as a Senate document a corrected report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Nature and Control of Aircraft Engine Exhaust Emissions"; S. Res. 87, to print as a Senate document report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution"; S. Res. 88, to print as a Senate document report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Air Pollution Abatement by Federal Facilities"; and S. Con. Res. 5, to print additional copies of hearings held on the nomination of Walter J. Hickel, to be Secretary of the Interior.

Committee authorized the Sergeant at Arms to proceed with the installation of touch-tone telephones in the Senate. Committee also considered several other items of business of a housekeeping nature. Committee also agreed to limitations on the number of mailings processed by the Senate service department.

Also, committee received testimony from representatives of the Sergeant at Arms, Architect of the Capitol, and an acoustical consulting firm relative to the installation of a speech reinforcement system for the Senate Chamber. Committee will meet in executive session on Wednesday, March 5, to consider further this matter.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Paul F. Wehrle, School of Medicine, University of Southern California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 103 public bills, H.R. 7692–7794; 68 private bills, H.R. 7795–7862; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 490–494, H. Con. Res. 150–153, and H. Res. 278–283, were introduced. Pages 4632–4636

Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Conference. Page 4507

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session on pending business.

SUBCOMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for organization of subcommittees.

CONSUMER CREDIT REGULATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs continued hearings on the subject of consumer credit regulations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from Representative Talcott and public witnesses.

INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session to continue briefing with William A. Ellis, AID Mission Director, Brazil.

ORGANIZATIONAL—PORTRAIT PRESENTATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and presented to Chairman Dawson a portrait of himself to be hung in the committee room. The committee also completed organization of its subcommittees which are as follows:

Military Operations Subcommittee

Hon. Chet Holifield, *Chairman*

Edward A. Garmatz	Frank Horton
William S. Moorhead	Donald Rumsfeld
Fernand J. St Germain	John N. Erlenborn
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Government Activities Subcommittee

Hon. Jack Brooks, *Chairman*

William S. Moorhead	Ogden R. Reid
John C. Culver	John H. Buchanan
Floyd V. Hicks	Lowell P. Weicker, Jr.
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee

Hon. L. H. Fountain, *Chairman*

Benjamin S. Rosenthal	Florence P. Dwyer
John C. Culver	Clarence J. Brown
John A. Blatnik	Guy Vander Jagt
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	

Executive and Legislative Reorganization Subcommittee

Hon. John A. Blatnik, *Chairman*

Robert E. Jones	John N. Erlenborn
Benjamin S. Rosenthal	Clarence J. Brown
Chet Holifield	Paul Findley
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Foreign Operations and Government Information Subcommittee

Hon. John E. Moss, *Chairman*

Torbert H. Macdonald	Ogden R. Reid
William J. Randall	Donald Rumsfeld
John S. Monagan	Frank Horton
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Legal and Monetary Affairs Subcommittee

Hon. Dante B. Fascell, *Chairman*

Cornelius E. Gallagher	William O. Cowger
Jim Wright	John T. Myers
Fernand J. St Germain	John W. Wydler
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Conservation and Natural Resources Subcommittee

Hon. Henry S. Reuss, *Chairman*

Jim Wright	Guy Vander Jagt
Floyd V. Hicks	Gilbert Gude
John E. Moss	Paul N. McCloskey, Jr.
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

Special Studies Subcommittee

Hon. John S. Monagan, *Chairman*

William S. Moorhead	John W. Wydler
Cornelius E. Gallagher	John T. Myers
Benjamin S. Rosenthal	William O. Cowger
William L. Dawson (ex officio)	Florence P. Dwyer (ex officio)

SECURITIES MARKET

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on the problems of the securities market. Testimony was heard from members of the New York Stock Exchange.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181 and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Held hearings on pending water pollution legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Vanik, Bevill, Steiger of Wisconsin, and Teague of California.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frederick Seitz, President, National Academy of Sciences and Dr. S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Resumed hearings on the legislative recommendations of veterans' organiza-

tions. Testimony was heard from the national commander, DAV; the national president, Paralyzed Veterans of America and a representative of the American Veterans' Committee.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witness William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, February 27, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on the military implications of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons from John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering; and Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Committee will continue these executive hearings tomorrow.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, after receiving testimony from Richard C. Van Dusen, Under Secretary, accompanied by Sherman Unger, General Counsel, both of Department of Housing and Urban Development; Frank Turner, Director, Bureau of Public Roads, accompanied by John Jamieson, Acting Federal Highway Administrator; John O'Marra, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Facilities, accompanied by David A. Nelson, General Counsel, Post Office Department; and Woodrow L. Berge, Director of Real Estate, accompanied by Loney W. Hart, Chief, Legislative Services Office, and Roy Markon, Chief, Acquisition Division, all of the Corps of Army Engineers.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings in connection with recently increased grazing fees on public lands, receiving testimony from Senators Bennett and McGee; Russell E. Train, Under Secretary, accompanied by Boyd Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, both of the Department of the Interior; Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Edward Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on S. 355, S. 467, S. 1094, and S. 1178, bills to improve the health and safety conditions of coal miners, having as its witnesses Senator Randolph; W. A. Boyle, president, United Mine Workers of America; Steven Dunn, president, National Coal Association; and Eugene A. Creany, an attorney of Ebensburg, Pa., who was accompanied by several retired miners.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed its series of hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and legislative implications of the recent oil pollution at Santa Barbara, Calif., having as its witnesses today Senator Ribicoff and Rear Adm. Robert W. Goehring, Chief, Office of Operations, U.S. Coast Guard.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of the Interior Hickel will testify.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Herbert L. Ley, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 66 public bills, H.R. 7863–7928; 30 private bills, H.R. 7929–7958; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 495–503, H. Con. Res. 154, and H. Res. 284–285, were introduced. Pages 4757–4759

Reports: A report was filed as follows: Report on job evaluation and ranking in the Federal Government (H. Rept. 91–28). Page 4757

Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Battin announcing his resignation from the House of Representatives. Page 4734

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 5, 1969. Page 4754

Appointments: The Speaker appointed Members to the National Fisheries Center and Aquarium Advisory Board. Page 4754

Lobbying Act Reports: Quarterly Lobbying Act reports apepar in this issue of the Record. Pages 4760–4787

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session on pending business.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and completed subcommittee assignments.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4814, amended, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until June 30, 1969.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met with the directors of the National Reclamation Association.

SECURITIES MARKET

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on the problems of the securities market. Testimony was heard from members of the National Association of Securities Dealers.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Representative Teague of California and Admiral Trimble, Coast Guard. Committee adjourned subject to call of Chair.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on pending water pollution legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development concluded hearings on H.R. 35, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. Samuel M. Nabrit, executive director, Southern Fellowship Fund; Dr. Henry Riecken, director, Social Science Research Council, and Mr. Peter Muirhead, Associate Commissioner for the Bureau of Higher Education, U.S. Office of Education.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee No. 1

Foundations: Their Impact on Small Business

Wright Patman, *Chairman*

Joseph P. Addabbo
William L. Hungate
Daniel E. Button
J. William Stanton

Subcommittee No. 2

Taxation and Oil Imports

Tom Steed, *Chairman*

John C. Kluczynski — J. William Stanton
John D. Dingell — James T. Broyhill

Subcommittee No. 3

Small Business Problems in Smaller Towns and Urban Areas

John C. Kluczynski, *Chairman*

Tom Steed — Frank Horton
James C. Corman — Laurence J. Burton

Subcommittee No. 4

Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business

John D. Dingell, *Chairman*

Neal Smith — Silvio O. Conte
William L. Hungate — James T. Broyhill

Subcommittee No. 5

Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems

Neal Smith, *Chairman*

Joseph P. Addabbo — Laurence J. Burton
William L. Hungate — Frank Horton

Subcommittee No. 6

Government Procurement

James C. Corman, *Chairman*

John C. Kluczynski — James T. Broyhill
Joseph P. Addabbo — Daniel E. Button

Chairman Evins and ranking minority Member Conte are ex officio members of all subcommittees.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witnesses William M. Roth, former special representative for trade negotiations; Maurice H. Stans, Secretary of Commerce; and Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 5.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Joint Committee on Printing: Committee held its executive organizational meeting where it elected Senator Jordan of North Carolina and Representative Friedel its chairman and vice chairman, respectively.

Also, committee conducted routine business, including approval of interim activities of the joint committee since its last meeting of September 17, 1968.

Friday, February 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4894–4945

Bills Introduced: 68 bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1179–1246; S.J. Res. 59–62; S. Con. Res. 9; and S. Res. 100

Pages 4829-4831, 4893, 4925–4926

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following four resolutions were reported during adjournment of Senate February 27 under prior authorization:

S. Res. 86, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Nature and Control of Aircraft Engine Exhaust Emissions" (S. Rept. 91–85);

S. Res. 88, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Air Pollution Abatement by Federal Facilities" (S. Rept. 91–86);

S. Res. 87, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution" (S. Rept. 91–87); and

S. Con. Res. 5, to print additional copies of hearings held on the nomination of Walter J. Hickel, to be Secretary of the Interior (S. Rept. 91–88).

The following two bills were reported today:

S. 1058, to extend until April 1, 1971, period within which President may transmit to Congress plans for reorganization of agencies in the executive department (S. Rept. 91–89); and

S. 1022, requiring advice and consent of the Senate in future appointments to the Office of Administrator of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–90). Page 4829

Bill Rereferred: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 1168, private bill, and it was rereferred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 4828

Appointments to Commissions: Vice President announced appointment of Senators Tower and Percy as members of the National Advisory Commission on Low-Income Housing, and the appointment of Senator Church as a member of the U.S. Territorial Expansion Memorial Commission in lieu of former Senator Morse.

Page 4899

Government Reorganization: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1058, to extend until April 1, 1971, period within which President may transmit to Congress plans for reorganization of agencies in the executive department. Page 4900

Printing: Semiannual report of the Architect of the Capitol for period ending December 31, 1968, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–8. Page 4827

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Robert C. Moot, of Virginia, and Roger T. Kelley, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; John S. Foster, of Virginia, to be Director of Defense Research and Engineering; Charles A. Bowsher, of Illinois, Robert Alan Frosch, of Maryland, and James D. Hittle, of Virginia, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Richard E. Lyng, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; David A. Hamil, of Colorado, to be Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration; numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service; and numerous Army. Page 4945

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Carl L. Klein, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Mitchell Melich, of Utah, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior; Robert L. Kunzig, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of General Services; Paul W. Eggers, of Texas, to be General Counsel for the Department of the Treasury, and Betty Higby, of Colorado, to be Superintendant of the Mint at Denver. Page 4945

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued executive hearings to receive testimony on the military implications of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons. Today's witnesses were Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; and Gerard C. Smith, Director, Adrien Fisher, Deputy Director, and Lt. Gen. John Davis, Assistant Director, all of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Gilbert Hahn, Jr., Sterling Tucker, and Jerry A. Moore, all to be members of the D.C. Council, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Testimony was also received from numerous D.C. witnesses.

REORGANIZATION PLANS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee announced that it had ordered favorably reported S. 1058, extending period within which the President may transmit to the Congress reorganization plans for the executive branch.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings in connection with recently increased grazing fees on public lands, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses, including representatives of various conservation and other organizations.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its series of hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and legislative implications of recent oil pollution at Santa Barbara, Calif., having as its witness Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 3.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATION—REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on organizational matters and to consider pending real estate projects. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Armed Forces.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Monday, March 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of James M. Beggs, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; Paul W. Cherington, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; and Donald L. Jackson, of California, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Jackson was received from Senator Murphy. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee held an executive meeting and took the following actions:

Confirmed the present staff of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations.

Adopted a motion delegating to the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations all of the authority and powers of the full Committee on Government Operations contained in S. Res. 26, agreed to February 17, 1969, as amended by S. Res. 99, agreed to February 25, 1969.

Adopted a motion delegating to the following subcommittees all of the authority and powers of the full Committee on Government Operations, under the following resolutions:

S. Res. 24—agreed to February 17, 1969; to the National Security and International Operations Subcommittee;

S. Res. 27—agreed to February 17, 1969; to the Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations;

S. Res. 25—agreed to February 17, 1969; to the Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization; and

S. Res. 38, agreed to February 17, 1969; to the Subcommittee on Government Research.

Authorized the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations to hold public and/or executive hearings on certain matters pending before that subcommittee.

Adopted a motion that the matter of the return of the subpenas served on Alan and Margaret McSurely be heard in executive session, tomorrow, March 4, or any other adjourned dates thereafter.

Adopted a motion that the matter of the testimony of certain witnesses concerning currency manipulations at military installations in Vietnam and other areas overseas be heard on Wednesday, March 5, and any other adjourned dates thereafter, in either executive sessions or public hearings.

Adopted Rules of Procedure of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations.

Reconfirmed the following membership of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations: Senators McClellan, chairman, Jackson, Ervin, Muskie, Ribicoff, Mundt, Javits, Percy, and Griffin.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency began hearings to receive testimony concerning conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, having as its witnesses Arlen Specter, district attorney for Philadelphia; and Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, D.C. Department of Corrections.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its series of hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and legislative implications of recent oil pollution at Santa Barbara, Calif., having as its witnesses James T. Ramey, member, Atomic Energy Commission; Col. Alvin Meyer, Jr., Department of Defense Environmental Pollution Control Committee; and Brig. Gen. F. P. Koisch, Office of the Corps of Engineers, Army.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 10, when former Interior Secretary Udall will testify.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 85 public bills, H.R. 7959–8043; 93 private bills, H.R. 8044–8136; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 504–512 and H. Res. 286, were introduced.

Pages 5052–5055

Coast Guard Board of Visitors: The Speaker announced that the chairman of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee has appointed, as members of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy, Representatives Clark, Lennon, and Grover, Jr.; Representative Garmatz, ex officio member. Page 4989

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1058, to extend until April 1, 1971, period within which President may transmit to Congress plans for reorganization of agencies in the executive department—referred to the Committee on Government Operations. Page 5052

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD—INTERIOR—LABOR—HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and HUD met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Labor—Health, Education, and Welfare met in executive session on pending business.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for

elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

STANDING SUBCOMMITTEES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

(NOTE.—The chairman and ranking minority Member are ex officio members of all standing subcommittees.)

National Security Policy and Scientific Developments

Clement J. Zablocki, Wisconsin, *Chairman*

Wayne L. Hays, Ohio
Robert N. C. Nix, Pennsylvania
L. H. Fountain, North Carolina
Cornelius E. Gallagher, New Jersey
Donald M. Fraser, Minnesota
Vernon W. Thomson, Wisconsin
William S. Broomfield, Michigan
Paul Findley, Illinois
James G. Fulton, Pennsylvania
Robert Taft, Jr., Ohio

State Department Organization and Foreign Operations

Wayne L. Hays, Ohio, *Chairman*

Clement J. Zablocki, Wisconsin
Leonard Farbstein, New York
John S. Monagan, Connecticut
Donald M. Fraser, Minnesota
Dante B. Fascell, Florida
John V. Tunney, California
F. Bradford Morse, Massachusetts
William S. Mailliard, California
Vernon W. Thomson, Wisconsin
Sherman P. Lloyd, Utah
William V. Roth, Jr., Delaware

Near East

L. H. Fountain, North Carolina, *Chairman*

Leonard Farbstein, New York
William T. Murphy, Illinois
John S. Monagan, Connecticut
Edward R. Roybal, California
Lester L. Wolff, New York
E. Y. Berry, South Dakota
Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen, New Jersey
John Buchanan, Alabama
H. R. Gross, Iowa
Sherman P. Lloyd, Utah

Inter-American Affairs

Dante B. Fascell, Florida, *Chairman*

John S. Monagan, Connecticut
Edward R. Roybal, California
Lee H. Hamilton, Indiana
Abraham Kazen, Jr., Texas
Benjamin S. Rosenthal, New York
John C. Culver, Iowa
William S. Mailliard, California
J. Irving Whalley, Pennsylvania
H. R. Gross, Iowa
F. Bradford Morse, Massachusetts
James G. Fulton, Pennsylvania

Europe

Leonard Farbstein, New York, *Chairman*

Wayne L. Hays, Ohio
Cornelius E. Gallagher, New Jersey
John S. Monagan, Connecticut
Lee H. Hamilton, Indiana
L. H. Fountain, North Carolina
Jonathan B. Bingham, New York
Gus Yatron, Pennsylvania
Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen, New Jersey
Edward J. Derwinski, Illinois
James G. Fulton, Pennsylvania
Paul Findley, Illinois
Robert Taft, Jr., Ohio
J. Herbert Burke, Florida
William V. Roth, Jr., Delaware

Africa

Charles C. Diggs, Jr., Michigan, *Chairman*

William T. Murphy, Illinois
Robert N. C. Nix, Pennsylvania
Benjamin S. Rosenthal, New York
John C. Culver, Iowa
J. Irving Whalley, Pennsylvania
F. Bradford Morse, Massachusetts
William S. Broomfield, Michigan
Edward J. Derwinski, Illinois

Asian and Pacific Affairs

William T. Murphy, Illinois, *Chairman*

Cornelius E. Gallagher, New Jersey
Lee H. Hamilton, Indiana
Charles C. Diggs, Jr., Michigan
John V. Tunney, California
Lester L. Wolff, New York
Jonathan B. Bingham, New York
William S. Broomfield, Michigan
J. Irving Whalley, Pennsylvania
William S. Mailliard, California
Vernon W. Thomson, Wisconsin
John Buchanan, Alabama
E. Y. Berry, South Dakota

International Organizations and Movements

Cornelius E. Gallagher, New Jersey, *Chairman*

Dante B. Fascell, Florida
L. H. Fountain, North Carolina
Donald M. Fraser, Minnesota
Benjamin S. Rosenthal, New York
Edward R. Roybal, California
Abraham Kazen, Jr., Texas
H. R. Gross, Iowa
Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen, New Jersey
Paul Findley, Illinois
J. Herbert Burke, Florida

Foreign Economic Policy

Robert N. C. Nix, Pennsylvania, *Chairman*

Clement J. Zablocki, Wisconsin
John C. Culver, Iowa
John V. Tunney, California
Gus Yatron, Pennsylvania
Edward J. Derwinski, Illinois
E. Y. Berry, South Dakota
Robert Taft, Jr., Ohio
John Buchanan, Alabama

SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE

Subcommittee for Review of Foreign Aid Programs

Thomas E. Morgan, Pennsylvania, *Chairman*

Clement J. Zablocki, Wisconsin
Wayne L. Hays, Ohio
L. H. Fountain, North Carolina
Dante B. Fascell, Florida
E. Ross Adair, Indiana
William S. Mailliard, California
Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen, New Jersey
William S. Broomfield, Michigan

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCarthy and Koch and public witnesses. These hearings are suspended until Monday morning, March 10, at 10 a.m.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through February 28, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	26	29	..
Time in session	87 hrs., 26′	48 hrs., 13′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	2,198	1,356	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	1,536
Public bills enacted into law	..	2	2
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	106	53	..
Senate bills	37	1	..
House bills	1	5	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
House concurrent resolutions	4	3	..
Simple resolutions	62	42	104
Measures reported, total	*146	*24	..
Senate bills	38	..	..
House bills	1	8	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	4	..	..
Simple resolutions	101	16	117
Special reports	5	4	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	..	2	..
Measures introduced, total	1,417	8,900	10,317
Bills	1,246	7,958	9,204
Joint resolutions	62	503	565
Concurrent resolutions	9	154	163
Simple resolutions	100	285	385
Quorum calls	7	7	..
Yea-and-nay votes	9	10	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 90 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 28 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through February 28, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 3,334, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,461
Unconfirmed	873
Air Force nominations, totaling 1,286, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	809
Unconfirmed	477
Navy nominations, totaling 7,306, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,295
Unconfirmed	11
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 4,343, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,343
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,529, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	719
Unconfirmed	794
Withdrawn	16
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	18,426
Total confirmed	15,803
Total unconfirmed	2,155
Total withdrawn	468

Tuesday, March 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5098–5204

Bills Introduced: 125 bills and 68 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1247–1371; S.J. Res. 63–69; and S. Res. 101–161. Pages 5107–5110, 5130, 5234–5135

President's Message—Coal Mine Safety: President transmitted message with his legislative proposals for a comprehensive new program to attack health and safety dangers in the coal mining industry—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 5098

Bill Rereferred: S. 1198, relating to taxation by States of income earned in interstate commerce, was rereferred to Committee on Finance after Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from its further consideration. Page 5147

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed five measures, as follows:

With amendment and cleared for House:

Department of HEW: S. 1022, requiring advice and consent of the Senate in future appointments to the Office of Administrator of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 88, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Air Pollution Abatement by Federal Facilities"; and

Printing: S. Res. 87, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution."

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 86, to print as a Senate document a report of the Secretary of HEW entitled "Nature and Control of Aircraft Engine Exhaust Emissions"; and

Printing: S. Con. Res. 5, to print additional copies of hearings held on the nomination of Walter J. Hickel, to be Secretary of the Interior. Pages 5103–5104

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournments or recesses of Senate until Tuesday, March 11, to receive messages from the President and it was made in order for such messages to be appropriately referred.

All committees were authorized until noon Friday, March 7, to file reports, including any minority, individual, additional, or supplemental views. Pages 5103, 5259

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Edwin S. Cohen, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; John G. Veneman, of California, to be Under Secretary of HEW; Patricia Reilly Hitt, of California, and Creed C. Black, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW; Lawrence M. Cox, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr., of Texas, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; G. Warren Nutter, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; John L. McLucas, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; Grant Hansen, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Stanley R. Resor, of Connecticut, to be Secretary of the Army; Thaddeus R. Beal, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Army; William K. Brehm, of Michigan, and Eugene M. Becker, of New York, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; numerous Army, including four in the rank of general; 10 Navy in the rank of admiral; and numerous Air Force, including three in the rank of general. Page 5259

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FCC

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings to receive a progress report on the activities of the Federal Communications Commission during the past year. Participating in this session were Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, and Robert E. Lee, James J. Wadsworth, and Kenneth A. Cox, all members of the FCC.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other FCC officials.

TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment, having as its witnesses R. Buckminster Fuller, research professor, Southern Illinois University; Dr. Anthony J. Weiner, research management council, Hudson Institute, Croton-on-Hudson, New York; Prof. John Cantlon, Michigan State University, and president, Ecological Society of America; Dr. Emmanuel G. Mesthene, program on technology and society, Harvard University; and Louis H. Mayo, vice president for advanced studies and professor of law, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, in executive session, resumed its hearings concerning riots in American cities, having as its witnesses Alan and Margaret McSureley, alleged to be staff members of the Southern Conference

Educational Fund, Nashville, and who were subpenaed by the subcommittee to produce certain of their records and documents.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

WATER AND POWER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 743, authorizing funds to construct the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington, and S. 742, authorizing funds to construct the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington, receiving testimony from Senator Magnuson; Representative May; Gilbert G. Stamm, Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and Vernon Marll, Touchet Valley Irrigation District, and a county commissioner of Columbia County, Wash.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its hearings to receive testimony as to facilities and conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, having as its witnesses Thomas O. Murton, former superintendent of Arkansas State Penitentiary; and Philip J. Hirschkop, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 980, providing courts of the United States with jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the United States, with testimony from Louis Spector, Commissioner, Court of Claims, and Loren K. Olsen, a D.C. attorney.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed its hearings into certain aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses Ben Regan, director, AMK Corp.; Thomas Morrill, State Farm Mutual Auto Insurance Co.; and A. Adison Roberts, Reliance Insurance Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Robert A. Podesta, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Col. George D. Fink, Corps of Army Engineers, to be a member of the California Debris Commission.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senators Dirksen and Percy appeared in support of Mr. Podesta.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 72 public bills, H.R. 8137–8208; 52 private bills, H.R. 8209–8260; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 513–520, H. Con. Res. 155, and H. Res. 287–293, were introduced. **Pages 5285–5287**

Merchant Marine Board of Visitors: The chairman of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee has appointed as members of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy the following Members: Representatives Downing, Murphy of New York, and Mosher; Representative Garmatz, ex officio member. **Page 5260**

Presidential Message—Coal Mining Safety: Received and read a Presidential message regarding proposals for health and safety in the coal mining industry—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. **Pages 5263–5264**

Presidential Message—Armed Forces Awards: Received and read a Presidential message regarding awards for members of the Armed Forces for suggestions, inventions, and scientific achievements for calendar year 1968—referred to the Committee on Armed Services. **Page 5264**

Manpower and Training Act: Brought up under unanimous consent, but considered as if in the Committee of the Whole House, the House passed by a voice vote H.R. 497, to amend section 301 of the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. **Pages 5264–5266**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD—INTERIOR—LABOR—HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and HUD met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Interior met in executive session on pending business.

Subcommittee on Labor—Health, Education, and Welfare met in executive session on pending business.

U.S.S. *PUEBLO*

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* held a hearing on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations, and Rear Adm. Joseph McDevitt, Judge Advocate General, Navy.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Treasury Kennedy.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION—COAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH—IMPACTED AID

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

General Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on H.R. 4047, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States, and H.R. 4295, for the elimination of health dangers to coal miners resulting from the inhalation of coal dust. Testimony was heard from the Honorable Walter J. Hickel, Secretary of the Interior, and Mr. John F. O'Leary, Director, U.S. Bureau of Mines.

General Subcommittee on Education held hearings on H.R. 1285, to consider children living in federally assisted public housing as federally connected children for purposes of educational assistance to federally impacted areas. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY BASES IN SPAIN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session with Mr. Ralph Earle, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, and Mr. George W. Landau, Country Director for Spain and Portugal, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State, for a briefing on military bases in Spain.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on the subject of grazing fees. Testimony was heard from Representatives Johnson of California, Wold, Ullman, McClure, and Hansen of Idaho, Philip Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, and Russell Train, Under Secretary, Department of Interior.

SECURITIES MARKET—FEDERAL AIRPORTS—FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on the problems of the securities market. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Stock Exchange.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 2668, to provide that the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Agency shall not undertake certain projects to improve or expand Federal airports without specific authorization for such projects. Testimony was heard from Arven H. Saunders, Director, Bureau of National Capital Airports.

Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing to discuss with members of the Federal Power Commission the major problems of the Commission and the industry.

REFORM OF CRIMINAL LAWS—IMMIGRATION—PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 4297, to amend the act of November 8, 1966 (re: National Commission for Reform of Criminal Laws).

Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session to consider private claims bills.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, and Charles Baker, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Transportation.

STANDING SUBCOMMITTEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Manpower and Civil Service

Mr. Henderson, *Chairman*

Mr. Nix	Mr. Gross
Mr. White	Mr. Derwinski
Mr. Hamilton	Mr. Lukens
Mr. Brasco	

Postal Rates

Mr. Olsen, *Chairman*

Mr. Udall	Mr. Johnson
Mr. Purcell	Mr. Cunningham
Mr. Hamilton	Mr. Button
Mr. Tiernan	

Compensation

Mr. Udall, *Chairman*

Mr. Olsen	Mr. Button
Mr. Waldie	Mr. Johnson
Mr. Ford	Mr. Hogan
Mr. Hamilton	

Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits

Mr. Daniels, *Chairman*

Mr. Henderson	Mr. Scott
Mr. Hanley	Mr. Meskill
Mr. Brasco	Mr. Lukens
Mr. Nix	

Postal Operations

Mr. Nix, *Chairman*

Mr. Daniels	Mr. Cunningham
Mr. Wilson	Mr. Derwinski
Mr. White	Mr. McClure
Mr. Ford	

Position Classification

Mr. Hanley, *Chairman*

Mr. Tiernan	Mr. McClure
Mr. Waldie	Mr. Cunningham
Mr. Ford	Mr. Meskill
Mr. Purcell	

Census and Statistics

Mr. Wilson, *Chairman*

Mr. Waldie	Mr. Derwinski
Mr. Tiernan	Mr. Scott
Mr. Purcell	Mr. Hogan
Mr. White	

NOTE: Chairman Dulski and Mr. Corbett are ex officio voting members of each subcommittee.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on pending water pollution legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a hearing on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Continued hearings on the legislative recommendations of veterans' organizations. Testimony was heard from Richard W. Homan, national commander in chief, VFW.

Joint Committee Meetings

SENTINEL ABM PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held executive hearings to review the Sentinel antiballistic missile program, receiving testimony from Dr. Norris Bradbury, director, and Dr. Harold Agnew, both of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico; Michael May, director, Livermore Laboratory, California; Lt. Gen. Austin W. Betts, Chief of Research and Development, Army; and C. Robert Wieser, Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

Wednesday, March 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of T. Carroll Atkinson, Jr., of South Carolina, and James H. Dean, of Kansas, to be members of the Federal Farm Credit Board.

FCC

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings to receive a progress report on activities of the Federal Communications Commission during the past year, with testimony from Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Robert E. Lee, James J. Wadsworth, Kenneth Cox, H. Rex Lee, and Nicholas Johnson, members, all of the FCC.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Wednesday, March 12, to receive the views concerning crime and violence on television from representatives of the three major networks, advertising agencies, and the Surgeon General of the United States.

TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. Thomas F. Malone, the Travelers Insurance Co., Hartford; Dr. John Dessauer, Xerox Corp., Rochester; Allen M. Voorhees, American Institute of Planners; and P. Willard Crane, National Association of Manufacturers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on various aspects of the auto insurance industry, with testimony from Marvin Finell, Great American Insurance Co., and the National General Corp.; from J. A. Livingston, an economic consultant; and from Clyde Cunnigan, Associates Investment, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Continuing its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee had as its witnesses Hulett C. Smith, former Governor of West Virginia; and Allan C. Hubanks, executive director, Correctional Service of Minnesota.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Economic Development began hearings on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, and S. 1090, proposed Regional Development Act of 1969,

having as its witnesses Senator Scott; Gov. Raymond P. Shafer, of Pennsylvania; Joe W. Fleming, Federal Co-chairman, and Charles Lanigan, New York State representative, both of the Appalachian Regional Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SENATE CHAMBER SOUND SYSTEM, AND PRINTING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee met in executive session and ordered favorably reported S. Res. 98, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Utah"; and an original resolution authorizing the installation in the Senate Chamber of a voice reinforcement system and auxiliary appurtenances.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 68 public bills, H.R. 8261–8328; 32 private bills, H.R. 8329–8360; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 521 and 522, H. Con. Res. 156–158, and H. Res. 294–298, were introduced. Pages 5342, 5369, 5382–5384

North Atlantic Assembly: The Speaker appointed as members of the U.S. Group of the North Atlantic Assembly the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Hays, Chairman, Rodino, Rivers, Clark, Brooks, Arends, Bates, Findley, and Quie.

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Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter of resignation from Representative Chamberlain, whereby he resigns his membership on the Armed Services Committee and the House Administration Committee.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 294, electing Representative Chamberlain to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 5342

Late Report: Permission was granted the Committee on Banking and Currency to file a report on H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association, until midnight Saturday, March 8. Page 5350

Pan-American Day: Agreed to H. Res. 295, designating Monday, April 14, 1969, for the celebration of Pan-American Day. Page 5369

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 5382

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* continued hearings on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations, Rear Adm. Joseph McDevitt, Judge Advocate General, Navy, and Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

ORGANIZATION MEETING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from Representative Fraser and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session with the Honorable William P. Rogers, Secretary of State.

SEARCH AND RESCUE OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held a hearing in continuation of last year's hearings on study of search and rescue operations for U.S. citizens and craft in foreign areas. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on the subject of grazing fees. Testimony was heard from Senator Hansen, Representative Dingell, and public witnesses.

WAR CLAIMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 2669, to amend section 213(a) of the War Claims Act of 1948 with respect to claims of certain nonprofit organizations, and H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict. Testimony was heard from Representatives Friedel, Bob Wilson, and Rogers of Colorado; Chairman Sutton, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and public witnesses.

CAB

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing to receive a report from the Civil Aeronautics Board regarding the adequacy of air service.

HEW PROBLEMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held a hearing at which the Honorable Robert H. Finch, Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare appeared before the committee to discuss some of the problems of the Department.

PIPELINE SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing to discuss with the Office of Pipeline Safety, Department of Transportation, the regulations issued under the Pipeline Safety Act.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATIONAL OBSERVANCES AND HOLIDAYS—NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 2171, to establish a Commission on National Observances and Holidays, and H.R. 4600, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Incorporate the National Education Association of the United States," approved June 30, 1906.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, continued his testimony.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4148, and related bills, Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Ashley and Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from officials of NASA.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the President's request to redefine and increase the debt ceiling. Testimony was heard from Representative Patman, Secretary of the Treasury Kennedy, Under Secretary of the Treasury Volker, Director of the Budget Bureau Mayo, and former Secretary of the Treasury Joseph Barr.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its series of hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, having as its witness George Meany, president, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, March 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported four nominations in the Army and Navy.

Committee also adopted a report of its Subcommittee on Treatment of Deserters From Military Service, with two reservations dealing with Recommendations Nos. 13 and 14 of said report.

Also, committee considered the matter of military implications of the Treaty on the Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

Committee announced formation of three ad hoc subcommittees to consider certain aspects of S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the titles and membership of which subcommittees are as follows:

Bomber Defense: Senator Stennis (chairman), Senators Inouye, McIntyre, Smith, Dominick, and Murphy.

Tactical Air Power: Senator Cannon (chairman), Senators Symington, Jackson, Young of Ohio, Thurmond, Tower, and Goldwater.

Research and Development: Senator McIntyre (chairman), Senators Young of Ohio, Byrd of Virginia, Brooke, and Murphy.

NOMINATION, AND MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES STUDY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Betty Higby, of Colorado, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Denver; and S.J.

Res. 37, extending until July 1, 1969, time for making final report by the commission to study mortgage interest rates.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities heard Hamer Budge, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, testify and answer questions in connection with problems in the securities industry.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the following nominations: James D. O'Connell, of California, for reappointment as Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness (Telecommunications Management); Albert L. Cole, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; James D. Braman, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; James T. Lynn, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, Department of Commerce; Andrew E. Gibson, of New Jersey, to be Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; C. Langhorne Washburn, of the D.C., to be Director of the U.S. Travel Service; and Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Testimony in behalf of Mr. Washburn was received from Senators Javits and Goodell. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY REPORT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session and agreed to draft language in its report on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs held hearings to receive testimony on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, havng as its witnesses Gerard C. Smith, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, United States; Dr. Daniel Fink, former Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering; Hans A. Bethe, Cornell University; and Dr. J. P. Ruina, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 11.

TECHNOLOGY AND THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment, receiving testimony from Dr. Jerome Weisner, Provost, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. Chauncey Starr, National Academy of Engineering, and dean, School of Engineering, UCLA; Dr. Harvey Brooks, National Academy of Science, and dean of engineering and applied physics, Harvard University; and Dr. Herbert A. Simon, professor of computer science and psychology, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its series of hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, having as its witnesses Joseph R. Rowan, executive director, John Howard Association, Chicago; and Milton Luger, director, New York State Division for Youth.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Maryland witnesses.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Economic Development continued its hearings on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, and S. 1090, proposed Regional Development Act of 1969, receiving testimony on funds for regions, as follows:

Four Corners Regional Commission—Senator Moss; and Orren Beaty, Jr., Federal Cochairman;

Ozarks Regional Commission—Senator Harris; Gov. Dewey F. Bartlett, of Oklahoma, State Cochairman; William M. McCandless, Federal Cochairman; and

Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission—Senator Nelson; Gov. Harold LeVander, of Minnesota, State Cochairman; and Harold C. Jordahl, Jr., Alternate Federal Cochairman.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 92 public bills, H.R. 8361–8452; 55 private bills, H.R. 8453–8507; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 523–530, H. Con. Res. 159–161, and H. Res. 299 and 300, were introduced. Pages 5443–5447

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Postal Systems of the United States Armed Forces—Europe 1968" (H. Rept. 91–29); and

Report entitled "Special Study Mission to East and Southeast Asia" (H. Rept. 91–30). Page 5443

Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group: Read a letter of resignation from Representative Harvey

whereby he resigns from the U.S. delegation of the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Steiger of Arizona to fill the existing vacancy. Page 5425

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, March 12.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* continued hearings on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Ralph D. Steakley, Director of Operations, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

CONSUMER CREDIT REGULATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs continued hearings on the subject of credit regulations. Testimony was heard from J. L. Robertson, Governor, Federal Reserve Board.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION—SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and Child Nutrition Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from a Government witness.

WAR CLAIMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 2669, amended, to amend section 213(a) of the War Claims Act of 1948 with respect to claims of certain nonprofit organizations, and H.R. 4204, amended, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict.

FCC

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing to discuss with the Federal Communications Commission the major problems of the Commission and of the communications industry.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation concluded hearings on H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Further testimony was heard from Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard.

ARMED FORCES POSTAL SYSTEMS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and approved for printing as a House report, a report by Chairman Dulski on "Review of Armed Forces Postal Systems in Europe."

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4148, and related bills, Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ADVANCED RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held a hearing for general briefing on advanced research and technology. Testimony was heard from officials of NASA.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to discuss the administration's proposal to redefine and increase the debt ceiling. The committee instructed the chairman to introduce a bill, in which Mr. Byrnes will join, to raise the permanent debt ceiling to $365 billion with additional temporary authority of $12 billion, which would make the ceiling $377 billion for the fiscal year 1970. The bill will be introduced on Monday, March 10.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its series of hearings on the state of the economy and the administration's economic program, after receiving testimony from Dr. George D. Hagedorn, chief economist, National Association of Manufacturers; and Dr. Carl H. Madden, chief economist, Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Friday, March 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5499–5595

Bills Introduced: 75 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1372–1446; S.J. Res. 70–72; S. Con. Res. 10; and S. Res. 162.

Pages 5501–5503, 5523, 5543

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 98, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Utah" (S. Rept. 91–91); and

S.J. Res. 37, extending until July 1, 1969, time for making of a final report by the commission to study mortgage interest rates (S. Rept. 91–92). Page 5501

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of S. 414, to subject to Federal income tax the interest income sold out of the Agricultural Credit Insurance Fund, and the bill was then rereferred to the Committee on Finance. Page 5501

Manpower Development and Training: Senate took from desk and passed without amendment H.R. 497, providing that the minimum amount which can be apportioned to Trust Territory of the Pacific for job training under the Manpower Development and Training Act shall be $100,000. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 5524–5525

Appointments by Vice President: The Vice President made the following appointments:

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Military Academy—Senators Holland, Cannon, Hart, and Goodell;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy—Senators Magnuson, Tydings, Schweiker, and Gurney;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Air Force Academy—Senators Ellender, Burdick, Dominick, and Fannin;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy—Senator Byrd (Va.);

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy—Senator Montoya; and

To attend the meeting of the UN Standing Committee on the Peaceful Uses of the Seabed and the Ocean Floor Beyond the Limitation of National Jurisdiction, to be held at New York March 10–28 and August 11–28, 1969—Senators Pell and Mathias. Pages 5560, 5626

Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: Senate began consideration of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.). Pages 5608–5609

Treaty Reported: The Treaty on the Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), was reported, with supplemental views, during adjournment on March 6 under prior authorization (Ex. Rept. 91–1). Page 5499

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Four civilian, including those of Robert A. Podesta, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; Geoffrey H. Moore, of New Jersey, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; and James C. Counts, of California, to be Federal Mediation and Conciliation Director; three Army in the rank of general; and one Navy in the rank of admiral. Pages 5636–5637

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations during adjournment on March 6 under prior authorization: 12 civilian, including those of Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Administrator of NASA; Robert D. Moran, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor; John H. Shaffer, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration; Reginald Norman Whitman, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration; Carlos C. Villarreal, of California, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator; Lt. Gen. Robert E. Cushman, Jr., USMC, to be Deputy Director, CIA; Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State; Hollis M. Dole, of Oregon, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Leslie Lloyd Glasgow, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; three diplomatic and Foreign Service; one Army in the rank of general; 59 Navy in the rank of admiral; and numerous Marine Corps.

Senate received today the nominations of Peter A. Bove, of Vermont, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands, and of Henry Kearns, of California, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States. Pages 5633–5636

Recess: Recessed at 5:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Walter H. Annenberg, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Great Britain; Jacob D. Beam, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the U.S.S.R.; and John S. D. Eisenhower, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Belgium. Appearing in support of Messrs. Annenberg and Eisenhower were Senators Scott and Schweiker. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

WILDERNESS—LINCOLN BACK COUNTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 412, to classify as wilderness the Lincoln Back Country, Montana, with testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service, and Neal Rahm, Regional Forester, Missoula, both of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its series of hearings on condi-

tions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, having as its witnesses Joseph G. Cannon, Commissioner of Corrections, and Joseph D. Egeberg, Jr., Jail Programing and Inspection Officer, both of the State of Maryland.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 355, 467, 1094, and 1178, bills to improve the health and safety conditions of coal miners, having as its witnesses Secretary Walter J. Hickel and John T. O'Leary, Director of the Bureau of Mines, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 12.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Economic Development Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, and S. 1090, proposed Regional Development Act of 1969, receiving testimony on funds for regions, as follows:

Coastal Plains Regional Commission—Gov. Robert E. McNair, of South Carolina; Gov. Robert W. Scott, of North Carolina, State Cochairman; J. McDonald Wray, Alternate Federal Cochairman; and

Appalachian Regional Commission—Senator Thurmond; Charles D. Lanigan, New York State Office of Planning Coordination, who presented a statement of Governor Rockefeller; and John Whisman, States' Regional Representative.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SECURITIES MARKET

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on the problems of the securities market. Testimony was heard from the Honorable Manuel F. Cohen, former Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

MARINE RESOURCES AND ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography concluded hearings on H.R. 5829, to amend the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 to continue the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development for a period of 1 year.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 on March 4 approved for full committee action H.R. 4809, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act concerning admission of full-time religious functionaries.

Monday, March 10, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5682–5737

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1447–1465; and S.J. Res. 73–74. **Pages 5684–5685**

Printing: Senate adopted without amendment S. Res. 98, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Utah." **Pages 5682–5683**

Mortgage Interest Rates: S.J. Res. 37, extending until July 1, 1969, time for making of a final report by the commission to study mortgage interest rates, was passed without amendment. **Page 5683**

Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: Senate continued its consideration of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons. The pending question at recess was adoption of Executive Reservation No. 2 by Senator Ervin stating that United States does not obligate itself to use its Armed Forces to defend any non-nuclear-weapon state or any member of U.N. against any acts or threats of aggression even if accompanied by use or threatened use of nuclear weapons. **Pages 5682, 5737–5753**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Betty Higby, of Colorado, to be Superintendent of the Mint at Denver; and T. Carroll Atkinson, Jr., of South Carolina, and James H. Dean, of Kansas, each to be a member of the Federal Farm Credit Board, Farm Credit Administration. **Page 5759**

Nominations: 72 civilian nominations were received, including those of Charles A. Meyer, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and Richard E. Lyng, of California, and Don Paarlberg, of Indiana, each to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation. **Page 5759**

Recess: Recessed at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomi-

nations of Gilbert Hahn, Jr., Sterling Tucker, and Jerry A. Moore, to be members of the D.C. Council.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed its hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel. Witnesses heard were George I. Bloom, vice president, National Association of Railroad and Utilities Commissioners, and chairman of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, who was accompanied by Harry T. Westcott, North Carolina Utilities Commission, and Paul Rodgers, both also of NARUC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments resumed its series of hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, 20, 25, 30, 31, and 33), having as its witnesses Senators Holland and Goldwater; Representative Bingham; and former Representative Jeannette Rankin, of Montana.

Hearings continue tomorrow in room 2228 New Senate Office Building, and on Wednesday in 4221 New Senate Office Building.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and legislative implications of recent oil pollution at Santa Barbara, Calif., receiving testimony from Stewart L. Udall, former Secretary of the Interior; Peter N. Gammelgard, American Petroleum Institute, accompanied by Everett S. Checket, Mobil Oil Corp.; and Thomas O'Callaghan, International Organization of Masters, Mates, and Pilots, accompanied by Hoyt S. Haddock, both of the AFL–CIO Maritime Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 8508–8543; 40 private bills, H.R. 8544–8583; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 531 and H. Res. 301–305, were introduced.

Pages 5680–5682

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association (H. Rept. 91–31), filed on Friday, March 7; and

H.R. 8508, to increase the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act (H. Rept. 91–32). Page 5680

Late Report: Permission was granted to the Committee on Ways and Means to file a late report, until midnight tonight, on H.R. 8508. Page 5673

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* met in executive session to hear Lt. Gen. Marshall F. Carter.

DISTRIBUTION OF MINOR'S SHARE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 258, providing for the distribution of a minor's share of less than $1,000 in a decedent's estate, without the necessity of securing an appointment of a guardian of the minor for that purpose. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Testimony was heard from the Honorable Robert H. Finch, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization approved for full committee action S. 1058, extension of the Reorganization Act. Testimony was heard from Robert Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

HUNTING CREEK

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources held a hearing on the present condition of Hunting Creek, Va. Testimony was heard from Government and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from directors of the Chemical Propulsion, Space Power and Electric Propulsion, and Space Vehicles Divisions.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Senators Miller and Metcalf and Representatives Mayne and Culver and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION WITH UNITED KINGDOM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on proposed amendment to current agreement for cooperation with the United Kingdom for mutual defense. Witnesses heard included Dr. Gerald F. Tape, member, Atomic Energy Commission; Philip J. Farley, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; and Carl Walske, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Atomic Energy).

Tuesday, March 11, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5821–5872

Bills Introduced: 37 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1466–1502; S.J. Res. 75–77; and S. Res. 163. Pages 5824–5825, 5839

Report Filed: Report was made as follows: Report of Committee on Armed Services on treatment of deserters from military service (S. Rept. 91–93). Pages 5823–5824

American Legion: Senate received and adopted an original resolution, S. Res. 163, to mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of the American Legion. Pages 5894–5895

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during recess until 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 12, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives. Page 5917

Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: Senate continued its consideration of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), adopting, by 61 yeas to 30 nays, Pastore motion to table Ervin Executive Reservation No. 2 stating that United States does not obligate itself to use its Armed Forces to defend any non-nuclear-weapon state or any member of the U.N. against any acts or threats of aggression even if accompanied by use or threatened use of nuclear weapons. Pages 5821, 5871–5872, 5890–5917

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations to the District of Columbia Council: Gilbert Hahn, Jr., to be Chairman; Sterling Tucker to be Vice Chairman; and Jerry A. Moore to be a member. Page 5917

Nomination: Nomination of James R. Smith, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, was received. Page 5917

Recess: Recessed at 4:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from Lawrence N. Stevens, Acting Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Department of the Interior, and Acting Executive Officer, Lewis and Clark Trail Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began heariings on the D.C. crime problem, having as its witness Herbert J. Miller, former Chairman of the President's Commission on Crime in the D.C., who testified and answered questions regarding the various recommendations made by his Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs resumed hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, receiving testimony from Herbert York, professor of physics, University of California at San Diego; George Kistiakowsky, professor of chemistry, Harvard University; and James R. Killian, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 13.

OVERSEAS COMMITMENTS—SPANISH BASES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad began hearings, with testimony concerning current negotiations for continuation of our military installations in Spain from Under Secretary of State Elliot Richardson.

NOMINATION—GSA

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Robert L. Kunzig, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator, General Services Administration, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Senators Scott and Schweiker. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Kenneth L. Cox, member, Federal Communications Commission, and Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SALINE WATER PROGRAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources approved for full committee consideration S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970, prior to which action, in open session, testimony thereon was received from Dr. Jack Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water, Department of the Interior.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued its hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, 20, 25, 30, 31, and 33), receiving testimony today from Senators Yarborough, Curtis, and Goodell.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, having as its witness Robert Sarver, commissioner, Department of Corrections of the State of Arkansas.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Prof. Morris Adelman, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; and Walter L. Newton, Petroleum Economics Institute, London, England.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATOR

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Francis C. Turner, of Virginia, to be Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, prior to which action, in open session, Senator Byrd of Virginia was present to introduce the nominee. Mr. Turner testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 96 public bills, H.R. 8584–8679; 59 private bills, H.R. 8680–8738; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 532–534, H. Con. Res. 162 and 163, and H. Res. 306–313, were introduced. Pages 5981–5985

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Aircraft Piracy, Preliminary Report" (H. Rept. 91–33);

H.R. 4297, to amend the act of November 8, 1966 (H. Rept. 91–34);

H. Res. 213, to authorize the Committee on Government Operations to conduct studies and investigations with respect to matters within its jurisdiction, amended (H. Rept. 91–35);

H. Res. 282, to create a select committee to regulate parking on the House side of the Capitol (H. Rept. 91–36);

H. Res. 268, authorizing the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to conduct studies and investigations within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–37);

H. Res. 313, providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association (H. Rept. 91–38); and

H. Res. 306, to authorize the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct an investigation and study of prices of lumber and plywood (H. Rept. 91–39).

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter of resignation from Representative Podell whereby he resigns from the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library. Page 5943

American Legion: Agreed to H. Res. 302, relating to the 50th anniversary of the American Legion.

Pages 5943–5948

Late Report: Permission was granted to the Committee on Rules to file sundry late reports, until midnight tonight. Page 5948

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Lyng. Following the hearing, the committee met in executive session to consider this legislation but no action was taken.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for the Armed Forces.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session for organizational purposes.

CORRECTIONAL REHABILITATION STUDY ACT—NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8438, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969, and H.R. 515, amended, to amend the National School Lunch Act and Child Nutrition Act of 1966.

THE ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on "The Alliance for Progress: The Goals of the Alliance." Testimony was heard from Viron P. Vaky, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, and James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator for the Alliance for Progress.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Development held a hearing on the effects of space and weapons development on U.S. alliances and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jerome Wiesner, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Dr. Charles M. Hersfeld, director, Defense-Space Group, I.T. & T. Co., Nutley, N.J.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies met in executive session on pending business.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business.

OIL LEASES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session for briefing from the Department of the Interior on the problem of oil leases in the Santa Barbara Channel.

WAR CLAIMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 2669, amended, to amend section 213(a) of the War Claims Act of 1948 with respect to claims of certain nonprofit organizations. H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict was returned to the Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance for further consideration.

REFORM OF CRIMINAL LAWS—IMMIGRATION, NATIONAL OBSERVANCES AND HOLIDAYS, NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4297, to amend the act of November 8, 1966 (re: National Commission for Reform of Criminal Laws), H.R. 2171, relating to national observances and holidays, and H.R. 4600, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Incorporate the National Education Association of the United States," approved June 30, 1906. H.R. 4809, to amend section 101(a)(27)(D) of the Immigration and Nationality Act was referred back to Subcommittee No. 1 for further consideration.

OIL POLLUTION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 6495 and H.R. 6609, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program met in executive session for briefing on committee's continuing inquiry into the subject of highway safety, design, and operations.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON PARKING—INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY—IDA

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 282, to create a select committee to regulate parking on the House side of the Capitol. Testimony was heard from Chairman Sisk;

H. Res. 213, amended, investigative authority, Committee on Government Operations. Testimony was heard from Representatives Holifield and Erlenborn;

H. Res. 268, investigative authority, Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dulski, Udall, and Henderson;

H. Res. 306 (in lieu of H. Res. 279), to authorize the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct an

investigation and study of prices of lumber and plywood. Testimony was heard from Representatives Martin, Patman, and Widnall; and

H. Res. 313, an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patman, Reuss, and Widnall.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Directors Walton L. Jones, Biotechnology and Human Research Division, Frank J. Sullivan, Electronics and Control Division, and Hermann H. Kurzweg, Research Division.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight held hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Dr. George Mueller, Associate Administrator, Office of Manned Space Flight, NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held a hearing on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Dr. John E. Naugle, Associate Administrator, Space Science and Applications, NASA, and Mr. Jesse L. Mitchell, Director, Physics and Astronomy Programs, OSSA. Prior to the hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session for organizational purposes.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the subject of tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Wednesday, March 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6209–6256

Bills Introduced: 32 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1503–1534; and S. Res. 164–165.

Pages 6193, 6316, 6235–6236

Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: Senate continued its consideration of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), rejecting, by 17 yeas to 75 nays, Tower Executive Reservation No. 1 providing that the treaty shall not be construed as precluding furnishing of weapons or other materials for establishment of nuclear defenses to regional organizations established under article 52 of U.N. Charter.

Yeas and nays were ordered on Dodd Executive Understanding No. 2 providing that after Senate ratification, any military attack against another country by a nuclear-weapons state party to the treaty, would be regarded as a violation of its spirit and a threat to the security of other signatories justifying their withdrawal.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit debate on Dodd Executive Understanding No. 2 and on any other reservation or understanding offered, to 1 hour each, equally divided.

In legislative session, Senator Ervin offered S. Res. 164, declaring sense of Senate respecting obligations of United States so far as defense of other nations is concerned or so far as other treaties or U.N. Charter are concerned. Immediate consideration of this resolution was objected to and the resolution was ordered to lie over for 1 day under the rule.

Pages 6186–6187, 6189–6196, 6198–6209, 6256–6258

Treaty Received: Senate received Convention Establishing the World Intellectual Property Organization, and revision of the Paris Convention for Protection of Industrial Property (Ex. A, 91st Cong., first sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

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Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Richard E. Lyng, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation; Francis C. Turner, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration; and Robert L. Kunzig, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of General Services. **Page 6258**

Nominations: The following nominations were received after Senate recessed on March 11, pursuant to prior authorization: Preston Martin, of California, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; William B. Buffum, of New York, to be deputy representative to U.N. with rank and status of Ambassador; Christopher H. Phillips, of New York, to be deputy representative in U.N. Security Council; and Glenn A. Olds, of New York, to be representative on UNESCO.

Senate today received two Coast Guard nominations and withdrawal of nomination of William R. Tyler, of D.C., for promotion to the class of career ambassador.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the

Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, on funds for his Bureau; and Ruth G. Van Cleve, Director, and Joe Screen, Commissioner for Administration, both of the Office of Territories, on funds for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Office of Territories.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations: James D. O'Connell, of California, for reappointment as Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness (Telecommunications Management); Albert L. Cole, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; James D. Braman, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; James T. Lynn, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, Department of Commerce; Andrew E. Gibson, of New Jersey, to be Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; C. Langhorne Washburn, of the D.C., to be Director of the U.S. Travel Service; Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; James M. Beggs, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; Paul W. Cherington, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; and Donald L. Jackson, of California, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

CRIME AND VIOLENCE ON TV

Committee on Commerce: Communications Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony as to the harmful effects, if any, television programs with crime and violence have on young people, and on the Surgeon General's Study thereof. Witnesses heard were Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General of the United States; Dr. Frank Stanton, president, Columbia Broadcasting System; Julian Goodman, president, National Broadcasting Company; Leonard Goldenson, president, and Elton H. Rule, both of American Broadcasting Company; and Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, and Stockton Helffrich, code authority director, both of the National Association of Broadcasters.

Chairman Pastore released a letter he sent to the Secretary of HEW on March 5 requesting that the Surgeon General appoint a committee of distinguished men and women to conduct a study to determine what harmful effects, if any, television programs with crime and violence have on children.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continuing its D.C. crime hearings, committee heard testimony from Jay Ricks, Community Resources Policy Committee, and William W. Greenhalgh, Public Safety Committee, both of the Council of Governments; William Durrer, chief, Fairfax County (Virginia) Police Department; Francis J. Aluisi, chairman, Prince Georges County (Maryland) Commissioners; George Trubow, executive director, Governor's (Maryland) Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice; and Major Russell Hawes, Alexandria Police Department, and chairman of the Metropolitan Area Chiefs of Police Committee.

NATIONAL COMMITMENTS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 85, stating the sense of the Senate that a national commitment of the U.S. to a foreign power result from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality.

Committee also approved the nominations of Walter H. Annenberg, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Great Britain; Jacob D. Beam, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the U.S.S.R.; John S. D. Eisenhower, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Belgium; Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy, to be Governor of the International Monetary Fund, Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, a Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, and Governor of the Asian Development Bank; and lists of foreign service nominations dated January 9 and 19, and March 6.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, with testimony from Representatives Tiernan and Eckhardt, both of whom are sponsors of companion House measure, H.R. 4866; and Edwin P. Palumbo, executive director, Rhode Island Consumers' Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS—LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of Charles H. Ragovin, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance, and Richard W. Velde, of Virginia, to be Associate Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance, prior to which action, in open hearings, Senators Kennedy, Brooke, and Tydings appeared in support of the nominees.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on Government

intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witness Professor Walter J. Mead, University of California at Santa Barbara.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 24.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee continued its hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, 20, 25, 30, 31, and 33), having as its witnesses Senators Schweiker, Mundt, and Bible, the latter of whom submitted a statement; and Representative O'Hara.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300, bills to improve the health and safety conditions of coal miners, receiving testimony from Stephen F. Dunn, president, National Coal Association; John Corcoran, president, Consolidation Coal Co., Pittsburgh; Woods G. Tallman, chief inspector—coal, American Mining Congress; James R. Garvey, president, Bituminous Coal Research, Pittsburgh; and Guy Farmer, a D.C. attorney.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 131 public bills, H.R. 8739–8869; 45 private bills, H.R. 8870–8914; and 19 resolutions, H.J. Res. 535–546, H. Con. Res. 164–167, and H. Res. 314–316, were introduced. Pages 6051, 6157–6161

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 94, amended, 100, 106, 117, 118, amended, 132, amended, 148, 167, amended, 198, 204, amended, 217, amended, 256, amended, 260, amended, and 308 (H. Repts. 91–40 to 91–53, respectively) (see "Funding Resolutions" under "Committee Meetings" for titles of the above-mentioned resolutions);

H.R. 4600, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Incorporate the National Education Association of the United States," approved June 30, 1906 (34 Stat. 804) (H. Rept. 91–54);

H.R. 2171, relating to national observances and holidays (H. Rept. 91–55);

H.R. 1507, 2214, 2275, 1721, 2335, 2876, amended, 2940, 3213, amended, 3377, amended, 3348, 3379, amended, 3480, 3990, 5000, 6400, 6583, 6584, 6585, and 6378, all private bills (H. Repts. 91–56 to 91–74, respectively);

Report entitled "1966–68 Survey of Water Pollution Control and Abatement at Federal Institutions" (H. Rept. 91–75); and

H.R. 2669, to amend section 213(a) of the War Claims Act of 1948 with respect to claims of certain nonprofit organizations (H. Rept. 91–76). Page 6157

Late Report: The Committee on Government Operations received permission to file a late report on S. 1058, to extend the period within which the President may transmit to the Congress plans for the reorganization of agencies of the executive branch of the Government until midnight, Thursday, March 13. Page 6047

Presidential Message—Commodity Credit Corporation: Read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the annual report of the Commodity Credit Corporation—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 6047

Presidential Message—Arms Control and Disarmament: Read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the Eighth Annual Report of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Page 6047

Committee Funds: The following committee funding resolutions were called up and agreed to:

H. Res. 94, amended, Rules Committee;

H. Res. 100, Veterans' Affairs Committee;

H. Res. 106, Armed Services Committee;

H. Res. 117, Interior and Insular Affairs Committee;

H. Res. 118, amended, Judiciary Committee;

H. Res. 132, amended, Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee;

H. Res. 148, District of Columbia Committee;

H. Res. 167, amended, Agriculture Committee;

H. Res. 198, Ways and Means Committee;

H. Res. 204, amended, Standards of Official Conduct Committee;

H. Res. 217, amended, Select Committee on Small Business;

H. Res. 256, amended, Science and Astronautics Committee; and

H. Res. 260, amended, Foreign Affairs Committee.

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Committee Pay: Agreed to H. Res. 308, providing for the payment out of the contingent fund of the House of Representatives for a limited period of the salaries of certain House committee personnel newly appointed in the 91st Congress. Page 6051

Printing Authorized: Agreed to H. Res. 95, authorizing certain printing for the Select Committee on Small Business of the House of Representatives. Page 6051

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 314, electing Representative Brademas to the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library. Page 6051

International Development Association: The House passed, by a record vote of 247 yeas to 150 nays, H.R. 33, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the International Development Association.

Prior to that action, a motion to recommit the bill was rejected by a record vote of 241 nays to 155 yeas.

H. Res. 313, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier. Pages 6051–6070

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS

Committee on Agriculture: Met with officials of USDA to discuss existing marketing orders and procedures followed in establishing new marketing agreements and orders.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for the Armed Forces.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session to consider H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education.

THE ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress relating to the mechanics of development assistance. Testimony was heard from James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator for the Alliance for Progress and William T. Dentzer, Deputy U.S. Ambassador to the OAS and Deputy U.S. Representative on the Inter-American Committee of the Alliance for Progress.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session with Hon. Martin J. Hillenbrand, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

REORGANIZATION ACT—CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1058, extension of the Reorganization Act.

The committee also approved the following three reports from the Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources:

"1966–68 Survey of Water Pollution Control and Abatement at Federal Installations";

"Disposal of Rights in Indian Tribal Lands"; and

"Federal Air Pollution Research and Development: An Interim Report on Sulphur Oxides Pollution Abatement, R. & D."

FUNDING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and reported favorably to the House the following funding resolutions:

H. Res. 94, amended, providing funds for the Committee on Rules;

H. Res. 100, to provide funds for the expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 47 for the Committee on Veterans' Affairs;

H. Res. 106, to provide for the expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 105, authorizing the Committee on Armed Services to conduct a full and complete investigation and study of all matters relating to procurement by the Department of Defense, personnel of such Department, laws administered by such Department, use of funds by such Department, and scientific research in support of the armed services;

H. Res. 117, to provide funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 21, authorizing the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction;

H. Res. 118, amended, to provide funds for the Committee on the Judiciary;

H. Res. 132, amended, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 131 for the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries;

H. Res. 148, providing funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia;

H. Res. 167, to provide funds for the Committee on Agriculture;

H. Res. 198, to provide funds for necessary expenses of the Committee on Ways and Means;

H. Res. 204, amended, authorizing funds for the operation of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct;

H. Res. 217, amended, to provide funds for the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 66, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business;

H. Res. 256, amended, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 192, to authorize the Committee on Science and Astronautics to conduct studies and investigations and make inquiries with respect to aeronautical and other scientific research and development and outer space;

H. Res. 260, providing for expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 143 for the Committee on Foreign Affairs; and

H. Res. 308, providing for the payment out of the contingent fund of the House of Representatives for a limited period of the salaries of certain House committee personnel newly appointed in the 91st Congress.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining

to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from Senator Yarborough, Representatives Kleppe and Wylie and Mr. Harvie Williams, Director, Committee on Electoral College Reform, Washington, D.C. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Eilberg.

OIL POLLUTION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495 and H.R. 6609, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Milton Klein, manager, AEC–NASA SNPO, and Edgar M. Cortright, director, Langley Research Center.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Donald P. Hearth, director, planetary programs, OSSA, and Lee Scherer, director, Apollo lunar exploration programs.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Dr. George E. Mueller, associate administrator, Space Science and Applications; William S. Schneider, Mission Director, Apollo program, NASA, and Lee Scherer, director, Apollo lunar exploration programs.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the subject of tax reform. Testimony was heard from Senator Javits and Government and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 29 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1535–1563; S.J. Res. 78–79; S. Con. Res. 11; and S. Res. 166.

Pages 6327, 6398–6399, 6415–6416

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 408, relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of a wheelchair (S. Rept. 91–94);

S. 1081, to strike a medal in honor of dedication of Winston Churchill Memorial and Library at Fulton, Mo., with amendments (S. Rept. 91–95); and

S. 1130, to strike a medal commemorating the founding of the American Fisheries Society (S. Rept. 91–96).

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Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. **Page 6332**

President's Message—Weather: President transmitted, pursuant to S. Con. Res. 67 of the 90th Congress, the first annual plan for U.S. participation in the world weather program—referred to Committee on Commerce. **Pages 6323–6324**

Churchill Memorial Medal: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1081, to strike a medal in honor of dedication of Winston Churchill Memorial and Library at Fulton, Mo. **Pages 6393–6394**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, March 17, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and it was made in order for such messages to be appropriately referred.

All committees were authorized until noon Monday, March 17, to file reports. **Pages 6380–6395**

Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: By 83 yeas to 15 nays, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Prior to this action, Senate today rejected four proposed executive understandings, as follows:

Rejected: By 15 yeas to 81 nays, Dodd Executive Understanding No. 2 providing that after Senate ratification, any military attack against another country by a nuclear-weapons state party to the treaty, would be regarded as a violation of its spirit and a threat to the security of other signatories justifying their withdrawal and also that any such attack will automatically be regarded as an abrogation of the treaty making it null and void; by 15 yeas to 79 nays, Dodd Executive Understanding No. 3 that the United States and the Soviet Union deposit their instruments of ratification simultaneously at an agreed-upon time; by 17 yeas to 77 nays, Thurmond Executive Understanding No. 5 providing for treaty to be construed in accordance with answers given by United States to certain questions by other members of NATO regarding permissibility of (1) transfer of nuclear delivery systems so long as bombs or warheads are not involved, (2) consultations and planning on nuclear defense, (3) deployment of nuclear weapons by United States within territory of nonnuclear

NATO members, and (4) unification of Europe if a nuclear-weapon state is one of the constituent states; and, by 25 yeas to 69 nays, Ervin Executive Understanding No. 4 that United States does not obligate itself to use its Armed Forces to defend any non-nuclear-weapon state or any member of U.N. against any acts or threats of aggression even if accompanied by use or threatened use of nuclear weapons. Pages 6324, 6328–6380

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service, including those of Walter H. Annenberg, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Great Britain; Jacob D. Beam, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the U.S.S.R.; and John S. D. Eisenhower, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Belgium; David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, to be U.S. Governor of the International Monetary Fund, of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, and of the Asian Development Bank, and to be Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank; James D. Braman, of Washington, Paul W. Cherington, of Massachusetts, and Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary, James T. Lynn, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, and Andrew E. Gibson, of New Jersey, to be Maritime Administrator, each of the Department of Commerce; Donald L. Jackson, of California, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; James D. O'Connell, of California, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; C. Langhorne Washburn, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of U.S. Travel Service; Albert L. Cole, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; James M. Beggs, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; Preston Martin, of California, to be member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and numerous Environmental Science Services Administration.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Larry A. Jobe, of Illinois, and Myron Tribus, of New Hampshire, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; Lawrence H. Silberman, of Hawaii, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor; Henry Loomis, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Information Agency; and William Hill Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and numerous judicial.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony from Ruth Van Cleve, Director, Office of Territories; Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam; Owen S. Aspinall, Governor of American Samoa; John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife; Lawrence N. Stevens, Acting Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, all of the Department of the Interior; and Richard F. Droege, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Carlos C. Villarreal, of California, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator; Henry Kearns, of California, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the U.S.; and Preston Martin, of California, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; S. 408, relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of wheelchair; S. 1081, to strike a medal honoring Winston Churchill Memorial and Library; and S. 1130, to strike a medal commemorating the founding of the American Fisheries Society.

Prior to this action, in open session, the above-listed nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of John H. Shaffer, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, with testimony from Senator Tydings; Reginald N. Whitman, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration; and on Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior, with testimony from Senators Stevens and Gravel. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee will hold additional hearings tomorrow on Mr. Meacham's nomination.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs resumed its hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, with testimony from Dr. Carl Kaysen, Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton University; Prof. Marshall Shulman, Columbia University; and Prof. Alan Whiting, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 18.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on

S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from Representative Dingell; David C. Fullarton, who was accompanied by Robert J. Leigh, both of the National Telephone Cooperative Association; and Robert Marritz, Missouri Basin Systems Group.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 17.

ARCTIC OIL RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels received a briefing on the proposed use of icebreaking tankers to develop oil resources within the Arctic Circle of Alaska. Participating in this session were Russell Venn, member of the board of directors; Dr. J. F. Bennett, supply department; T. J. Fuson, marine department; and John Knodell, Washington office, all of the Humble Oil & Refining Corp.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued its series of hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President (S.J. Res. 1, 2, 4, 12, 20, 25, 30, 31, and 33), receiving testimony from Senators Cannon and Miller, whose statements were submitted for the record; Gus Tyler, Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, New York; J. Banks Young, National Cotton Council; Leon Schull, ADA; and James Kirby, National Small Business Association.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 20.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on pending bills to improve the health and safety of coal miners (S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300), having as its witnesses Senator Murphy; Dr. I. E. Buff, Committee of Physicians for Miners Health and Safety, Charleston, W. Va.; Dr. Donald L. Rasmussen, Appalachian Regional Hospital, Beckley, W. Va.; and Dr. H. Wells, Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital, Johnstown, Pa., who was accompanied by George A. Dougherty.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, with testimony from Dr. Blaise F. Alfano, American Society of Abdominal Surgeons; and John C. Krantz, Jr., Huntingdon Research Center, Inc., Baltimore.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 75 public bills, H.R. 8915–8989; 13 private bills, H.R. 8990–9002; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 547–551, H. Con. Res. 168, and H. Res. 317–320, were introduced. Pages 6480–6482

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8438, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969 (H. Rept. 91–77);

Report entitled "Disposal of Rights in Indian Tribal Lands Without Tribal Consent" (H. Rept. 91–78);

Report entitled "Federal Air Pollution Research and Development; an Interim Report on Sulfur Oxides Pollution Abatement R. & D." (H. Rept. 91–79); and

S. 1058, to extend the period within which the President may transmit to the Congress plans for the reorganization of agencies of the executive branch of the Government (H. Rept. 91–80). Page 6480

Presidential Message—World Weather Program: Read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the First Annual Report of the World Weather Program—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 6438

Suspensions: Agreed to consider on Tuesday, March 18, business under "Suspension of rules," instead of Monday, March 17, a regular "Suspension" day.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, March 19.

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Lumber Cost Investigation: Agreed to H. Res. 306, amended, to authorize the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct an investigation and study of prices of lumber and plywood. Pages 6439–6441

Parking Committee: Agreed to H. Res. 282, to create a select committee to regulate parking on the House side of the Capitol.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed as members of the committee the following: Representatives Sisk, chairman, Hays, and Gross. Page 6441

Committee Investigative Authority: Agreed to the following committee investigative authority resolutions:

H. Res. 268, Post Office and Civil Service Committee; and

H. Res. 213, amended, Government Operations Committee. Pages 6441–6443

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: In executive session ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 7, amended, to amend the Rural Electrification Act to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program. Prior to the executive session, the committee concluded hearings on this legislation. Testimony was heard from David A. Hamil, Administrator, REA–USDA.

JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF—BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session with the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Special Investigations held a hearing to inquire into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, U.S. Comptroller General. Following the hearing, the committee met in executive session.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session to consider H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Meeting to continue on Friday.

THE ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on "The Alliance for Progress: Its Goals, Its Performance, and the U.S. Role in Its Future." Testimony was heard from Robert E. Culbertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Louis Sleeper, Chief, Human Resources Development Division, Bureau of Latin America, AID; Princeton N. Lyman, Chief, Title IX Division, AID, and James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator for the Alliance for Progress.

BRIEFING ON BOLIVIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session with the Honorable Raul Castro, U.S. Ambassador to Bolivia.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments resumed hearings on the effects of space and weapons developments on U.S. alliances and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Dr. George B. Kistiakowsky, professor of chemistry, Harvard University, and Dr. Harold Linstone, associate director for development planning for systems analysis, Lockheed Aircraft Corp.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session for organizational purposes.

ALASKAN OIL LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session for presentation by representatives of oil companies on Alaskan northern oil leasing and development of year-long shipment of oil by tanker via Northwest Passage.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and approved subcommittee report entitled "Deceptive Programing Practices," amended.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Concluded hearings on H.J. Res. 179, H.J. Res. 181, and related bills pertaining to electoral college reform. Testimony was heard from Hon. John N. Mitchell, Attorney General of the United States.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495 and H.R. 6609, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Under Secretary of Interior Russell E. Train. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session for organizational purposes. The committee agreed that their main scope this year would be "Labor Relations" and "Obscenity."

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology concluded hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Bruce T. Lundin, Deputy Associate Administrator, OART; Gerald M. Truszynski, Associate Administrator, OTD&A, and Richard L. Lesher, Assistant Administrator, TU.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Dr. Christian Barnard and Dr. Orr E. Reynolds, Director, Bioscience Programs, OSSA.

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Resumed hearings on legislative recommendations of veterans' organizations.

Testimony was heard from William C. Doyle, national commander, American Legion.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6563–6592

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1564–1578 and S.J. Res. 80–81. **Pages 6568–6569**

Veterans' Housing: Senate passed without amendment S. 408, relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of a wheelchair. **Page 6564**

Medals: S. 1130, to strike a medal commemorating the founding of the American Fisheries Society, was passed without amendment. **Page 6565**

National Commitments: Presiding Officer laid before the Senate the following resolution coming over from a previous day under the rule (Mar. 12): S. Res. 164, declaring sense of Senate respecting obligations of United States so far as defense of other nations is concerned or so far as other treaties or U.N. Charter are concerned. On consideration of the resolution it was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 6592**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: James V. Smith, of Oklahoma, to be Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration; Carlos C. Villarreal, of California, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator; and Henry Kearns, of California, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States. **Page 6592**

Nominations: During adjournment on March 14, the following two nominations were received pursuant to prior authorization: Arthur Fletcher, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, and Marshall Green, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Today one civilian nomination was received from the D.C. Council. **Page 6592**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION—NASA

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: On Friday, March 14, committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Dr. Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 14, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from George E. Robinson, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration; John Ricca, Deputy Director, Office of Oil and Gas; J. J. Simmons, Deputy Administrator, Oil Import Administration; and G. D. Johnson, Oil Import Appeals Board, all of the Interior Department; and S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, March 14, Small Business Subcommittee resumed its hearings with regard to the handling of the foreign trade zone application of the State of Maine by the Department of Commerce, having as its witnesses C. R. Smith, former Secretary of Commerce; and Lawrence C. McQuade, former Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, March 14, committee continued its hearings on the nomination of Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior, with further testimony from Senator Gravel. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from W. W. C. McCubbins, mayor and president of the city council of Danville, Va., who was accompanied by John W. Carter, councilman, and Berkley G. Adams and Philip P. Ardery, electric department, also of the city of Danville; and Joseph O. Talley, Jr., general counsel of Electri-Cities of North Carolina.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 19.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization began hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs in order to protect the interests of consumers at the Government

level, having as its witnesses Senator Nelson and Representative Rosenthal.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APOSTLE ISLANDS NATIONAL LAKESHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 621, to establish Apostle Islands National Lakeshore in Wisconsin, receiving testimony from Senator Proxmire; Edward A. Hummel, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Dr. Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Joseph W. Penfold, Izaak Walton League; Rupert Cutler, Wilderness Society; Carl Dahl, Robert Dahl, and Eric Westhagen, all of Bayfield, Wis.; S. W. Jensch, Washington Grove, Md.; Phillip Gordon, National Congress of American Indians; William C. Brewer, South Shore Property Owners Association; and Harold C. Jordahl, Federal Cochairman, Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission, Madison.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 10 days for the inclusion of additional written material.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, March 14, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 742, authorizing funds for the construction of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington (amended);

S. 743, authorizing funds to construct the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington (amended);

S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970 (amended);

S.J. Res. 28, to rename the central Arizona project as the Carl Hayden project;

S. 713, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif.; and

S. 714, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif. (amended).

In open session, committee received testimony as follows:

Senator Long, on the nomination of Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife and Parks;

Senator Bennett and Representative Burton of Utah, on the nomination of Mitchell Melich, of Utah, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior;

Senators Hruska and Curtis, on the nomination of James R. Smith, of Nebraska, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power Development; and

Senator Randolph, on the nomination of Carl L. Klein, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water Quality and Research.

Mr. Klein was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow on all of these nominations, and on the nomination of Peter Bove, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, March 14, Subcommittee on Labor continued its hearings on pending bills designed to improve the health and safety of coal miners, with testimony from Dr. Lorin E. Kerr, assistant to the executive medical officer of the United Mine Workers Welfare and Retirement Fund; and Dr. Werner A. Laqueur, Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital, Beckley, W. Va.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 84 public bills, H.R. 9003–9086; seven private bills, H.R. 9087–9093; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 552–559, H. Con. Res. 169–172, and H. Res. 321–324, were introduced. Pages 6560–6563

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to clarify responsibility related to providing free and reduced-price meals and preventing discrimination against children, to program matching requirements, to strengthen the nutrition training and education benefits of the programs, and otherwise to strengthen the food service programs for children in schools and service institutions, amended (H. Rept. 91–81). Page 6560

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bill on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Federal Criminal Laws Commission: H.R. 4297, to amend the act of November 8, 1966. Pages 6542–6544

Referral: One Senate-passed measure, S. 1081, to strike a medal in honor of dedication of Winston Churchill Memorial and Library at Fulton, Mo., was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 6560

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* continued hearings on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Adm. Ulysses S. G. Sharpe (retired), former commander in Chief, Pacific.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, Federal Highway Administration, and Charles D. Baker, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Transportation.

CIVIL SERVICE FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held a hearing on H.R. 770, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development began hearings on the National Science Foundation authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, NSF Director; Dr. Philip Handler, NSB Chairman; Dr. Charles Jones, president, Humble Oil, and NSB member; and Dr. Orville G. Brim, Jr., president, Russell Sage Foundation, and NSB member.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIATION EXPOSURE OF URANIUM MINERS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation held hearings on the subject of radiation standards for uranium mining, having as its witnesses Dr. Gerald F. Tape, member, Atomic Energy Commission; Secretary of HEW Robert Finch, Chairman, Federal Radiation Council; Russell Train, Under Secretary of the Interior; and James D. Hodgson, Under Secretary of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Dr. Tape and others.

Tuesday, March 18, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Secretary Clifford M. Hardin, J. Phil Campbell, Under Secretary, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance, all of the Agriculture Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony on funds for the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, from Edward P. Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee announced establishment of subcommittees and assignments thereto, as follows:

Aviation

Warren G. Magnuson, *Chairman*
Howard W. Cannon, *Vice Chairman*

Philip A. Hart	Norris Cotton
Vance Hartke	Winston L. Prouty
Ernest F. Hollings	James B. Pearson
Daniel K. Inouye	Clifford P. Hansen
Joseph D. Tydings	Howard H. Baker, Jr.

Communications

John O. Pastore, *Chairman*

Vance Hartke	Hugh Scott
Philip A. Hart	Robert P. Griffin
Russell B. Long	Howard H. Baker, Jr.
Frank E. Moss	Charles E. Goodell
Howard W. Cannon	

Surface Transportation

Vance Hartke, *Chairman*

Howard W. Cannon	Winston L. Prouty
Frank E. Moss	Hugh Scott
Ernest F. Hollings	James B. Pearson
Russell B. Long	Clifford P. Hansen
Joseph D. Tydings	

Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment

Philip A. Hart, *Chairman*
Frank E. Moss, *Vice Chairman*

John O. Pastore	Clifford P. Hansen
Russell B. Long	Howard H. Baker, Jr.
Joseph D. Tydings	Charles E. Goodell
William B. Spong, Jr.	Norris Cotton

Merchant Marine

Russell B. Long, *Chairman*

John O. Pastore	Robert P. Griffin
Ernest F. Hollings	Hugh Scott
Daniel K. Inouye	Winston L. Prouty
Joseph D. Tydings	Charles E. Goodell
William B. Spong, Jr.	

Consumer

Frank E. Moss, *Chairman*
Philip A. Hart, *Vice Chairman*

John O. Pastore	James B. Pearson
Vance Hartke	Hugh Scott
Daniel K. Inouye	Robert P. Griffin
William B. Spong, Jr.	Charles E. Goodell

The chairman and the ranking minority member of the full committee are members *ex officio* of all subcommittees.

AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1373, to extend authority of the CAB over acquisition of air carriers to include review of acquisition of air carriers by noncarriers, receiving testimony from John H. Crooker, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board, and Hamer H. Budge, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 20.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs in order to protect the interests of consumers at the Government level, having as its witnesses Edward Cox, Yale Law School student; Andrew Egendorf, Robert Fellmeth, and William Taft IV, Harvard Law School students; and John Schulz, assistant professor of law, University of Southern California. These witnesses are authors of the Student's Report on the Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on the following nominations to the Department of the Interior:

Carl L. Klein, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary for Water Quality and Research, with testimony from Representative Kluczynski;

Peter Bove, of Vermont, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands, with testimony from Senators Aiken and Prouty;

Hollis M. Dole, of Oregon, to be Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources, with a statement submitted for Senator Hatfield;

Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks;

Mitchell Melich, of Utah, to be Solicitor, with testimony from Senator Bennett; and

James R. Smith, of Nebraska, to be Assistant Secretary for Water and Power Development, with testimony from Senator Curtis.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee will meet in executive session at 2 p.m. tomorrow to consider these nominations.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 961, providing Federal jurisdiction and uniform laws for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, with testimony from Chief Judge William H. Becker, U.S. district court for the western district of Missouri; and Lee F. Kreindler and John J. Martin, both of whom are New York attorneys.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures began hearings on S. 30 and S. 974–976, bills designed to reduce crime in the United States, having as its witness Attorney General John N. Mitchell.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee continued hearings on pending bills designed to improve the health and safety of coal miners (S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300), receiving testimony from Senator Moss; Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General of the United States; Dr. Keith C. Morgan, University of West Virginia Medical Center; and Dr. Murray B. Hunter, Fairmont Clinic, West Virginia.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 20.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session to consider S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, March 31.

TOCKS ISLAND DAM AND RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings to receive testimony in regard to hydroelectric power development at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, with particular reference to pumped-storage facilities. Witnesses heard were Senators Williams of New Jersey and Hughes; Representative Saylor; Col. R. L. Seidel, Director of Civil Works, Atlantic Division, Corps of Army Engineers; James F. Wright, Delaware River Basin Commission; Russell Train, Under Secretary of the Interior; and numerous local witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Edward R. Annis, member of the board of trustees,

American Medical Association, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 103 public bills, H.R. 9094–9196; 17 private bills, H.R. 9197–9213; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 560–565 and H. Res. 325–327, were introduced.

Pages 6730–6733

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills S. 165, 586, H.R. 1437, amended, 1708, amended, 1939, amended, 1960, 2315, 2948, 3144, amended, 3212, amended, 3464, 3539, 3548, amended, 4064, amended, 5072, amended, 5402, 6161, amended, and 6896 (H. Repts. 91–82 to 91–99, respectively);

H. Res. 325, providing for the consideration of H.R. 8508, to increase the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act (H. Rept. 91–100); and

H.R. 7, to amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, amended, to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program (H. Rept. 91–101). Page 6730

Private Calendar: Pursuant to a unanimous consent request, call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with. Page 6656

Late Reports: Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports until midnight tonight. Committee on Agriculture was granted permission to file a late report on H.R. 7, to amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, amended, to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program; by midnight tonight. Page 6656

Suspension Passages: Voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Reorganization plans: S. 1058, to extend the period within which the President may transmit to Congress plans for reorganization of agencies of the executive branch of the Government (by a record vote of 335 yeas to 44 nays), clearing the measure for the White House.

Pages 6656–6664

Pay raise: H.R. 7206, to adjust the salaries of the Vice President of the United States and certain officers of the Congress (by a division vote of 181 yeas to 64 nays). A demand for yeas and nays was refused. Pages 6664–6668

War claims: H.R. 2669, to amend section 213(a) of the War Claims Act of 1948 with respect to claims of certain nonprofit organizations, amended, and the title amended. Pages 6668–6671

Correctional rehabilitation study: H.R. 8438, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969. Page 6676

Suspension failed:

National observances and holidays: H.R. 2171, relating to national observances and holidays, failed passage by a record vote of 164 yeas to 213 nays. Pages 6671–6676

Referrals: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 6729

Adjournment: Adojurned at 6:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WORLD SITUATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for a briefing on the world situation by the Honorable Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 514, amended, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress relating to food and rural reforms. Testimony was heard from Milo R. Cox, Chief, Agro-Industrial Development Division, AID; Richard R. Newberg, Office of Program Operations, AID, and Arthur Mead, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture.

AID OPERATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for briefing by Robert J. Minges, Director, AID Operations, Ecuador; Robert C. Hamer, Director, AID Operations, Guyana; and David Lazar, Director, AID Operations, Panama.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the effects of space and weapons developments on U.S. alliances and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas Schelling, Harvard University, and Mr. Herman Kahn, the Hudson Institute.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations began hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was

heard from Mr. John Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement, Installation, and Logistics.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Special Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Further testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, Federal Highway Administration, and Charles D. Baker, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing and approved for full committee action H.R. 4246, to discontinue the annual report to Congress as to the administrative settlement of personal property claims of military personnel and civilian employees. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

Following the hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. Paul Trimble, Assistant Commandant, Coast Guard. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CIVIL SERVICE FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits continued hearings on H.R. 770, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session to consider water pollution legislation. Committee will meet again tomorrow.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule with 4 hours of debate and waiving points of order against H.R. 8508, to increase the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills, and Representatives Byrnes and Adams.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the National Science Foundation authorization. Further testimony was heard from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, NSF.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. John E. Naugle, Associate Administrator, Space Science and Applications, NASA, and Mr. Leonard Jaffe, Director, Space Applications Programs, OSSA.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Dorn, members of the New York Stock Exchange, and other public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIATION EXPOSURE OF URANIUM MINERS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation concluded hearings on the subject of radiation standards for uranium mining, after receiving testimony from Dr. Gerald F. Tape, member, Atomic Energy Commission; George Taylor, representing the AFL–CIO; Jack Sheehan, United Steel Workers of America; Lark Washburn, who presented the viewpoint of the smaller mining operators; and Langan Swent, American Mining Congress, who presented the viewpoint of the larger mining operators.

Wednesday, March 19, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION—CCC

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Don Paarlberg, of Indiana, to be a mem-

ber of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective services from Ned D. Bayley, Acting Administrator, Cooperative State Research Service; Lloyd H. Davis, Administrator, Federal Extension Service; and Andrew J. Mair, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and Richard S. Aslakson, Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from the following witnesses: Raymond C. Coulter, Acting Solicitor; John M. Vance, Chairman, Indian Claims Commission; Dr. Roland R. Renne, Director, Office of Water Resources Research; William R. Carmack, National Council on Indian Opportunity; Representative Wayne Aspinall, Chairman, Public Land Law Review Commission; John Walker, Director, National Gallery of Art; William Walton, Chairman, Commission of Fine Arts; Harry R. Pauley, Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and Conrad Wirth, National Capital Planning Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, with testimony from Maj. Gen. Fred Clarke, Acting Chief, and other officials of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 24.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee began, in executive session, hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, vessels, and other hardware for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird; Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard; and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler. Secretary Laird also briefed the committee on matters of worldwide defense posture and the antiballistic missile system.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session, with further testimony from these DOD officials.

LUMBER PRICES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee began hearings to receive testimony regarding lumber production and increased lumber prices. Witnesses heard were Secretary of Housing and Urban Development George Romney; Eugene A. Gulledge, National Association of Homebuilders; Dale Babione, Defense Supply Agency, Department of Defense; and Carl M. Halvorson, the Associated General Contractors of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from lumber industry witnesses.

NOMINATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Dr. Myron Tribus, of New Hampshire, and Larry A. Jobe, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf. A statement of Senator Dirksen in behalf of Mr. Jobe was submitted for the record.

CRIME AND VIOLENCE ON TV

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications resumed hearings regarding the harmful effects, if any, television programs with crime and violence have on young people, and on policies of the Federal Communications Commission relative to such programing. Today's witnesses were Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, National Association of Broadcasters; Donald H. McGannon, president of Group W, Westinghouse Broadcasting Co.; and Richard Dudley, president, Forward Communications Corp., Wausau, Wis.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. AIRPORT FACILITIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on the utilization and the future of major airports in the National Capital region, having as its witnesses D.C. Commissioner Walter Washington; Gen. Elwood Quesada, former Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration; Arven H. Saunders, Director, Bureau of National Capital Airports, FAA; George H. F. Oberlander, National Capital Planning Commission; John W. Hechinger, former Chairman of the D.C. Council; John H Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; T. Murray Toomey, Washington Board of Trade; Joseph A. Foster, Airlines Transport Association; Walter Scheiber, Council of Governments; and Prof. Dorn McGrath, George Washington University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs in order to protect the interests of consumers at the Government level, having as its witness Betty Furness,

former Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Gary Tabak, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; and Julian R. Stimpson, chairman, Greater Danville Committee (Virginia), who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following Interior Department nominees:

Carl L. Klein, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary for Water Quality and Research;

Hollis M. Dole, of Oregon, to be Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources;

Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks;

Mitchell Melich, of Utah, to be Solicitor; and

James R. Smith, of Nebraska, to be Assistant Secretary for Water and Power Development.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures continued hearings on S. 30 and S. 974–976, bills designed to reduce crime in the United States, having as its witnesses Senator Tydings; Peter W. Low, University of Virginia Law School; and Paul J. Curran, chairman, and Nathan Skolnik and Edward S. Silver, members, all of the New York State Commission on Investigations.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 25.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, with testimony from Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, Department of Corrections, District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TOCKS ISLAND DAM AND RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued hearings regarding hydroelectric power development at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, with particular reference to pumped-storage facilities, having as its witnesses Conrad Wirth, former Director of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and Wayne Dumont, New Jersey State Senator.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 9214–9263; four private bills, H.R. 9264–9267; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 566–569, H. Con. Res. 173, and H. Res. 328–330, were introduced. **Pages 6875–6876**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills H.R. 2464, amended; 4546 amended; 6366, amended; 6670, amended; and 6931, amended (H. Repts. 91–102 to 91–106, respectively); and

H. Res. 330, providing for consideration of H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (H. Rept. 91–107). **Page 6875**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittees 1 and 3 of the Committee on Education and Labor were granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 6802**

Late Report: Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. **Page 6802**

Debt Ceiling: By a record vote of 313 yeas to 93 nays, the House passed H.R. 8508, to increase the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. A recommittal motion was rejected by a voice vote.

H. Res. 325, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 6802–6828**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* met in executive session on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Joseph F. Carroll, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency.

Hearing to continue in open session tomorrow.

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Investigations, in executive session, resumed hearings on certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on problems of higher education, including those relating to student financial assistance, particularly in regard to the eligibility provisions of section 504 of the Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Dr.

Alex Sherriffs, education secretary, Office of Governor Ronald Reagan, California; and Theodore Meriam, chairman, Board of Trustees, California State Colleges.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on H.R. 4047, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States, and H.R. 4295, for the elimination of health dangers to coal miners resulting from the inhalation of coal dust. Testimony was heard from Representative Hechler and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress in relation to trade, investment, and regional integration. Testimony was heard from Joseph A. Greenwald, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Joseph A. Silberstein, Director, Office of Regional Economic Policy; and Milton Barall, Head, Caribbean Study Group, State/AID.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the effects of space and weapons developments on U.S. alliance and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Dr. Eugene Rostow, sterling professor of law and public affairs, and Mr. Mason Willrich, director, Center for the Study of Science, Technology, and Public Policy, University of Virginia.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from John Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement, Installations, and Logistics, and Robert Moot, Comptroller, Department of Defense.

FUNDING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on various funding resolutions but did not complete action on them. No announcements were made.

TERRITORIAL AND INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held an orientation meeting with Under Secretary Train and Gov. Owen Aspinall.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Further testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, Federal Highway Administration, and Charles D. Baker, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session on water pollution legislation.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT AND CHILD NUTRITION ACT OF 1966

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate and waiving points of order against section 3 of H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representative Steiger of Wisconsin.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Leonard Jaffe, Director, Space Applications Programs, OSSA; Dr. William T. Pecora, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of Interior, and Dr. A. B. Park, Assistant to the Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Thursday, March 20, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6921–6965

Bills Introduced: 51 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1579–1629; S.J. Res. 82; and S. Con. Res. 12–13. **Pages 6923–6925, 6950–6951**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 713, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif. (S. Rept. 91–97);

S. 742, authorizing funds for the construction of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–98);

S. 743, authorizing funds to construct the Touchet

division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–99);

S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–100);

S. 348, 628, 648, 927, 1016, 1049, 1120, 1123, 301, 537, 672, and 958, private bills (S. Repts. 91–101 to 91–112); and

S.J. Res. 28, to rename the central Arizona project as the Carl Hayden project (S. Rept. 91–113). Page 6923

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 6921

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 8438, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969, was ordered to be placed on calendar. Pages 6964–6965

Interparliamentary Groups: Vice President made the following appointments:

Ninth Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Conference to be held in three cities in Mexico April 2–8—Senators Mansfield (chairman), Hartke, Dodd, Montoya, Nelson, Bayh, Gravel, Allen, Aiken, Fannin, Miller, Murphy, and Saxbe; and

Interparliamentary Union Meeting in Vienna, Austria April 7–13—Senators Sparkman (chairman), Yarborough, Young of Ohio, Hart, Jordan of North Carolina, Williams of New Jersey, Hollings, Allott, Thurmond, Mathias, and Scott. Page 6953

Authority To Report—Aging: Time for filing of report of the Special Committee on Aging was extended from March 15 to March 31, 1969. Page 6923

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, March 24, to receive messages from the President and from the House of Representatives, and it was made in order for such messages to be appropriately referred.

All committees were authorized until noon Monday, March 24, to file reports, along with any minority, individual, or supplemental views. Page 6961

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Administrator of NASA; James R. Smith, of Nebraska, Hollis M. Dole, of Oregon, and Carl L. Klein, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Interior; Leslie Lloyd Glasgow, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of Interior; Mitchell Melich, of Utah, to be Solicitor, Department of Interior; Myron Tribus, of New Hampshire, and Larry A. Jobe, of Illinois, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; Reginald Norman Whitman, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration; John H. Shaffer, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Agency; Richard W. Velde, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance; Don Paarlberg, of Indiana, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation; two judicial; and two Coast Guard. Pages 7036–7037

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: John D. J. Moore, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Ireland; Randolph W. Thrower, of Georgia, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue; Walter C. Sauer, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank; Otto F. Otepka, of Maryland, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; John B. Waters, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission; Stewart Lamprey, of New Hampshire, to be Federal Cochairman of the New England Regional Commission; E. L. Stewart, of Oklahoma, to be Federal Cochairman of the Ozarks Regional Commission; eight judicial; numerous Army in the rank of general; and one Marine Corps in the rank of general. Page 7036

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, subcommittee heard testimony from the following witnesses: David W. Angevine, Administrator, Farmer Cooperative Service; Philip H. Weaver, Acting Administrator, Rural Community Development Service; Leonard H. Greesse, Office of the Inspector General; Alex C. Caldwell, Administrator, Commodity Exchange Authority; and Jerome A. Miles, Deputy Director of Finance, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Erwin S. Rabeau, Director, Division of Indian Health, PHS, Department of HEW; and Jack Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony concerning the antiballistic missile program from Melvin R. Laird, Secretary of Defense; David Packard, Deputy Secretary of Defense; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman of the Joint

Chiefs of Staff; and Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

LUMBER PRICES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its hearings on problems of lumber production and increased lumber prices, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Lowry Wyatt and Ralph D. Hodges, National Forest Products Association; Theodore Goodson and James Turnbull, American Plywood Association; Loran L. Stewart, Western Wood Products Association; William D. Hagenstein, Industrial Forestry Association; E. P. Johnson, North West Timber Association; George Craig, Western Lumber Manufacturing, Inc.; Wayne Gaskins, Western Forest Industries Association; Gordon R. Blanton, South East Lumber Manufacturing Association; Clarence A. Thompson and Loren F. Dorman, National Lumber and Building Material Dealers Association; C. M. Snavely, National American Wholesale Lumber Association; Eldridge Leeming, Architectural Woodwork Institute; Bert L. Cole, Washington State Lands Commission, Olympia; Ken Rickard, timber adviser to the State of Oregon; and Don Gilchrist, Home Manufacturers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIME AND VIOLENCE ON TV

Committee on Commerce: Communications Subcommittee continued its hearings concerning harmful effects, if any, television programs with crime and violence have on young people, receiving testimony from Wrede Petersmyer, Corinthian Broadcasting Corp.; Thomas S. Murphy, Capital Cities Broadcasting Corp.; William Michaels, Storer Broadcasting Co.; and J. Ray Livesay, Mattoon Broadcasting Co., Mattoon, Ill.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include review of acquisition of air carriers by noncarriers having as its witnesses Paul W. Cherington, Assistant Secretary of Transportation; and Stuart G. Tipton, Air Transport Association of America.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of John Hannah, of Michigan, to be Administrator, Agency for International Development, with testimony from Senator Griffin, and on the nomination of Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be Deputy Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, with testimony from Senator Javits. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Executive Reorganization Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs in order to protect the interests of consumers, having as its witness Ralph Nader, of Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee continued its seires of hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from Charles R. Ross, former member of the Federal Power Commission; and Thomas Policastro, chairman, New England AFL–CIO Labor Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued its hearings on numerous pending joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President, with testimony from Thomas Harris and Andrew Biemiller, both of the AFL–CIO; and Richard Scammon, director, Elections Research Center.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee continued hearings on bills designed to improve the health and safety of coal miners (S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300), receiving testimony from Representatives Hechler and Flood; Dr. Paul Gross, director of industrial hygiene research, University of Pittsburgh; Dr. James K. Rice, president, C. W. Rice and Co., Pittsburgh; and several disabled miners, and widows of miners, who were accompanied by Representative Hechler.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 27.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 77 public bills, H.R. 9268–9344; 10 private bills, H.R. 9345–9354; and 25 resolutions, H.J. Res. 570–583, H. Con. Res. 174–179, and H. Res. 331–335, were introduced. Pages 7038, 7079–7081

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Deceptive Programing Practices" (H. Rept. 91–108);

H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during the

fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for Armed Forces (H. Rept. 91–109);

H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children (H. Rept. 91–110); and

H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business (H. Rept. 91–111). Page 7079

Late Reports: Committee on Government Operations was granted permission to file by midnight, March 21, a report on H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business. Committee on Agriculture was granted permission to file by midnight, March 22, a report on H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children. Page 7038

Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Corbett, whereby he resigns from the House Administration Committee. Page 7038

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 331, electing Representative Corbett to the Committee on Armed Services, and Representative Hansen of Idaho to the Committee on House Administration. Page 7038

School Lunch—Child Nutrition Act: House passed by a voice vote H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to clarify responsibilities related to providing free and reduced-price meals and preventing discrimination against children, to revise program matching requirements, to strengthen the nutrition training and education benefits of the programs, and otherwise to strengthen the food service programs for children in schools and service institutions.

Adopted a committee amendment.

Adopted amendments that—

(1) Forces State revenue to be used proportionately between regular school lunch programs and special school lunch programs; and

(2) Calls for cooperation and coordination between the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of HEW in the development of nutrition aspects of the bill and provides for evaluation of school lunch programs.

H. Res. 330, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 7038–7052

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, March 26.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children.

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* continued hearings on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Seth J. McKee, Assistant Vice Chief of Staff, USAF. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued inquiry into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

FEDERAL RIOT INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session to consider rising rates and other problems under the Federal riot insurance program established by the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education, including those relating to student financial assistance, particularly in regard to the eligibility provisions of section 504 of the Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States, and H.R. 4295, for the elimination of health dangers to coal miners resulting from the inhalation of coal dust. Testimony was heard from Mr. W. Anthony Boyle, president, United Mine Workers of America.

ARGENTINA—PARAGUAY BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on Argentina and Paraguay by Hon. Carter L. Burgess, former U.S. Ambassador to Argentina, and Hon. Benigno C. Hernandez, U.S. Ambassador to Paraguay.

GOVERNMENT PER DIEM INCREASE

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for Government employees traveling on official business.

HUNTING CREEK LAND FILL

Committee on Government Operations: Ordered reported to the House a report entitled "The Permit for Land Fill in Hunting Creek: A Debacle in Conservation."

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF SILVER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held an informal meeting for the showing of a film portraying the development and use of silver.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 approved for full committee action H.R. 3667, amended, to provide exemption from English-language requirements in certain cases.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE OF UNITED STATES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations. Testimony was heard from Hon. Jerre S. Williams, Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States, and from the Executive Director, John F. Cushman.

CIVIL SERVICE FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits continued hearings on H.R. 770, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: On March 19, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the House, H.R. 4148, amended, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended.

CALIFORNIA DISASTER ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control began hearings on H.R. 6508 and H.R. 6509, the California Disaster Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from California Representatives Johnson, Teague, McFall, Talcott, and Holifield; Charles P. Sanson, director, California Disaster Office, and James A. Moe, director, Department of Public Works.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the National Science Foundation authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Charles Falk, Planning Director, and Dr. Burton Adkinson, Head, Office of Science Information Service.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Joseph B. Mahon, Director, Launch Vehicle and Propulsion Programs, OSSA, and Francis B. Smith, Assistant Administrator, University Affairs, NASA.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Fisher, Joelson, and Jacobs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Monday, March 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7171–7258

Bills Introduced: 44 bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1630–1673; S.J. Res. 83–84; S. Con. Res. 14; and S. Res. 167–170.

Pages 7180–7181, 7204–7206

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 167, authorizing the installation in the Senate Chamber of a voice-reinforcement system and auxiliary appurtenances (S. Rept. 91–114); and

S. 714, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif., with amendment (S. Rept. 91–115). **Pages 7180, 7204**

Bill Referred: H.R. 515, to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 by

strengthening the food service programs for children in schools and service organizations, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 7171

Appointment to Board: Vice President reappointed Senator Prouty to the National Fisheries Center and Aquarium Advisory Board. Page 7173

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 18 bills, of which 12 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Correctional rehabilitation study: H.R. 8438, to extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Carl Hayden project: S.J. Res. 28, to rename the central Arizona project as the Carl Hayden project;

Wilderness: S. 713, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif.; and

Private bills: Eight private bills, S. 348, 628, 648, 927, 1016, 1049, 1120, and 1123.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Yakima project: S. 742, authorizing funds for the construction of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington;

Walla Walla project: S. 743, authorizing funds to construct the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington;

Saline water conversion: S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970; and

Private bills: Four private bills, S. 301, 537, 672, and 958. Pages 7302–7308

Senate Authorizations: Order was entered authorizing Secretary of Senate, during adjournment until noon Wednesday, March 26, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives, and to refer same to appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports, along with any minority, individual, or supplemental views. Pages 7281–7282

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations today: Joseph H. Blatchford, of California, to be Director of the Peace Corps; three judicial; and numerous Army, including two in the rank of general.

One judicial nomination was received during adjournment on March 20 under prior authorization.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Deficiencies and Supplementals held hearings on fiscal 1969 supplemental requests of $1 billion for the Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, with testimony from the following departmental officials: Clarence Palmby, Assistant Secretary; Carroll G. Brunthaver, Jr., Acting Administrator, ASCS; Edward M. Shulman, General Counsel; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Rural Electrification Administration from David A. Hamil, Administrator, and E. C. Weitzell, Deputy Administrator.

On Friday, March 21, subcommittee heard testimony from John C. Cooper, Director, Office of Management Services; John Sherrod, Librarian, National Agricultural Library; Joseph M. Robertson, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, on funds for general administration; and Harold Lewis, Director, Office of Information.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries from its Director, Harold E. Crowther.

On Friday, March 21, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the National Park Service from its Director, George B. Hartzog, Jr.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Geological Survey.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, with testimony on proposed projects in their respective divisions from Brig. Gen. Charles Duke, Division Engineer, North Atlantic Division, and Col. Frank P. Bane, Division Engineer, New England Division, both of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LUMBER PRICES

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded hearings on problems of lumber production and increased lumber prices, after receiving testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, and Arthur W. Greeley, Associate Chief, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Eugene V. Zumwalt, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Peter E. Terzick, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of Amer-

ica; Brock Evans and Gordon Robinson, both of the Sierra Club; and Kenneth B. Pomeroy, American Forestry Association.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 8508, providing a permanent debt limitation of $365 billion, and a temporary additional increase of $12 billion through June 30, 1970, with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy, and Director of the Bureau of the Budget Robert P. Mayo.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this bill and pending nominations.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, March 21, committee continued hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, having as its witnesses Secretary Melvin R. Laird, Deputy Secretary David Packard, and Dr. John S. Foster, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, all of the Department of Defense; and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs, having as its witness Mrs. Bess Myerson Grant, Consumer Affairs Commissioner, New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Gravel, who submitted a statement; Representative Randall; Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Jean J. Couturier, National Civil Service League; Alex M. Petrovic, Jackson County Court Judge, Jackson County, Mo., representing the National Association of Counties, who was introduced by Senator Eagleton; Denton Kent, Assistant County Manager, Jackson County; and Gerald Laughlin, National Association of Counties.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its hearings on S. 607, to create an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, with testimony from James L. Oakes, former attorney general of Vermont; Frank H. King, Municipal Gas and Electric Department, Holyoke, Mass.; Michael Collins, municipal electric system, Wakefield, Mass.; James Baker, Shrewsbury Municipal, Massachusetts; and Frank Sahlman, Northeast Public Power Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 21.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Dr. Paul T. Homan, former editor, American Economic Review; and Prof. Alfred Kahn, Cornell University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued its series of hearings on numerous pending joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President, receiving testimony from Senators Bellmon and Muskie; and Deputy Attorney General Richard G. Kleindienst.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 9355–9385; 18 private bills, H.R. 9386–9403; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 584–587 and H. Con. Res. 180 and 181, were introduced. Pages 7169–7171

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 584, making a supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969 (H. Rept. 91–112);

Report entitled "The Permit for Land Fill in Hunting Creek: A Debacle in Conservation" (H. Rept. 91–113); and

H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education (H. Rept. 91–114). Page 7169

Supplemental Appropriation: By unanimous consent, it will be in order on Tuesday, March 25, to consider H.J. Res. 584, making a supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Page 7147

Late Report: Committee on Education and Labor received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education. Page 7147

Presidential Message—Federal Disaster Act: Received and read a message from the President whereby

he transmits to Congress the annual report of Federal activity under authority of the Federal Disaster Act.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session and continued inquiry into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Investigations continued inquiry into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

HIGH PRICE OF LUMBER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on the subject of the high price of lumber. Testimony was heard from Representative Martin and George Romney, Secretary of HUD.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty held hearings on H.R. 513, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, to provide for adequate leadtime, and for planning and evaluation in such programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On Friday, March 21, Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the effects of space and weapons developments on U.S. alliances and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Vincent Rock, Executive Secretary, Committee on ACDA Support of Dissertation Research in the Social and Behavioral Sciences, National Academy of Sciences.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from GSA witnesses.

JOINT FUNDING SIMPLIFICATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 6654, Joint Funding Simplification Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Government and public witnesses.

OFFSHORE OIL LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, March 21, met with Secretary of Interior Hickel on proposed new regulations covering offshore oil leasing, Santa Barbara Channel area.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Testimony was heard from Dr. William Haddon, Jr., president, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety.

CALIFORNIA DISASTER ACT

Committee on Public Works: On Friday, March 21, Subcommittee on Flood Control concluded hearings on H.R. 6508 and H.R. 6509, the California Disaster Act of 1969.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the National Science Foundation authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas Fontaine, Associate Director for Education.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Committee on Ways and Means: On Friday, March 21, continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Tuesday, March 25, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony on funds for the Farmers Home Administra-

tion from James V. Smith, Administrator; Joseph Haspray, Acting Deputy Administrator; Howard Campbell, Assistant General Counsel; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance, all of the Agricuture Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Geological Survey from its Director, W. T. Pecora.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Land Management.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for projects in his division from Maj. Gen. C. C. Haug, division engineer, Southwestern Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the Missouri River Division.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS—ARMY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and Army Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other officials of the Army.

HIGH INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee began hearings on the subject of high interest rates and their impact on the economy, having as its witnesses William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; and Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Walter C. Sauer, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, prior to which action, in open hearings, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed its hearings on the D.C. crime problem, with testimony today mainly concerning the use and abuse of drugs in the District. Witnesses heard were John E. Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs; Judge Alfred Burka, D.C. court of general sessions; Hiawatha Burris, Bonabond, Inc.; Rev. Thomas Murphy, pastor, Church of the Pilgrims; Lucy Carmichael; and Leonard Kolodny, Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of John A. Nevius, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency, with testimony from Neville Miller, Chairman, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; and Mark Sullivan, a former D.C. Commissioner. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

DEBT LIMIT INCREASE, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 8508, providing a permanent debt limitation of $365 billion, and a temporary additional increase of $12 billion through June 30, 1970.

Committee also approved the nominations of Eugene T. Rossides, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Paul W. Eggers, of Texas, to be General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; and Randolph W. Thrower, of Georgia, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

NOMINATIONS—STATE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Charles A. Meyer, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; John D. J. Moore, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Ireland; and Henry Loomis, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director, U.S. Information Agency. Mr. Meyer was introduced to the committee by Senator Schweiker. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its hearings on S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969, with testimony from Dr. John A. Perkins, Dun & Bradstreet, and Robert F. Steadman, both representing Committee on Economic Development; Allen E. Pritchard, Jr., and Peter B. Harkins, both of the National League of Cities and U.S. Conference of Mayors; and John E. Damerel, personnel director of Richmond, Va., who presented the statement of Alan F. Kiepper, city manager of Richmond, representing International City Managers' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures resumed hearings on S. 30 and S. 974–976, bills designed to reduce organized crime in the United States, with testimony from Vincent Broderick, Committee on Federal Legislation, New York County Lawyers' Association; Milton Rector, National Committee on Crime and Delinquency; Rufus King, a D.C. attorney; and John P. Diuguid, Association of Federal Investigators.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from the following witnesses: Prof. Michael Rieber, University of Missouri; and Prof. Edith Penrose, University of London, London, England.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Jerome M. Rosow, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1368, to promote health and safety in the construction industry in all Federal and federally-assisted construction projects, receiving testimony from Walter Mason and Alan F. Burch, of the Building Trades Department, AFL-CIO; M. A. Hutcheson, United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners of America. Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of John B. Waters, of Tennessee, to be Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission, prior to which action the nominee was introduced to the committee by Senator Baker.

Committee also held hearings on the nominations of W. Donald Brewer, of Colorado, to be Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission, who was introduced by Senator Allott; G. Fred Steele, of North Carolina, to be Federal Cochairman of the Coastal Plains Regional Commission; Stewart Lamprey, of New Hampshire, to be Federal Cochairman of the New England Regional Commission, who was introduced by Senator Cotton; and E. L. Stewart, of Oklahoma, to be Federal Cochairman of the Ozarks Regional Commission, who was introduced by Senator Bellmon. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee will meet at a later date to consider these nominations.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Edward C. Rosenow, Jr., executive director, American College of Physicians; and Dr. Robert S. Long, president, American Society of Internal Medicine.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 84 public bills, H.R. 9404–9487; 17 private bills, H.R. 9488–9504; and 18 resolutions, H.J. Res. 588–599, H. Con. Res. 182 and 183, and H. Res. 336–339, were introduced. Pages 7574–7577

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 1632, amended; 2005, amended; 2218, amended; 2336, amended; 2552, amended; 3040, amended; 5067; 5133, amended; 5134; 5136; 6007; and 7160, amended (H. Repts. 91–115 to 91–126, respectively);

H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (H. Rept. 91–127);

H. Res. 336, providing for consideration of H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 91–128); and

H. Res. 337, providing for consideration of H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business (H. Rept. 91–129). Page 7574

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 7378

Committees To Sit: The following committees received permission to sit during general debate of the House today: Subcommittee on Elections of the House Administration Committee, Committee on Banking and Currency, and the Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits, of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Pages 7378, 7383

Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Corbett whereby he resigns from the Joint Committee of the Congress on the Library. Page 7378

Supplemental Appropriation—Commodity Credit Corporation: By a voice vote, the House passed H.J.

Res. 584, making a supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Pages 7378–7383

Referrals: 17 Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 7573–7574

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued inquiry into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

ARMED FORCES PROPOSALS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 6790, to authorize an increase in the number of Marine Corps Reserve officers who may serve in an active status in the combined grades of brigadier and major general;

H.R. 8018, amended, to amend section 1072(2) of title 10, United States Code, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent; and

H.R. 8020, amended, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide entitlement to round-trip transportation to the home port for a member of the naval service on permanent duty aboard a ship overhauling away from home port whose dependents are residing at the home port.

HIGH PRICE OF LUMBER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the subject of the high price of lumber. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education. Testimony was heard from Dr. Bertram H. Davis, general secretary, American Association of University Professors; Dr. Walter P. Metzger, history professor, Columbia University; and Dr. John Bunzel, political science professor, San Francisco State College.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on committee business. No announcements were made.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from James T. Ramey, Commissioner, Atomic Energy Commission.

FUNDING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session to consider various funding resolutions.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections met in executive session on pending business.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held an orientation meeting with Assistant Secretary Klein and the Director of the Office of Saline Water.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare began hearings on H.R. 6797, H.R. 7059, and similar bills, Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert H. Finch, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL POWER ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power began hearings on H.R. 7186, and similar bills, to amend the Federal Power Act to further promote the reliability, abundance, economy, and efficiency of bulk electric power supplies through regional and interregional coordination; to encourage the installation and use of improved extra-high-voltage facilities; to preserve the environment and conserve natural resources; and to establish the National Council on the Environment. Testimony was heard from Representative Moss and Lee C. White, Chairman, FCC. Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics began hearings on H.R. 8261, H.R. 8322, and H.R. 8323, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended. Testimony was heard from John H. Crooker, Chairman, CAB.

MARINE RESOURCES AND ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT ACT—COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8794, to amend the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 to continue the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development; and

H.R. 4153, amended, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4153, amended (title above).

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Began hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bevill and Beall; Governor Moore of West Virginia; and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Fallon, Whitten, and Duncan.

BRIEFING BY POSTMASTER GENERAL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for briefing by Postmaster General and his staff.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 770, amended, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement.

ARMED FORCES AIRCRAFT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate and waiving points of order against committee amendment of H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rivers and Representative Arends.

GOVERNMENT PER DIEM INCREASE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business. Testimony was heard from Representatives Blatnik, Erlenborn, and Brown of Ohio.

SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

Committee on Rules: Postponed action on H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children. Testimony was heard from Chairman Poage, and Representatives Belcher and Sullivan.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Randal Robertson, Associate Director for Research.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Eldon D. Taylor, Director, Program Reviews and Resources Management, OSSA.

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session for review of the fiscal year 1970 NASA authorization budget. Testimony was heard from Dr. George E. Mueller, Associate Administrator for Manned Space Flight.

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology met in executive session for markup of H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. No final action was taken.

VETERANS' EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 6798, to amend title 38, United States Code, in order to improve the education and training programs for veterans;

H.R. 6800, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a uniform refund policy for pursuit of courses not leading to a standard college degree; and

H.R. 6808, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt of certain Federal educational assistance benefits. Testimony was heard from James T. Taaffe, Jr., Director, Compensation, Pension, and Education Service, Veterans' Administration. Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Government and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 27 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1674–1700; and S. Res. 171–172.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 8508, providing a permanent debt limitation of $365 billion through June 30, 1970 (S. Rept. 91–116)—reported during adjournment March 25 under prior authorization;

H.J. Res. 584, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969 for the Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture (S. Rept. 91–117); and

S. Res. 170, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations" (S. Rept. 91–118). Pages 7625, 7640

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 584, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969 for the Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 7626

President's Message—Inflation—Surtax: President transmitted message respecting intention to combat inflation by reducing spending and maintaining revenues, combined with extension of 10-percent income tax surcharge for another year and postponement of reductions in telephone and auto excise taxes—referred jointly to Committees on Appropriations and Finance. Pages 7625–7626

Wilderness: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 714, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif. Pages 7627–7628

Debt Limit Increase: H.R. 8508, providing a permanent debt limitation of $365 billion, and a temporary additional increase of $12 billion through June 30, 1970, was passed by 67 yeas to 18 nays without amendment and cleared for President's signature. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 7709–7722, 7724–7727

Printing: Senate adopted S. Res. 170, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations." Page 7728

Treaties Received: Two separate, but related, agreements between the United States and Mexico respecting radio broadcasting, signed at Mexico City on December 11, 1968 (Ex. B, 91st Cong., first sess.), were received during adjournment on March 25 under prior authorization—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 7626–7627

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Charles H. Rogovin, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance; Jerome M. Rosow, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; and John B. Waters, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission. Page 7743

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations today: Harrison Loesch, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior; and Kenneth E. Frick, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Nomination of Harold B. Finger, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, was received during adjournment on March 25 under prior authorization. Page 7743

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.J. Res. 584, providing supplemental funds in the amount of $1 billion for the Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1969.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from M. L. Upchurch, Administrator, Economic Research Service; Harry C. Trelogan, Administrator, Statistical Reporting Service; and Edward M. Shulman, General Counsel, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue Friday, March 28.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Bureau of Land Management from its Director, Boyd L. Rasmussen, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, with testimony in behalf of funds for projects in his division from Brig. Gen. C. Craig Cannon, division engineer, Missouri River Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the Ohio River Division.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Nils A. Boe, of South Dakota, to be Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness, and 1,629 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Boe was introduced to the committee by Senator Mundt.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony

in behalf of funds for Army procurement from Maj. Gen. Henry A. Miley, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics; Charles L. Poor, Acting Assistant Secretary for Research and Development; Lt. Gen. Austin W. Betts, Chief of Research and Development, and other officials of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony on Army procurement.

HIGH INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continuing its hearings on the subject of high interest rates and their impact on the economy, committee had as its witnesses Senator Javits; Charls E. Walker, Under Secretary of the Treasury; Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Rex J. Morthland, president, Peoples Bank and Trust Co., Selma, Ala., representing the American Bankers Association; and Ralph F. Leach, Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 1.

AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include review of acquisition of air carriers by noncarriers, with testimony from Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; John E. Stephan, Air Transport Association of America; and Howard C. Westwood, an attorney representing Western Airlines, Inc.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continuing its hearings on the D.C. crime problem, committee heard testimony mainly concerning the use and abuse of drugs in the District and suburban areas from Inspector F. P. Thrailkill and Lt. John A. Bechtel, both of the Montgomery County (Md.) Police; Robert F. Horan, Jr., commonwealth attorney, Fairfax County, Va.; Judge Ernest A. Loveless, Prince George's County Juvenile Court (Md.); John B. Arnold, of Silver Spring, Md.; Dr. Stephen M. Brown, medical director, Washington Free Clinic; Dr. Eugene R. Smoley, Jr., principal, Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School; and Dr. Ricardo Galbis, of Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 9.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs resumed hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, with further testimony from David Packard, Deputy Secretary, and John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering, both of the Defense Department.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 28.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969, with testimony from Senator Hughes, who was accompanied by his administrative assistant, Park Rinert; Arthur F. Sampson, secretary of administration and secretary of budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, who represented the National Governors' Conference; Dr. Donald C. Stone, dean of Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Pittsburgh; and Dr. James A. Norton, president, American Society for Public Administration.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 1.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures continued hearings on S. 30 and S. 974–976, bills designed to reduce organized crime in the United States, having as its witnesses Representative Poff; Prof. Henry Ruth, University of Pennsylvania School of Law; and Prof. William Greenhalgh, Georgetown University School of Law.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its series of hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, with testimony from E. Preston Sharp, American Correctional Association; Randolph E. Wise, commissioner of welfare, and Edward J. Hendrick, superintendent of prisons, both of Philadelphia; and Alan J. Davis, former chief assistant district attorney of Philadelphia.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 28.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, receiving testimony from Dr. Paul H. Frankel, Petroleum Economic Institute, London, England; Prof. Henry Steele, University of Houston, Tex.; and William S. Johnson, Director of the Department of Finance, city of Honolulu.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 1.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed its hearings on pending bills designed to improve the health and safety of coal miners (S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300), with testimony from Senator Byrd of West Virginia; Dr. Paul Cornely, American Public Health Association; Dr. Leon Cander, chairman, Department of Medicine, University of Texas Medical School; Dr. Ian Higgins, School of Public Health, University of Michigan; Dr. Murray Hunter, Fairmont Clinic, Fairmont, W. Va.; Dr. J. W. G. Hannon, of Washington, Pa.; Horace C. Van Meter, Na-

tional Independent Coal Operators Association; and C. D. McDowell and Rufus B. Bailey, both of the Harlan County Coal Operators' Association, Kentucky.

PRINTING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee approved for reporting S. Res. 170, to print as a Senate document report entitled "A Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations."

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Maynard I. Shapiro, president, American Academy of General Practice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 82 public bills, H.R. 9505–9586; 12 private bills, H.R. 9587–9598; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 600–606, H. Con. Res. 184–187, and H. Res. 340–348, were introduced. Pages 7814–7816

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "The Future of U.S. Public Diplomacy" (H. Rept. 91–130);

H. Res. 214, amended; 259; 272, amended; 271, amended; 273; 301; 315; and 320 (H. Repts. 91–131 to 91–138, respectively) (for titles of the above resolutions see "Funding Resolutions" under "Committee Meetings");

H.R. 8794, to amend the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966, to continue the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development (H. Rept. 91–139);

H. Res. 340, providing for consideration of H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (H. Rept. 91–140); and

H.R. 9328, to provide special pay to naval officers, qualified in submarines, who have the current technical qualifications for duty in connection with supervision, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants, who agree to remain in active submarine service for one period of 4 years beyond any other obligated active service (H. Rept. 91–141). Pages 7813–7814

Presidential Communication—Educational and Cultural Exchange Program: Read a communication from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the report for fiscal year 1968 of the international educational and cultural exchange program—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Pages 7743–7744

Presidential Message—Inflation: Received and read a Presidential message regarding inflation, cutting expenditures, and maintaining revenues—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 7744–7745

Late Reports: Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 7746

Committee Funds Resolutions: The following resolutions providing for committee funds were called up and agreed to:

H. Res. 214, amended, Government Operations;
H. Res. 259, Public Works;
H. Res. 272, amended, Banking and Currency;
H. Res. 271, amended, Banking and Currency;
H. Res. 273, Education and Labor;
H. Res. 301, Post Office and Civil Service;
H. Res. 315, House Administration; and
H. Res. 320, Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

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Per Diem Allowance: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business.

Agreed to committee amendments.

H. Res. 337, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 7748–7752

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUBMARINE SERVICE PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9328, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide special pay to naval officers, qualified in submarines, who have the current technical qualification for duty in connection with supervision, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants, who agree to remain in active submarine service for one period of 4 years beyond any other obligated active service. Testimony was heard from Hon. James D. Hittle, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Vice Adm. C. K. Duncan, Chief of Naval Personnel; and Vice Adm. H. G. Rickover, Director, Nuclear Power, Naval Ship Systems Command.

HIGH PRICE OF LUMBER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the subject of the high price of lumber. Testimony was heard from Representatives Van Deerlin and Edwards of California and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Ichord. Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047 and H.R. 4295, coal mine health and safety legislation. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz and Under Secretary Hodgson and other officials of HEW.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 3290, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy held a hearing on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from James G. Morton, former Special Assistant to the Secretary of Commerce and Dr. N. R. Danielian, president, International Economic Policy Association. Hearings continue tomorrow.

EFFECTS OF SPACE AND WEAPONS DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments concluded hearings on the effects of space and weapons developments on U.S. alliances and security commitments abroad. Testimony was heard from Hon. U. Alexis Johnson, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, and Hon. G. Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from George J. Vecchietti, Director of Procurement, NASA.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

FUNDING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following committee funding resolutions:

H. Res. 214, amended, providing for the expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations;

H. Res. 259, to provide for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 189;

H. Res. 270, amended, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Internal Security;

H. Res. 271, amended, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 152 (Banking and Currency);

H. Res. 272, amended, authorizing the expenditure of moneys to cover expenses of the Committee on Banking and Currency incurred pursuant to H. Res. 152;

H. Res. 273, providing for the expenses incurred pursuant to H. Res. 200 (Education and Labor);

H. Res. 301, authorizing expenses for conducting studies and investigations pursuant to H. Res. 268 (Post Office and Civil Service);

H. Res. 315, providing funds for the Committee on House Administration; and

H. Res. 320, providing funds for the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met to consider pending business and adopted two committee resolutions.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 8190, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National Advisory Council on Motor Vehicle Safety. Hearings adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 6797, H.R. 7059, and similar bills, Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Senator Javits and public witnesses.

FEDERAL POWER ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 7186, and similar bills, to amend the Federal Power Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CLAIMS PAYMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing and approved for full committee action H.R. 4247, to amend section 2734 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary concerned to make

partial payments on certain claims which are certified to Congress.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy and public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification met in executive session for an organizational meeting.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Whalley, McDade, Quillen, Carter, Miller of Ohio, and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Saylor and Harsha. Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing and granted an open rule with 3 hours of debate and waiving points of order against committee amendment to H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Act, as amended. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fallon and Representatives Blatnik, Cramer, Garmatz, and Dingell.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Randal Robertson, Associate Director for Research, and Dr. Milton Rose, Head, Office of Computing Activities.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications met in executive session for markup of H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Subcommittee will meet tomorrow to continue markup.

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session and concluded markup of H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970.

VETERANS' EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training continued hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 6798, to amend title 38, United States Code, in order to improve the education and training programs for veterans;

H.R. 6800, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a uniform refund policy for pursuit of courses not leading to a standard college degree; and

H.R. 6808, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt of certain Federal educational assistance benefits.

Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Madden and public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held an executive meeting and approved its annual report on the President's Economic Report.

Thursday, March 27, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7954–8008

Bills Introduced: 24 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1701–1724; and S. Res. 173.

Pages 7956, 7964–7965

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was appropriately referred. **Page 7956**

Senate Authorizations: Order was adopted authorizing Secretary of Senate during adjournment until noon Monday, March 31, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives, and to refer same to appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized during this same period to file reports, along with any minority, supplemental, additional, or individual views.

Committee on Commerce was authorized to file reports during Senate's Easter period adjournment.

The Vice President, President pro tempore, or Acting President pro tempore was authorized to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions during adjournment until Monday, March 31. **Pages 7955, 8020, 8022**

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments:

Joint Committee on Reduction of Federal Expenditures—Senator Hruska in lieu of Senator Allott;

Ninth Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Conference to be held in Mexico, April 2–8—Senators Byrd (West Virginia) and Javits in lieu of Senators Bayh and Murphy; and

Interparliamentary Union Meeting in Vienna, Austria, April 7–13—Senator Bayh. Page 7967

Supplemental Appropriations for CCC: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 584, making supplemental appropriations of $1 billion for fiscal year 1969 for the Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 8008–8020

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Walter C. Sauer, of D.C., to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States; John A. Nevius, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; Nils A. Boe, of South Dakota, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; Eugene T. Rossides, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Paul W. Eggers, of Texas, to be General Counsel for the Treasury Department; Randolph W. Thrower, of Georgia, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue; Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State; Charles A. Meyer, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; John A. Hannah, of Michigan, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development; William B. Buffum, of New York, to be deputy representative to U.N. with rank of Ambassador; Christopher H. Phillips, of New York, to be deputy representative in the U.N. Security Council; one Army in the rank of general; numerous Navy in the rank of admiral; and numerous Marine Corps. Page 8025

Nominations: Five judicial nominations were received. Page 8025

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from Richard Barrett, Executive Director, American Revolution Bicentennial Commission; Joseph H. FitzGerald, Chairman, Federal Field Committee for Development Planning in Alaska; John O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines; and John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for projects in his division from Brig. Gen. Willard Roper, division engineer, Ohio River Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the north central division.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Continuing its executive hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, committee received further testimony in behalf of funds for Army research and development from Charles L. Poor, Acting Assistant Secretary for R. & D., and Lt. Gen. Austin W. Betts, Chief of Research and Development, both of the Army.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 31, on funds for Navy procurement.

ASSISTANT COMMANDANT OF MARINE CORPS

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee (Senators Inouye, Byrd of Virginia, and Smith), in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 3832, providing grade of general for Assistant Marine Corps Commandant so long as the office is held by present incumbent.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony in connection with this matter from Maj. Gen. Jonas Platt, Assistant Chief of Staff, G–1, Marine Corps.

WORLD SITUATION BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive a briefing from Secretary of State William P. Rogers concerning the world situation.

SANTA BARBARA CHANNEL OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: In executive session, committee received a briefing from Geological Survey Director Dr. William Pecora on operations under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, including the incident of the recent oil well leak in the Santa Barbara Channel, California.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings to receive testimony on implementation of laws and regulations concerning equal employment opportunity in Federal and federally assisted contracts. Witnesses heard were Senator Mondale; Clifford Alexander, Chairman, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Edward Sylvester, former Director, and Leonard Bierman, both of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance, Labor Department; and Jack Moscowitz, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civil Rights and Industrial Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education resumed hearings concerning recommendations for change in policy, organization, and administration in the field of education of American Indians, having as its witnesses Robert Bennett, Commissioner, and Charles Zellers, Assistant Commissioner for Education, both of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Dr. William L.

Hughes and Dr. Bennett L. Basore, professors of electrical engineering, Oklahoma State University.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed hearings on its study of food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witness John A. Schnittker, former Under Secretary of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 63 public bills, H.R. 9599–9661; 12 private bills, H.R. 9662–9673; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 607–610, H. Con. Res. 188–190, and H. Res. 349 and 350, were introduced. Pages 7952–7954

Interparliamentary Group Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Springer, whereby he resigns from the U.S. delegation to the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Lujan to fill the existing vacancy. Page 7894

Committees To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Committee on Armed Services received permission to sit during general debate of the House for the week beginning March 31. Pages 7895, 7901

Submarine Officers: Under general rules of the House, it was made in order to consider on Tuesday or Wednesday next H.R. 9328, to provide special pay to naval officers, qualified in submarines, who have the current technical qualifications for duty in connection with supervision, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants, who agree to remain in active submarine service for one period of 4 years beyond any other obligated active service. Page 7895

Aircraft Procurement Authorization: By a record vote of 341 yeas to 21 nays, the House passed H.R. 7757, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for the Armed Forces.

Agreed to a committee amendment.

H. Res. 336, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted by a voice vote. Pages 7894–7900

Interparliamentary Group Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Morse, whereby he resigns from the U.S. delegation to the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Lloyd to fill the existing vacancy. Page 7908

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, April 2. Page 7908

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 714, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif.—referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 7952

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued military posture briefings and consideration of legislation authorizing appropriations during the fiscal year 1970 for the procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles; research, development, test, and evaluation for the Armed Forces; and to prescribe the authorized strength of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Defense Laird.

HIGH PRICE OF LUMBER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the subject of the high price of lumber. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dellenback, Don Clausen, and Udall and public witnesses.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047 and H.R. 4295, coal mine safety and health legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mollohan and Saylor and Dr. Lorin E. Kerr, United Mine Workers Health and Retirement Fund.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 3290, construction safety. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz and Under Secretary Hodgson and public witnesses.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Further testimony was heard from George J. Vecchietti, Director of Procurement, NASA.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held an orienta-

tion meeting with Assistant Secretary Klein and the Director of Water Resources Research.

FEDERAL POWER ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 7186, and similar bills, to amend the Federal Power Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 6797, H.R. 7059, and similar bills, Hill-Burton hospital construction. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 8261, H.R. 8322, and H.R. 8323, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended. Testimony was heard from SEC Commissioner Hugh F. Owens, Deputy Attorney General John McLaren, and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing and took testimony on private immigration bills.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. John Harllee, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission.

ARMED FORCES' MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 8434, to provide free letter mail and improved service for servicemen overseas.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Chairman Dulski and Representatives Matsunaga and Philbin, and Government and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Derwinski and Daniels.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Perkins and Flood; Governor Nunn of Kentucky; and Dr. Frank Rose, president, University of Alabama. Hearings were recessed until April 15.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank Blair, Chairman, U.S. National Committee for the IBP, and Dr. Howard Page, Associate Director for Institutional Relations. Hearings continue tomorrow.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970.

VETERANS' EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training concluded hearings on H.R. 6798, H.R. 6800, and H.R. 6808, veterans' educational assistance programs. Testimony was heard from Veterans of Foreign Wars and AMVETS.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Fisher and public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Resolutions submitted: Two resolutions were submitted, as follows: S. Res. 174–175. Pages 8080–8081

President's Message—Eisenhower Death: The President transmitted message officially notifying Congress of the death of Dwight David Eisenhower, 34th President of the United States, which was read to the Senate—received March 28 under prior authorization. Page 8080

Eisenhower Memorial Service: By unanimous consent, transcript of the informal meeting of Senators held in the Senate Chamber on Sunday, March 30, prior to attending memorial services for the late former President Eisenhower in the Capitol rotunda was ordered to be printed in the Record. Also ordered printed were the eulogy delivered by President Nixon and the benediction by the Senate Chaplain on that occasion.

The proceedings referred to above were occasioned as follows:

On Sunday, March 30, Members of the Senate met informally at 3:30 p.m. at the call of the leadership and discussed procedure to be followed in connection with the memorial services that afternoon as the body of the late former President lay in state in the Capitol rotunda and plans for the funeral were announced. This informal meeting adjourned at 4:13 p.m. and Senators pro-

ceeded to the rotunda for the Eisenhower memorial service. Pages 8078–8080

Floral Wreath: S. Res. 174, authorizing purchase of floral wreath to be placed by the remains of the late former President Eisenhower while lying in state in the Capitol rotunda, was adopted. Page 8080

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 175, expressing sorrow and condolences on the death of the late former President of the United States, Dwight David Eisenhower. Prior to its adoption numerous Senators spoke in tribute to the deceased, and it was ordered that the Record will remain open for 21 days for any additional eulogies. Pages 8080–8098

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 28, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, with testimony on funds for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service from Clarence Palmby, Assistant Secretary, and Carroll G. Brunthaver, Jr., Acting Administrator, ASCS; and on funds for the Agricultural Research Service from Ned D. Bailey, Director of Science and Education, G. W. Irving, Jr., Administrator, both of ARS, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 28, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving further testimony in behalf of funds for the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife from its Director, John S. Gottschalk.

Subcommittee also received testimony in behalf of funds for their respective commissions from Douglas McAgy, Acting Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts; and Barnaby Keeney, Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 2, to hear public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 28, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, with testimony in behalf of funds for projects in his division from Brig. Gen. Robert Tarbox, division engineer, North Central Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the North Pacific Division.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, March 28, Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs continued hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the antiballistic missile system, having as its witnesses Dr. Wolfgang K. H. Panofsky, Stanford Linear Accelerator Center, California; Dr. Donald G. Brennan, Hudson Institute, New York; and Dr. George W. Rathjens, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, March 28, Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young offenders, receiving testimony from Howard James, midwest editor, the Christian Science Monitor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, March 28, Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued hearings with regard to the implementation of laws and regulations concerning equal employment opportunity in projects involving Federal and federally assisted contracts, having as its witnesses David Packard, Deputy Secretary of Defense, and John A. Volpe, Secretary of Transportation, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: On Friday, March 28, committee continued hearings on its study of food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witness Mary Jane Dunn, of Jackson, Ky., who conducted a survey of conditions in Breathitt, Lee, Owsley, and Wolfe Counties, in the State of Kentucky.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 9674–9694; six private bills, H.R. 9695–9700; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 611–614 and H. Res. 351, were introduced. Pages 8127–8129

Eulogy: On Sunday evening, March 30, Members gathered in the House Chamber, and then proceeded in a body to the rotunda to hear eulogies to former President Eisenhower. Pages 8099–8123

Presidential Communication: Received and read a Presidential communication informing Congress of the death of former President Eisenhower. Page 8099

Condolence Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 351, expressing the sentiments of the House on the death of former President Eisenhower. Pages 8127–8128

Funeral Committee: The Speaker appointed as members of the funeral committee to attend the funeral services today at the Washington Cathedral, the Speaker and the entire membership of the House. Appointed Representatives Fisher and Mize to attend services in Abilene, Kans., on Wednesday, April 2. Page 8128

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

(There were no committee meetings held today. The following meetings were held on Friday, March 28.)

HIGH PRICE OF LUMBER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the subject of the high price of lumber. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PARKING FACILITIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Began hearings on H.R. 262, and similar bills, to establish parking facilities in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 6707, H.R. 7059, and similar bills, Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas Bryant, Director of Health, Office of Economic Opportunity, and public witnesses.

FEDERAL POWER ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 7186, and similar bills, to amend the Federal Power Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from NSF witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, April 1, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8204–8296

Bills Introduced: 33 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1725–1757; S.J. Res. 85–87; S. Con. Res. 15; and S. Res. 176. Pages 8210–8211, 8229–8230

Bill Referred: H.R. 7757, authorizing supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft for Armed Forces, was referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 8204

Eisenhower Eulogies: Order was entered that a compilation of the eulogies delivered and to be delivered by Senators in tribute to the life, character, and achievements of the late former President Eisenhower be printed as a Senate document. Page 8239

Easter Recess: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 191, providing that when the two Houses of Congress adjourn on Thursday, April 3, they stand adjourned until noon Monday, April 14. Page 8311

Confirmation: The nomination of Harrison Loesch, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, was confirmed. Page 8311

Nominations: The following nominations were received during adjournment on March 28 under prior authorization: Dorothy A. Elston, of Delaware, to be Treasurer of the United States; Mary Brooks, of Idaho, to be Director of the Mint; Ralph R. Bartelsmeyer, of Illinois, to be Director of Public Roads; one Army in the rank of general; and two Navy in the rank of admiral. Page 8311

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, subcommittee heard testimony from Clarence Palmby, Assistant Secretary; Raymond A. Ioanes, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service; Lyle P. Schertz, Acting Administrator, International Agricultural Development Service; Donald A. Campbell, Packers and Stockyards Administra-

tion; and Roy W. Lennartson, Administrator, and Richard Lyng, both of the Consumer and Marketing Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, with testimony in behalf of funds for projects in his division from Brig. Gen. Roy S. Kelley, division engineer, North Pacific Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the South Pacific and Pacific Ocean areas.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony on funds for Navy procurement from Secretary John H. Chafee; Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Thomas H. Moorer; and Marine Corps Commandant Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGH INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee concluded hearings on the subject of high interest rates and their impact on the economy, after receiving testimony from Robert Eisner, professor, Econometrics Research Center, Northwestern University; Prof. Irwin Friend, Wharton School of Finance, University of Pennsylvania; James J. O'Leary, U.S. Trust Co., New York City; Leif H. Olsen, First National City Bank, New York City; and Prof. Warren L. Smith, Department of Economics, University of Michigan.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 1 week for the inclusion of additional written material.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded its hearings on S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969, after receiving testimony from John S. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; John A. McCart, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO; and Robert Bollard, American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees.

NOMINATION—INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Harrison Loesch, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Prof. Joel Dirlam, University of Rhode Island, Kingston; Prof. Wayne A. Leeman, University of Missouri, Columbia; and Prof. Paul G. Bradley, University of British Columbia, Vancouver.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY DAMAGE

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 993, to provide assistance to California for reconstruction of highways and forest roads damaged by recent flooding and landslides, receiving testimony from Senator Murphy; James Moe, Director of Public Works, James G. Stearns, Director of Conservation, and Charles P. Samson, Director of the Disaster Office, all of whom represented Governor of California Reagan; A. P. Stokes, director of public works for Ventura County; Elston L. Kidwell, chairman of the board of supervisors of San Luis Obispo County; Irv Morhar, Los Angeles County Road Commissioner; Raymond T. Seeley, chairman of the board of supervisors of Riverside County; and Reuben Ayala, chairman of the board of supervisors of San Bernardino County.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 3.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 112 public bills, H.R. 9701–9812; eight private bills, H.R. 9813–9820; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 615–621, H. Con. Res. 191–194, and H. Res. 352–354, were introduced. Pages 8150, 8201–8204

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "January 1969 Economic Report of the President" (H. Rept. 91–142);

H. Res. 270, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Internal Security, amended (H. Rept. 91–143); and

H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard, amended (H. Rept. 91–144). Page 8201

Member Sworn: Representatives Jones of Tennessee presented himself in the well of the House and took the oath of office. Page 8129

Mortgage Interest Rates: The House passed S.J. Res. 37, to extend the time for the making of a final report by the Commission To Study Interest Rates; this action clears the measure for Presidential action.

Pages 8130–8131

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 165 and S. 586.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2275,

1721, 2335, 3480, 3990, 6583, 6584, 1960, 2315, 2948, 3464, 3539, 5402, and 6896.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 2876, 3379, 1437, 1708, 1939, 3144, 3212, 3548, 4064, 5072, and 6161.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1507, 2214, 2940, 3213, 3377, 3348, 5000, 6400, 6585, 6378, 2464, 4546, 6366, 6670, and 6931.

Further proceedings under the call of the Private Calendar were dispensed with after Calendar No. 42.

Pages 8131–8136

Submarine Officers: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 9328, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide special pay to naval officers, qualified in submarines, who have the current technical qualification for duty in connection with supervision, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants, who agree to remain in active submarine service for one period of 4 years beyond any other obligated active service.

Consideration of the bill was pursuant to a unanimous-consent request. Pages 8136–8137

Committee Funds: By a record vote of 305 yeas to 51 nays the House agreed to H. Res. 270, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Internal Security.

Prior to passage, a motion to recommit was rejected by a record vote of 74 yeas to 283 nays. Pages 8137–8150

Easter Recess: Passed by a voice vote H. Con. Res. 191, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Thursday, April 3, 1969, they stand adjourned until 12 o'clock meridian, Monday, April 14, 1969. Page 8150

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted that the Clerk be authorized to receive messages from the Senate, and that the Speaker be authorized to sign any enrolled bills and joint resolutions passed by the two Houses, notwithstanding the adjournment for Easter.

Pages 8150–8151

Authorizations: By unanimous consent, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and to appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House, notwithstanding the adjournment for Easter. Page 8151

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, April 16.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Defense Laird. Hearings were adjourned until April 15.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 254, amended, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in law enforcement in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 4182, to authorize voluntary admission of patients to the District of Columbia institution providing care, education, and treatment of mentally retarded persons; and

H.R. 9526, to amend the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act to provide that employer contributions do not have to be made under that act with respect to service performed in the employ of certain public international organizations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Special Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Concluded hearings on H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics held a hearing on the 1970 census questions. Testimony was heard from A. Ross Eckler, Director, Bureau of the Census. Hearings were adjourned until April 15.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from Herman Pollack, Director, International Scientific and Technological Affairs, Department of State; William T. Knox, vice president, McGraw-Hill; Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, NSF; and Dr. Louis Levin, Executive Associate Director, NSF.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications met in executive session and concluded markup of H.R. 4046, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bingham and Hathaway and public witnesses.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through March 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	38	46	..
Time in session	133 hrs., 47′	84 hrs., 56′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	3,408	2,389	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	2,506
Public bills enacted into law	2	4	6
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	142	93	..
Senate bills	58	2	..
House bills	4	15	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	2	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	2	1	..
House concurrent resolutions	4	3	..
Simple resolutions	70	70	140
Measures reported, total	*176	*128	..
Senate bills	58	3	..
House bills	4	76	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	2	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	4	..	..
Simple resolutions	107	48	155
Special reports	6	13	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	1	64	..
Measures introduced, total	1,997	10,852	12,849
Bills	1,724	9,700	11,424
Joint resolutions	84	614	698
Concurrent resolutions	14	187	201
Simple resolutions	175	351	526
Quorum calls	7	15	..
Yea-and-nay votes	17	16	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 114 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 141 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through March 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 3,615, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,335
Unconfirmed	280
Air Force nominations, totaling 1,286, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,269
Unconfirmed	17
Navy nominations, totaling 7,367, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,365
Unconfirmed	2
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 5,913, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,912
Unconfirmed	1
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,672, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,581
Unconfirmed	74
Withdrawn	17
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	20,481
Total confirmed	19,638
Total unconfirmed	374
Total withdrawn	469

Wednesday, April 2, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Kenneth E. Frick, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from Kenneth E. Grant, Administrator, Soil Conservation Service; Edwin A. Jaenke, Governor, Farm Credit Administration; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 15, when public witnesses will be heard.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Members of the Congress and Secretary of the Interior Walter Hickel.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions items, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for projects in the South Pacific and Pacific Ocean Divisions from Lt. Col. Kenneth E. McIntyre, Assistant Director of Civil Works, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the lower Mississippi valley and Mississippi River and tributaries.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Continuing its executive hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, committee received testimony on funds for Navy procurement from Vice Adm. Thomas F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air); Brig. Gen. George C. Axtell, Assistant Chief of Staff, Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Navy witnesses.

SPANISH BASES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to receive testimony concerning current negotiations for continuation of our military installations in Spain from Under Secretary of State Elliot Richardson and Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs U. Alexis Johnson.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued its hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Prof. Robert Engler, Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, N.Y.; John Lichtblau, Petroleum Industry Research Foundation, New York City; Prof. Helmut J. Frank, University of Arizona; and Prof. Walter Adams, Michigan State University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Committee announced that it has approved for reporting the nominations of G. Fred Steele, of North Carolina, to be Federal Cochairman of the Coastal Plains Regional Commission, and W. Donald Brewer, of Colorado, to be Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

S. Res. 89, to print as a Senate document a Judiciary Committee publication entitled "The New Left";

S. Res. 165, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Crime Against Small Business";

S. Res. 169, to print as a Senate document a Public Works subcommittee report entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity With Regard to Federal-Aid Highway Projects";

S. Res. 171, to provide for further printing of annual report of the Special Committee on Aging;

S. Con. Res. 15, to print as a Senate document a Foreign Relations Committee compilation of studies on survey of Alliance for Progress; and

An original resolution authorizing printing as a Senate document of certain prayers of former Senate Chaplain Frederick Brown Harris.

Committee also considered several administrative matters affecting the Senate service department.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 82 public bills, H.R. 9821–9902; eight private bills, H.R. 9903–9910; and 12 resolutions,

H.J. Res. 622–628, H. Con. Res. 195 and 196, and H. Res. 355–357, were introduced. Pages 8379, 8400–8402

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 355, electing Ed Jones of Tennessee, to be a member of the standing committee of the House of Representatives on agriculture. Page 8379

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON CHILE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing with Sidney Weintraub, Director, AID Operations, Chile.

SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS PERMIT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on foreign policy aspects regarding the recent granting of a permit to South African Airways. Testimony was heard from Joseph B. Goldman, General Counsel; Joseph Watson, Director, Bureau of International Affairs; and A. M. Andrews, Director, Bureau of Operating Rights, CAB; Frank E. Loy, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Transportation and Telecommunications, Bureau of Economic Affairs, Department of State; and George M. Houser, executive director, American Committee on Africa.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met to consider pending business. No announcements were made.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

GREAT LAKES WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session for briefing by Corps of Engineers on Great Lakes water pollution.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Saylor and Adams and public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, April 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8595–8676

Bills Introduced: 25 bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1758–1782; S.J. Res. 88–90; S. Con. Res. 16–18; and S. Res. 177–179. Pages 8598, 8607–8608

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Special Committee on Aging entitled "Developments in Aging, 1968," with minority views (S. Rept. 91–119); and

The following six printing resolutions, the titles of which may be found in the item below headed "Printing," showing their adoption today by Senate:

S. Res. 178, S. Con. Res. 15, S. Res. 89, S. Res. 169, S. Res. 171, and S. Res. 165, with amendment (S. Repts. 91–120 to 91–125, respectively). Pages 8597–8598, 8607–8608

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Page 8595

Senate Authorizations: It was ordered during period of Senate adjournment until Monday, April 14, that Secretary of Senate is authorized on Friday, April 4, and Thursday, April 10, to receive and refer any messages from the President or the House of Representatives.

All committees are authorized under the order to file reports on these same days, with any minority, individual, or supplemental views. Page 8596

Eisenhower Eulogies: Senate adopted S. Con. Res. 16, authorizing printing as a Senate document the eulogies of former President Eisenhower in Congress; the eulogy delivered by President Nixon and the benediction by Senate Chaplain Elson in the Capitol rotunda on Sunday, March 30; and the complete text of the funeral services at the Washington National Cathedral on Monday, March 31. Page 8631

Printing: The following six printing resolutions were adopted:

S. Res. 178, authorizing printing as a Senate document of certain prayers of former Senate Chaplain Frederick Brown Harris;

S. Con. Res. 15, to print as a Senate document a Foreign Relations Committee compilation of studies on survey of Alliance for Progress;

S. Res. 89, to print as a Senate document a Judiciary Committee publication entitled "The New Left";

S. Res. 169, to print as a Senate document a Public Works subcommittee report entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity With Regard to Federal-Aid Highway Projects";

S. Res. 171, to provide for further printing of annual report of the Special Committee on Aging; and

S. Res. 165, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Crime Against Small Business" (with committee amendment). Page 8618

Appointments by Vice President: The Vice President made the following appointments to attend the Disarmament Conference to be held in Geneva: Senators Pastore, Gore, Burdick, Cooper, Bennett, and Cotton. Page 8631

Confirmations: The following nominations were con firmed: G. Fred Steele, Jr., of North Carolina, to be Federal Cochairman of the Coastal Plains Regional Commission; W. Donald Brewer, of Colorado, to be

Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission; Benjamin F. Holman, of the District of Columbia, to be Director, Community Relations Service; Kenneth E. Frick, of California, to be member of Board of Directors of Commodity Credit Corporation; Henry Loomis, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director, U.S. Information Agency; Glenn A. Olds, of New York, to be U.S. representative on Economic and Social Council of U.N.; and four judicial. Page 8676

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senators Metcalf, Hansen, Hart, and Yarborough; Representative Mikva; and Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel, accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for civil functions, subcommittee received testimony on funds for projects in his division from Maj. Gen. R. G. MacDonnell, division engineer, Lower Mississippi Valley Division, Corps of Army Engineers, and President, Mississippi River Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Continuing its executive hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, committee heard testimony in behalf of funds for Navy procurement from Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary for Research and Development.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY DAMAGE

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on S. 993, to provide assistance to California for reconstruction of highways and forest roads damaged by recent flooding and landslides, with testimony from Fred J. Russell, Deputy Director, Childs Kendall, General Counsel, and Gordon Gillis, Congressional Liaison, all of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; Jack Frost, Director of Emergency Loan Division, Farmers Home Administration, and M. M. Nelson, Deputy Chief of the Forest Service, both of the Department of Agriculture; Martin S. Maloney, Bureau of Public Roads, Department of Transportation; and Howard W. Rogerson, Deputy Associate Administrator, Small Business Administration.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 68 public bills, H.R. 9911–9978; 17 private bills, H.R. 9979–9995; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 629–636, H. Con. Res. 197 and 198, and H. Res. 358 and 359, were introduced. Pages 8550, 8592–8594

Member Sworn: Representative Obey, of Wisconsin, presented himself in the well of the House and took the oath of office. Page 8550

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 358, electing Representative Schwengel to the Joint Committee on the Library. Page 8550

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved several pending real estate projects.

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session for continuation of inquiry into certain aspects of the Army's tank program. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

SUBSIDY TO BUS COMPANIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 9686, to provide public assistance to mass transit bus companies in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from the Honorable George A. Avery, Chairman, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission. Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Reuss and Hechler and public witnesses. Hearings to continue on Monday, April 14.

Monday, April 14, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8773–8857

Bills Introduced: 21 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1783–1803; and S. Res. 180.

Pages 8775, 8779

President's Message—Domestic Program Outline: Message was received from the President outlining a series of legislative recommendations he will propose to deal with the Nation's domestic problems—referred jointly to Committees on Banking and Currency, Commerce, District of Columbia, Finance, Judiciary, Labor and Public Welfare, and Post Office and Civil Service.

Pages 8771–8773

Treaty Received: The texts of two notes, signed and exchanged at Washington on March 21, constituting an agreement between the United States and Canada, for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes, was received (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 8773

Nominations: The following nominations were received during adjournment on Thursday, April 10, under prior authorization: Kenneth B. Keating, of New York, to be Ambassador to India; C. Burke Elbrick, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to Brazil; William J. Handley, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Turkey; Robert C. Hill, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Spain; William Leonhart, of West Virginia, to be Ambassador to Yugoslavia; Val Peterson, of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to Finland; Alfred Puhan, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Hungary; Philip N. Whittaker, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Lewis Butler, of California, to be an assistant Secretary of HEW; Robert C. Mardian, of California, to be General Counsel of Department of HEW; Walter L. Mazan, of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; L. J. Andolsek, of Minnesota, to be a Civil Service Commissioner; and numerous Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

Today Senate received the following nominations: Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts, to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations with rank of Ambassador; Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; and Brantley Blue, of Tennessee, to be a Commissioner of the Indian Claims Commission. Pages 8858–8860

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, began hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony on funds for military operations in Southeast Asia from Robert C. Moot, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), and Brig. Gen. D. P. Bolton, Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations (Army), who were accompanied by other officials of the Department of Defense.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 16.

HIGHWAY SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings to review the implementation of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966, and on S. 1245, authorizing funds to extend the provisions of this act, with testimony from Senator Nelson, and Francis C. Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, and Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, both of the Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, April 11, committee continued its hearings on the problem of crime in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Dr. Vincent Dole, the Rockefeller University, New York City; Dr. Murray Grant, Director, D.C. Department of Public Health; and David G. Bress, U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia.

On Thursday, April 10, testimony was received from George P. Lamb, an attorney, and Dr. Abraham Aronow, both of the District of Columbia; and Dr. Sherman M. Kieffer, Assistant Director for Patient Care, and Dr. Morton Miller, Division of Special Mental Health Programs, both of the National Institutes of Mental Health.

On Wednesday, April 9, committee heard testimony from Chief John B. Layton, Metropolitan Police Department; Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, D.C. Department of Corrections; Carl D. Coleman, Chairman, D.C. Board of Parole; and George Rhodes, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education, D.C. Public Schools.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs began hearings to examine the roots of the recent crisis in relations between the United States and Peru, having as its witnesses Dr. Luigi Einaudi, a political scientist with the Rand Corp.; and Prof. Harry Kantor, Political Science Department, Marquette University.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 16.

SPANISH BASES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony concerning current negotiations for continuation of our military installations in Spain from Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session to consider S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, April 16.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witness Ben Heineman, Chairman, President's Commission on Income Maintenance.

Hearings continue tomorrow with a field tour of several areas in the District of Columbia.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 60 public bills, H.R. 9996–10055; seven private bills, H.R. 10056–10062; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 637–642, H. Con. Res. 199, and H. Res. 360–362, were introduced. Pages 8883, 8914–8916

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 91–145); and

H.R. 5615, a private bill (H. Rept. 91–146). Page 8914

Permission To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House for Tuesday, April 15, and the balance of the week. Page 8866

Presidential Message—Legislative Proposals—Domestic Programs: Received and read a Presidential message regarding some legislative proposals, and a report on the development of administration plans and priorities as they relate to domestic programs—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 8881–8883

Pan American Union: By a voice vote, the House agreed to H. Res. 360, relative to the anniversary of the founding of the Pan American Union. Pages 8883–8891

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty resumed hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MINERAL RESOURCES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met for briefing on mineral resources. Testimony was heard from Hollis M. Dole, Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources; Director of the Bureau of Mines; Director, U.S. Geological Survey; and heads of other offices under Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Vander Jagt and public witnesses. The committee will meet in executive session tomorrow on tax reform.

Tuesday, April 15, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9099–9155

Bills Introduced: 28 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1804–1831; and S.J. Res. 91–93. Page 9101

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 265, 1625, and 1531, private bills (S. Repts. 91–126 to 91–128, respectively). Pages 9100–9101

Senate Voice Reinforcement: Senate adopted with amendment S. Res. 167, installation in the Senate Chamber of a voice-reinforcement system and auxiliary appurtenances, after adopting Curtis amendment providing that a contract for such system may not be entered into until 30 days after the design and cost have been presented to the Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 9155–9158

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of the Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Friday, April 18, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to refer same to the appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports along with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Page 9161

Nominations: The following nominations were received: John B. Martin, Jr., of Michigan, to be Commissioner on Aging; Robert Ellsworth, of Kansas, to be the U.S. permanent representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with the rank and status of Ambassador; and Philip K. Crowe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway. Page 9205

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Representative Zwach and several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony in behalf of funds for Navy procurement from Vice Adm. John B. Colwell, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operations and Readiness).

Hearings continue tomorrow on the Air Force title of the bill.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee began a series of hearings on S. 34 and S. 296, proposing numerous amendments to the Investment Company Act of 1940, having as its witnesses Hugh F. Owens, member, Securities and Exchange Commission; Paul W. Eggers, General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; and Davidson Sommers, senior vice president, Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 17.

HIGHWAY SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings to review the implementation of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966, and on S. 1245, authorizing funds to extend the provisions of this act, with further testimony from Francis C. Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, accompanied by Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, both of the Department of Transportation.

Testimony was also received from Senator Ribicoff and Dr. William Haddon, Jr., president, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations: Kenneth B. Keating, of New York, to be Ambassador to India; Val Peterson, of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to Finland; William Leonhart, of West Virginia, to be Ambassador to Yugoslavia; William J. Handley, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Turkey; Joseph H. Blatchford, of California, to be Director of the Peace Corps; and Alfred Puhan, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Hungary.

Senators Hruska and Curtis appeared in support of Mr. Peterson, and Senator Javits appeared in support of former Senator Keating. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Otto F. Otepka, of Maryland, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board, with testimony from Senator Dirksen. Mr. Otepka was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

JUDGESHIPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district court judgeships in various specified States, receiving testimony from Senator Gore; Representative Van Deerlin; John Biggs, senior judge, U.S. Circuit Court, Third Circuit; J. Harvey Johnson, senior judge, U.S. Circuit Court, Eighth Circuit; and Ernest C. Friesen, Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

Lawrence H. Silberman, of Hawaii, to be solicitor for the Department of Labor, with testimony from Senator Fong;

Arthur Fletcher, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor;

Robert D. Moran, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, Department of Labor, with testimony from Senator Kennedy;

James E. Allen, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and Commissioner of Education, with testimony from Senators Randolph and Javits; and Michael Jaffe, Liberty Lobby; and

William Hill Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, with testimony from Senators Scott and Schweiker; and Clarence Mitchell, NAACP.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

TOCKS ISLAND DAM, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of E. L. Stewart, of Oklahoma, to be Federal Cochairman of the Ozarks Regional Commission.

Also, the committee considered the matter of hydroelectric power development at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 82 public bills, H.R. 10063–10144; 13 private bills, H.R. 10145–10157; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 643–652, H. Con. Res. 200, and H. Res. 363–366, were introduced.

Pages 9052, 9096–9099

Resolution Reported: Report was filed as follows: H. Res. 366, providing for the consideration of H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education (H. Rept. 91–147). Page 9096

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, April 17. Page 9011

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 672 (in lieu of H.R. 7160).

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1507, 2940, 3213, 3348, 6585, 5067, 5136, and 6607.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 2464, 4546, 6366, 6670, 6931, 1632, 2005, 2218, 2336, and 3040.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2214, 3377, 5000, 6400, 6378, 2552, 5133, and 5134.

Further call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after calendar number 54. Pages 9011–9015

Water Pollution Control: After completing all general debate on H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, the first paragraph of the committee substitute was read and open for amendment, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 340, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 9015–9052

Late Report: Committee on Rules was granted permission to file a late report by midnight tonight.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 363, electing David R. Obey, of Wisconsin, to be a member of the standing Committee of the House of Representatives on Public Works. Page 9052

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL MARKETING ORDERS—PEARS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations held a hearing on H.R. 2690, and related bills, to add pears for canning or freezing to list of commodities for which Federal marketing orders may be made applicable, and to permit checkoff for marketing promotion projects, including paid advertising. Testimony was heard from Representatives Leggett and McFall and departmental and public witnesses.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Resumed executive hearings on military posture. Testimony was heard from Hon. Melvin R. Laird, Secretary of Defense. Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Prof. A. A. Berle, Columbia University, and Prof. Louis B. Schwartz, University of Pennsylvania Law School. Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047, H.R. 4295, and H.R. 7976, coal mine health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 8839, to establish a National Advisory Commission on Libraries. Testimony was heard from L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; Grant Venn, Associate Commissioner of Education, HEW; and public witnesses.

SUGAR QUOTA—SOUTH AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on the foreign policy aspects regarding the sugar quota for South Africa. Testimony was heard from Tom O. Murphy, Director of Sugar Policy Staff, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture, and Mr. Julius Katz, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of Economic Affairs, Department of State.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations resumed hearings on Government procurement. Testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General.

MINERAL RESOURCES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met for continuation of briefing on mineral resources. Testimony was heard from John F. O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Began hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Representatives Perkins, McMillan, Fountain, Jones of North Carolina, Henderson, Galifianakis, Mizell, Preyer of North Carolina, Lennon, Ruth, Jonas, Broyhill of North Carolina, Taylor, and Koch. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Udall, Cohelan, Pettis, and Abbitt. Hearings continue tomorrow.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Began hearings on H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from Andrew E. Gibson, Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Resumed hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Governor Bartlett of Oklahoma, Governor McNair of South Carolina, and a representative for Governor Scott of North Carolina; and Mr. Fred Steele, Federal Co-chairman, Coastal Plains Regional Commission.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment. The bill to be read by titles instead of by sections. All points of order are waived against lines 10 through 15 on page 13 and lines 6 through 16 on page 20. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representatives Quie, Ayres, Erlenborn, and Steiger of Wisconsin.

VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals began hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from Dr. H. Martin Engle, Chief Medical Director, Veterans' Administration. Hearings to continue on April 17.

TARIFF SCHEDULES—DUTY SUSPENSIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2718, amended, to extend for an additional temporary period the suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk;

H.R. 4229, amended, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid;

H.R. 5833, to continue until the close of June 30, 1972, the existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes;

H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots;

H.R. 10015, amended, to continue the suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum;

H.R. 10016, to continue for 2 years the existing suspension of duties on metal scrap;

H.R. 4239, amended, to amend the Tariff Schedules of the United States so as to prevent payment of multiple customs duties by U.S. owners of racehorses purchased outside the United States; and

H.R. 7311, amended, to amend TSUS to provide that the rate of duty on parts of stethoscopes shall be the same as the rate on stethoscopes.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony on funds for military operations in Southeast Asia from Maj. Gen. L. B. Taylor, Director of Army Budget, and Brig. Gen. William F. Pitts, Director of Air Force Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Navy officials will be heard.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorization for military procurement, with testimony in behalf of funds for Air Force procurement from Secretary Robert C. Seamans, Jr., and Chief of Staff John P. McConnell, both of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from these witnesses.

TOY SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1590, extending until June 30, 1970, the life of the National Commission on Product Safety, and S. 1689, a bill designed to eliminate the distribution of hazardous toys, with testimony from Arnold B. Elkind, Chairman, National Commission on Product Safety; Herbert L. Ley, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration; and Jerome M. Fryer, Gabriel Industries, Inc., who represented Toy Manufacturers of America.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the chair.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 33, authorizing $480 million for increased

U.S. participation in the International Development Association, having as its witness Secretary of the Treasury David Kennedy.

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Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs continued hearings to examine the roots of the recent crisis between the United States and Peru, having as its witnesses Prof. Richard Lillich, Naval War College, Newport, R.I.; James F. Dean, president, Esso Inter-America & International Petrol Co., Coral Gables, Fla.; and Richard Goodwin, former Special Assistant to the President.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act of 1969.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1075, S. 237, and S. 1752, bills to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality. Testimony was received from Senator Tydings; Dr. Lee A. Dubridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology; Walter J. Hickel, Secretary of the Interior; Mr. James D. Braman, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Urban Systems and Environment; Dr. Lynton K. Caldwell, professor of government, University of Indiana; Mike McCloskey, Sierra Club; Stewart Udall, former Secretary of the Interior; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Mrs. Donald E. Clusen, National League of Women Voters; and Rev. John Corrado, Unitarian Universalists Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nomination of John B. Hannum, to be U.S. district judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, prior to which action, in open session, Senators Scott and Schweiker appeared in the support of the nominee.

JUDGESHIPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district court judgeships in various specified States, receiving testimony from Richard G. Kleindienst, Deputy Attorney General; and Newell Ellison, Committee on Administration of Justice, D.C. Judicial Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the chair.

DRUG ABUSE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health began a series of hearings on drug abuse problems, having as its witnesses Dr. Alfred M. Freedman, chairman, department of psychiatry, New York Medical College; Dr. Gilbert Geis, professor of sociology, California State College at Los Angeles; and Dr. Jerome Jaffee, assistant professor of psychiatry, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, and S. 1808, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act to children employed in agriculture. Witnesses heard were Mrs. Dolores Huerta, who presented the statement of Caesar Chavez; Jerry Cohen and Robert McMillen, all of the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL–CIO; and several farmworkers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 65 public bills, H.R. 10158–10222; 13 private bills, H.R. 10223–10235; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 653–657 and H. Con. Res. 201–203, were introduced. Pages 9324–9326

Mail Service: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 10158, to provide mail service for Mamie Doud Eisenhower, widow of former President Dwight David Eisenhower. Page 9258

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 9258

Water Pollution Control: By a record vote of 392 yeas to 1 nay, the House passed H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended.

Agreed to three committee amendments that were clarifying and perfecting in nature.

Agreed to amendments that—

(1) direct the Secretary of the Interior to make a study of any and all methods of financing the cost of preventing, controlling, and abating water pollution;

(2) provides for the presentation of awards to private industry and local government for excellence in their water pollution programs; and

(3) provides for a Great Lakes water control demonstration.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

(1) place controls on the effect of thermal pollution by nuclear reactors;

(2) provide for the establishment of a national pollution disaster area;

(3) delete the sections regarding training grants and contracts, and scholarships from the bill;

(4) permit the States to enforce antipollution regulations against any vessel subject to provisions of the act; and

(5) bar the dumping of dredgings into the Great Lakes by the Army Corps of Engineers. Pages 9259–9293

Private Bill: By unanimous consent, the proceedings of April 15, whereby the House passed H.R. 5067, a private bill, were vacated, and S. 458, an identical Senate bill was passed in lieu. This action clears the measure for Presidential action. Page 9293

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WILDERNESS LANDS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests held a hearing on H.R. 393 and H.R. 3682, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to classify as wilderness the national forest lands known as the Lincoln Back Country, and parts of the Lewis and Clark and Lolo National Forest in Montana. Testimony was heard from Representatives Quie and Olsen. Statements for the record were submitted by Senators Mansfield and Metcalf and Governor Anderson of Montana.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture. Testimony was heard from Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047, H.R. 4295, and H.R. 7976, coal mine health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Job Corps witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement. Further testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States.

Hearings to continue on April 21.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Dr. William H. Stewart, U.S. Surgeon General.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Committee met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving

testimony from Senator Harris and several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony on funds for military operations in Southeast Asia from Rear Adm. W. D. Gaddis, Director of Budget and Reports, Office of the Navy Comptroller; and Brig. Gen. E. H. Simmons, Deputy Fiscal Director, U.S. Marine Corps, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 21, on funds for Agriculture Department items.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 3832, providing grade of general for Assistant Marine Corps Commandant so long as the office is held by present incumbent.

Committee held hearings on and ordered favorably reported the nominations of Curtis W. Tarr, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); and Lt. Gen. Robert E. Cushman, Jr., to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

Prior to approval of H.R. 3832, committee received favorable report thereon from special subcommittee consisting of Senators Inouye, Byrd of Virginia, and Smith.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with further testimony in behalf of funds for Air Force procurement from Secretary Robert C. Seamans, Jr., and Chief of Staff Gen. John P. McConnell, both of the Air Force.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 22, with testimony in open session on the proposed antiballistic missile system.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings on S. 34 and S. 296, proposing numerous amendments to the Investment Company Act of 1940, having as its witnesses Paul A. Samuelson, institute professor, MIT; Reese Harris, Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co., representing American Bankers Association; Robert L. Augenblick, president, Investment Company Institute; and J. Edward Day and John Schroeder, both of Association of Mutual Fund Plan Sponsors, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs continued hearings to examine the roots of the recent crisis between the United States and Peru, having as its witness Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LOSS OF NAVY RECONNAISSANCE PLANE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Under Secretary of State Elliot L. Richardson to discuss the recent loss off the coast of North Korea of the Navy EC–121 reconnaissance aircraft.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs, having as its witness Dr. James L. Goddard, former Commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration, and presently president of Electronic Data Processing Technology, Atlanta.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 24.

FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, and S. 1808, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act to children employed in agriculture. Witnesses heard were Charles B. Shuman, American Farm Bureau Federation; Fred W. Burrows, International Apple Association; Richard V. Thornton, National Council of Agricultural Employers; Harry Graham, National Farmers Organization; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; Reed Larson, National Right-To-Work Committee; and Bernard J. Imming and Charles R. Creuziger, Vegetable Growers Association of America.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG ABUSE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on drug abuse problems, having as its witnesses Dr. Joseph English, Administrator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration, accompanied by Dr. Stanley Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Dr. Henry Brill, chairman, Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, American Medical Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow in Fort Worth, Tex.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session to consider S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration a list of prospectuses for construction of new Federal buildings and alterations to existing buildings.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witnesses Dr. Eugene Wiegman, dean of community education, Federal City College; Peter Slevin, Office of Probation, D.C. court of general sessions; Dr. Margaret Gutelies, Director, Child Health Center, Children's Hospital; Dr. Murray Grant, Director, D.C. Department of Public Health; Mrs. Lois Earle, D.C. Department of Public Health, accompanied by several nutritionists; and Daniel Mayers, representing the Health and Welfare Council of the National Capital Area.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 10236–10276; six private bills, H.R. 10277–10282; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 658–662, H. Con. Res. 204–207, and H. Res. 367 and 368, were introduced. Pages 9467–9468

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 8434, to amend title 39, United States Code, to provide additional free letter mail and air transportation mailing privileges for certain members of the U.S. Armed Forces (H. Rept. 91–148). Page 9467

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, April 23. Page 9429

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit began hearings on H.R. 561, and related bills, to amend section 16 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, as amended, to extend the Great Plains conservation program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Kleppe, Andrews of North Dakota, and Price of Texas; and departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Langen, Steed, and White. Hearings continue tomorrow.

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations began hearings on H.R. 2777, and related bills, Potato Research and Promotion Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Downing, Jones of North Carolina, and Andrews of North Dakota; and departmental and public witnesses. Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture. Testimony was heard from Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard and John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy; Under Secretary of the Treasury Charls Walker; and Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General for Antitrust.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047, H.R. 4295, and H.R. 7976, coal mine health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings to continue on April 23.

COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 8839, to establish a National Advisory Commission on Libraries. Testimony was heard from former Representative Elliott of Alabama and public witnesses.

PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to consider pending legislation. No announcements were made.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patten, Olsen, and Culver; Louis Harris, Louis Harris Associates; and George Foreman, Recreation Director, Parks, Job Corps Center, Pleasanton, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AID IN NIGERIA AND TUNISIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing on AID activities in Nigeria and Tunisia. Testimony was heard from Vernon C. Johnson, Deputy Mission Director, AID, Nigeria, and Herman Davis, Deputy Mission Director, AID, Tunisia.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on drug safety. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met for briefing on the National Park Service by Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks; and the Director of the National Park Service.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Rosel Hyde, Chairman, FCC; Dr. Robert Miller, Secretary of Agriculture, Kentucky; and Dr. George Wm. Ware, D.C. Interagency on Smoking and Health.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and began consideration of electoral college reform.

The committee will consider it further on April 22 at 10 a.m.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT—AIRLIFT FOR OVERSEAS ARMED FORCES MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8434, to amend title 39, United States Code, to provide additional free letter mail and air transportation mailing privileges for certain members of the U.S. Armed Forces; and H.R. 9825, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Harold Jordahl, Federal Cochairman, Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission; and Robert Podesta, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development.

Hearings to continue on April 22.

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VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from the Chairman, Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, and members of a special medical advisory group for the Veterans' Administration.

Hearings to continue on April 21.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded a hearing on H.R. 9951, to provide temporary additional funds to finance costs of administering employment security programs. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz and public witnesses.

Following the hearing, the committee met in executive session but no announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, having as its witnesses Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman; James T. Ramey and Gerald F. Tape, members; and Paul W. McDaniel, Director, Division of Research, who were accompanied by other AEC officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9509–9657

Bills Introduced: 75 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1832–1906; S.J. Res. 94–95; and S. Con. Res. 19. **Pages 9512–9513, 9531**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 85, stating the sense of the Senate that a national commitment of the United States to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality, with minority views (S. Rept. 91–129)—reported during adjournment on April 16 under prior authorization; and

H.R. 3832, providing grade of general for Assistant Marine Corps Commandant so long as the office is held by present incumbent (S. Rept. 91–130). **Pages 9511, 9512**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 9509–9510**

Private Bills: Senate passed three private bills as follows: S. 265, S. 1531, and, with amendment, S. 1625.

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Eisenhower Mail: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House, H.R. 10158, to provide lifetime mail service for Mamie Doud Eisenhower, the widow of former President Eisenhower.

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Senate Authorizations: Authority was granted, during adjournment of Senate on Monday, April 21, for Secretary of Senate to receive and appropriately refer any messages from the President and the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, during this period, to file reports with any individual, minority, or additional views. Page 9606

Treaty Received: Convention on Conduct of Fishing Operations in the North Atlantic, done at London on June 1, 1967, and signed on behalf of 17 governments, including the United States, was received during adjournment on April 16 under prior authorization (Ex. D, 91st Cong., first sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 9510–9511

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of E. L. Stewart, of Oklahoma, to be General Cochairman of the Ozarks Regional Commission; and John D. J. Moore, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Ireland.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations during adjournment under prior authorization—on April 16 Shiro Kashiwa, of Hawaii, to be an Assistant Attorney General; George J. Reed, of Oregon, to be a member of the Board of Parole; Henry Lehne, of Massachusetts, Ronald B. Lee, of Maryland, and Frank J. Nunlist, of New Jersey, each to be an Assistant Postmaster General; and five judicial; and on April 17 one judicial.

Today the Senate received the following nominations: William E. Schuyler, Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Patents; 13 Army in the rank of general; and numerous Navy. Pages 9657–9667

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senator Hartke; representatives of several farm organizations; and other public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings on S. 34 and S. 296, proposing numerous amendments to the Investment Company Act of 1940, having as its witnesses Henry C. Wallich, professor of economics, Yale University; Ernest L. Folk III, professor of law, University of Virginia; Abraham L. Pomerantz, attorney, New York City; Robert M. Loeffler, vice president, Investors Diversified Securities; Andrew J. Melton, Investment Bankers Association; and Raymond W. Cocchi, Independent Broker Dealers' Trade Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

JOB CORPS CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings to receive testimony on the closing of the Job Corps centers announced on April 11 by Secretary of Labor Shultz. Witnesses heard were Louis Harris, New York City, who testified on his study of the Job Corps under OEO contract; Francis Keppel, president, General Learning Corp., New York City; Lt. Roosevelt Dunning, Job Corps Police Training School, Edison, N.J.; John Belindo, National Congress of American Indians; Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Dewey Anderson and Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Arnold Mathis, member of the Carbon County Commission, Utah; and Raymond Voegtly, mayor of Burns, Oreg.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 25, when Secretary of Labor Shultz will testify.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit concluded hearings on H.R. 561, and related bills, to amend section 16 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, as amended, to extend the Great Plains conservation program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Martin, Sebelius, Shriver, and Skubitz, and a public witness. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Denney, Purcell, and Wold.

The subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations concluded hearings on H.R. 2777, and related bills, Potato Research and Promotion Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mathias and Hansen of Idaho and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Hathaway and Ullman.

The subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Federal Reserve Board Chairman William McChesney Martin and Vice Chairman J. L. Robertson.

Hearings to continue on April 21.

SUBSIDY TO BUS COMPANIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 resumed hearings on H.R. 9686, to provide public assistance to mass transit bus companies in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from O. Roy Chalk, president, D.C. Transit Co., Inc.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on campus unrest. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Robert H. Finch.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on drug safety. Further testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Dr. Luther Terry, former U.S. Surgeon General.

Hearings to continue next week.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Concluded hearings on H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony on funds for the Plowshare program (peaceful uses of atomic energy) from Dr. Gerald F. Tape, member, and John S. Kelly, Director, Division of Peaceful Nuclear Explosives, both of the AEC.

Hearings continue in executive session on Tuesday, April 22, with testimony on the nuclear weapons program.

Monday, April 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and several independent agencies, with testimony on behalf of funds for his Department from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from the following officials of the Department of Agriculture: Dr. R. J. Anderson, Associate Administrator, Agricultural Research Service; Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance; Carroll G. Brunthaver, Jr., Associate Administrator, and Thomas Murphy, Director, Sugar Policy Staff, both of Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; and Lowell H. Watts, Assistant Administrator, and Richard R. Rankin, Director, Division of Management Operations, both of Extension Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow on District of Columbia items.

NOMINATION—HUD

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Harold B. Finger, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, prior to which action the nominee, in open session, was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Philip K. Crowe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway; Robert C. Hill, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Spain; and Marshall Green, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Hill was received from Senator Cotton. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from William Crowley, executive vice president, Northern Illinois Gas Co., and William R. Connole, attorney at law, Washington, D.C., both representing American Gas Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on the nomination of Peter Bove, of Vermont, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands, with further testimony from the nominee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1076, to establish within the Departments of Agriculture and the Interior a Youth Conservation Corps. Testimony was received from Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish, Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources; Dr. Alfred L. Edwards, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Rural Development; Nicholas Peet, Manpower Administrator, Department of Labor; Bert Cole, Commissioner of Public Lands, State of Washington; Elizabeth Titus and John Dolstad, Student Conservation Association, Inc.; Dr. Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Dr. Louis Twardzik, Department of Parks and Recreation Administration, Michigan State University; Michael Frome, Field and Stream magazine; Joseph Penfold, Izaak Walton League of America; William Towell, American Forestry Association; Mrs. Orville Freeman, Girl Scouts of America; Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Sam Studebaker, National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts; William B. Pond, National Recreation and Parks Association; and George Freeman, Boy Scouts of America.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

HANDICAPPED PERSONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education held hearings on S. 1611, providing for the establishment in the National Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped, with testimony from Dr. James J. Gallagher, Associate Commissioner of Education for the Education and Training of the Handicapped; Robert Keeshan, a producer and director for the CBS television network; William Geer, Council for Exceptional Children; Irvin Schloss, American Federation for the Blind; and Marguerite J. Hastings, Maryland State Department of Mental Hygiene.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 73 public bills, H.R. 10283–10355; 14 private bills, H.R. 10356–10369; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 663–666 and H. Con. Res. 208 and 209, were introduced. Pages 9752–9754

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 9684

Presidential Message—Taxes: Received and read a Presidential message regarding tax reform and various tax proposals—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 9684–9686

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bill on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

National Education Association: H.R. 4600, to amend the act entitled "An act to incorporate the National Education Association of the United States."

Stricken from the calendar: H.R. 2171.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 8794.

Pages 9686–9687

Suspension Passages: By voice votes, the House suspended the rules and passed the following bills:

Marine resources and engineering development: H.R. 8794, to amend the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 to continue the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development; and Pages 9687–9689

Free mail service: H.R. 8434, to provide additional free letter mail and air transportation mailing privileges for certain members of the U.S. Armed Forces.

Paegs 9689–9692

Elementary and Secondary Education: After consuming 1 hour and 50 minutes of general debate on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education, and coming to no resolution thereon, the Committee rose. Further consideration of the bill will continue tomorrow. There are 2 hours and 10 minutes of general debate time remaining.

H. Res. 366, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 9692–9715

Presidential Message—National Capital Housing Authority: Read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the annual report for 1968 of the National Capital Housing Authority—referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

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Motion Picture Anniversary: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 165, designating the year 1969 as the "Diamond Jubilee Year of the American Motion Picture." Pages 9715–9716

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard and Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Ralph Nader, consumer advocate; FCC Commissioner Nicholas Johnson; and Mr. G. E. Leighty, Railway Labor Executives Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz.

On Saturday, April 19, the task force heard witnesses from Job Corps centers scheduled to be closed.

Select Subcommittee on Labor concluded its hearings on H.R. 3290, construction safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Robert E. Lee, USAF, Executive Director, Procurement and Production, Headquarters, Defense Supply Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUTDOOR RECREATION BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met for briefing by Bureau of Outdoor Recreation Director; and Hon. Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Cancer Society, the Tobacco Workers of America, and the American Public Health Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from Mr. J. Quigley, chairman, Legislative Committee, National State Veterans Administration Homes, and Mr. William J. Flaherty, Disabled American Veterans.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DUTY FREE IMPORT—KOREA PRISONERS—EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 10107, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle;

H.R. 8654 (amended), to provide that, for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, individuals who were illegally detained during 1968 by the Democratic People's Republic of Korea shall be treated as serving in a combat zone; and

H.R. 9951 (amended), to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable year; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; and to raise the limitation on the amount

authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9829–9865

Bills Introduced: 34 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1907–1940; S.J. Res. 96–99; and S. Res. 181. Pages 9830–9831, 9664

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 9829

President's Message—Tax Reform: During adjournment on April 21, Senate received, under prior authorization, President's message on income tax reform, including recommendations for immediate repeal of 7-percent investment tax credit and a reduction in income tax surcharge to 5 percent starting January 1—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 9827–9828

Marine Corps: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature H.R. 3832, providing grade of general for Assistant Marine Corps Commandant so long as the office is held by present incumbent. Page 9865

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of the Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Friday, April 25, to receive and appropriately refer any messages from the President and from the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, during this period, to file reports, with any individual, minority, and supplemental views. Page 9903

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Curtis W. Tarr, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; and Lt. Gen. Robert E. Cushman, Jr., U.S. Marine Corps, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence. Page 9904

Nominations: Senate received during adjournment, on April 21, under prior authorization, three nominations to be Ambassador, as follows: Shelby Davis, of New York, to Switzerland; Malcolm Toon, of Maryland, to Czechoslovakia; and Fred L. Hadsel, of the District of Columbia, to Somali.

Today, the Senate received the nomination of Alfred E. France, of Minnesota, to be Federal Cochairman of the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission. Page 9903–9904

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and several independent agencies, with testimony on behalf of funds for his Department from Elmer T. Klassen, Deputy Postmaster General, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony on items for the District of Columbia from the following District officials: Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the Commissioner; D. P. Herman, Budget Officer; Capt. John B. Layton, Chief of Metropolitan Police; Hugh A. Groves, Fire Chief; Chief Judge Harold H. Greene, D.C. court of general sessions; Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, Department of Corrections; and Jackson Graham, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for foreign assistance, and independent offices.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—ABM PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony concerning funds for proposed antiballistic missile system from Paul Nitze, advisory council, Johns Hopkins School for Advanced International Studies; Dr. Herbert York, professor of physics, University of California at San Diego; Dr. William G. McMillan, professor of chemistry, UCLA; and Dr. Wolfgang Panofsky, professor of physics, Stanford University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research began a series of hearings to ascertain the policy structure in determining costs incurred for federally sponsored project research at institutions of higher learning, receiving testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Dr. Donald

M. MacArthur, Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from Edwin Vennard, vice president and managing director; D. Bruce Mansfield, president of Ohio Edison Co.; and Leon Keyserling, a consulting economist, all representing Edison Electric Institute.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 25.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings, begun last December, on various aspects of the auto repair industry, having as its witnesses Ed Mullane, representing metropolitan new car dealers, Bergenfield, N.J.; and Herschel Elkins, deputy attorney general, Consumer Fraud Unit, Los Angeles.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 63 public bills, H.R. 10370–10432; 17 private bills, H.R. 10433–10449; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 667–669, H. Con. Res. 210 and 211, and H. Res. 369–371, were introduced. **Pages 9967–9969**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 347, to authorize the General Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct an investigation and study of production of foreign-made goods competing with domestically produced goods and of new developments in coal mine safety and health practices in Great Britain, amended (H. Rept. 91–149);

H. Res. 17, creating a select committee to conduct an investigation and study of all aspects of crime in the United States (H. Rept. 91–150);

H. Res. 369, providing for consideration of H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 91–151);

H.R. 4229, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, amended (H. Rept. 91–152);

H.R. 4239, to amend item 802.30, Tariff Schedules of the United States, so as to prevent payment of multiple customs duties by U.S. owners of racehorses purchased outside of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 91–153);

H.R. 5833, to continue until the close of June 30, 1972, the existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes (H. Rept. 91–154);

H.R. 9951, to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable year; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; to raise the limitation on the amount authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded, amended (H. Rept. 91–155); and

H.R. 10016, to continue until the close of June 30, 1971, the existing suspension of duties for metal scrap (H. Rept. 91–156). **Page 9967**

Committees To Sit: Subcommittee on Public Lands of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce were granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Pages 9904, 9906**

Presidential Message—Food for Peace: Received and read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the annual report on activities carried out under Public Law 480, 83d Congress, for the calendar year 1968 (Food for Peace)—referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed. **Page 9906**

Elementary and Secondary Education: After consuming 3 hours and 38½ minutes of general debate on H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education, and coming to no resolution thereon, the Committee rose. Further consideration of the bill will continue tomorrow. **Pages 9906–9934**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HUMAN NUTRITION

Committee on Agriculture: Began hearings on H.R. 7919, and related bills, the Human Nutrition Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from J. Phil Campbell, Under Secretary of Agriculture, and one public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses on the Navy Sea-Based Ballistic Missile Intercept System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett and Matsunaga and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Job Corps witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMON SITUS PICKETING

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 100, to amend section 8(b)(4) of the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, with respect to strike at the sites of construction projects. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz and Robert Thompson, attorney, Labor Relations Committee, U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings to continue on April 25.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy resumed hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from J. David Layden, vice president, Vinnell Corp., Alhambra, Calif., and David J. Steinberg, secretary and chief economist, Committee for a National Trade Policy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs resumed hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Dr. J. George Harrar, president, Rockefeller Foundation, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Joseph L. Howard, USN, Deputy Director, Defense Contract Administration Services, Defense Supply Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on drug safety. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DATA RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment resumed hearings on the data retrieval system.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Printing met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LAND MANAGEMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met for briefing with Hon. Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management; and the Director, Bureau of Land Management.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Paul R. Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, and Dr. Lewis E. January, Heart Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session on continuation of electoral college reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Began hearings on H.R. 4, and related bills, postal reform. Testimony was heard from Chairman Thaddeus Dulski.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Gen. John J. Linnehan, Federal Cochairman, New England Regional Commission; Governor Curtis of Maine; and Vincent R. Dahlfred, executive director, Vermont-New Hampshire Development Council, Hanover, N.H.

INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing and ordered reported H. Res. 347, amended, to authorize the General Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct an investigation and study of production of foreign-made goods competing with domestically produced goods and of new developments in coal mine safety and health practices in Great Britain. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dent and Erlenborn.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from Representatives Garmatz, Clark, Lennon, and Mailliard.

CRIME INVESTIGATION

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 17, creating a select committee to conduct an investigation and study of all aspects of crime in the United States. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pepper, Anderson of Tennessee, Madden, Matsunaga, Vigorito, Kee, Bevill, Latta, Pettis, Sisk, Denney, Garmatz, Kyros, and Patten. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Wolf, Bennett, Pirnie, Bingham, Fulton of Tennessee, and Mrs. Sullivan.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION BILLS

Committee on Rules: In executive session, following the open hearing, Chairman Colmer appointed a special subcommittee to study and report to the full committee on the various bills covering the reorganization of Congress. Named to the subcommittee are Representatives Sisk, Madden, Bolling, Smith of California, and Latta.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology met in executive session on NASA authorization. No announcements were made.

VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from representatives of Veterans of World War I, Paralyzed Veterans of America, and the American Legion.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed hearings on tax reform. Testimony was heard from Charls Walker, Under Secretary of the Treasury; Edwin Cohen, Assistant Secretary of Treasury for Tax Policy; and John Nolen, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony in connection with funds for the nuclear weapons program from Maj. Gen. Edward B. Giller, Director, Division of Military Application; Frank P. Baranowski, Director, Division of Production; Dr. Norris Bradbury, Director, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico; and Dr. Michael May, Director, Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif., all of the AEC; and Dr. John Hornbeck, president, Sandia Corp., Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Adm. Hyman Rickover will testify regarding the naval nuclear reactors program.

Wednesday, April 23, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony on funds for the Cuban refugee program from Joseph H. Meyers, Deputy Administrator, Social and Rehabilitation Service, and Howard Palmatier, Deputy Director, Cuban Refugee Program, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Testimony on behalf of funds for the Office of Emergency Preparedness (disaster relief and telecommunications) was received from its Director, George A. Lincoln; Fred J. Russell, Deputy Director; Robert Y. Phillips, Director, Emergency Operations Office; James D. O'Connell, Director of Telecommunications Management; and Wilfrid Dean, Jr., Assistant Director, all of the OEP.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and several independent agencies, with further testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from Deputy Postmaster General Elmer T. Klassen, who was accompanied by his associates.

Today's session concluded hearings on funds for the Post Office Department.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 28, on funds for the Department of the Treasury.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—ABM PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for mili-

tary procurement, with testimony concerning funds for proposed antiballistic missile system from Dr. George Rathjens, visiting professor of political science, MIT; Dr. Frederick Seitz, president, Rockefeller University, and President, National Academy of Sciences; Abram Chayes, professor, Harvard Law School; and Dr. Albert Wohlstetter, university professor, University of Chicago.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held hearings on S. 813, providing a 4-year extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and related subjects, having as its witnesses Theodore Sorensen, an attorney of New York City; and Irwin Miller, Cummins Engine Co., Inc., Columbus, Ind.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued hearings to ascertain the policy structure in determining costs incurred for federally sponsored project research at institutions of higher learning, receiving testimony from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation; and James F. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Comptroller, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 1.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings to receive testimony regarding alleged mistreatment of children in the Chilocco Indian School, Oklahoma. Witnesses heard were Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Charles N. Zellers, Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs; and a program review team consisting of the following Bureau of Indian Affairs personnel: Dr. Desmond Phillips, Deputy Assistant Commissioner; James Freelon, education specialist; Ray Sorensen, Division of Curriculum; Heinz Meyer, Division of Instructional Services; Lloyd Watkins, Division of School Facilities; Floyd E. Stayton, former assistant area director for the Anadarko area; Frank Quiring, education specialist, Anadarko area office; Dr. Leon Wall, former superintendent, Chilocco Indian School; and Clarence Winston, former principal, Chilocco Indian School.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on various aspects of the auto repair industry, having as its witnesses John C. Worley, Preston Road Auto Service Center, Dallas; and Dr. William Haddon, president, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AMENDMENTS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty began hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Senator Brooke; John W. Gardner, the Urban Coalition Action Council, and former Secretary of HEW; J. Irwin Miller, Cummins Engine Co., Columbus, Ind.; and Miss Lorraine Cook, Salt Lake City community action program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued executive consideration of S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not complete action thereon, and announced that it has tentatively scheduled another meeting for Tuesday, April 29.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 78 public bills, H.R. 10450–10527; nine private bills, H.R. 10528–10536; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 670–673, H. Con. Res. 212–215, and H. Res. 372 and 373, were introduced. **Pages 10141–10144**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 364, dismissing the election contest in the Fifth Congressional District in the State of Georgia (H. Rept. 91–157);

H.R. 9825, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement (H. Rept. 91–158);

H.R. 2718, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk, amended (H. Rept. 91–159);

H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots (H. Rept. 91–160);

H.R. 10015, to extend until July 15, 1971, the suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, amended (H. Rept. 91–161); and

H.R. 10107, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle (H. Rept. 91–162). **Page 10141**

Election Contest: Agreed to H. Res. 364, dismissing the election contest in the Fifth Congressional District in the State of Georgia. **Pages 10040–10041**

Presidential Message—Organized Crime: Received and read a Presidential message outlining the Presi-

dent's proposals to combat organized crime—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed.

Pages 10041–10043

Elementary and Secondary Education: By a record vote of 400 yeas to 17 nays, the House passed H.R. 514, to extend programs of assistance for elementary and secondary education.

A recommittal motion was rejected by a voice vote.

The Perkins substitute was rejected by a teller vote of 152 for to 203 against. The Perkins substitute differed from the committee substitute in that:

(1) It would extend the act for 3 years in lieu of 5; and

(2) It would eliminate State and local advisory councils.

The Green of Oregon substitute was adopted by a record vote of 235 yeas to 184 nays. Prior to the record vote, it was agreed to by a voice vote.

This substitute differs from the committee substitute in that:

(1) Extends the act for 2 years in lieu of 5 years;

(2) Eliminates Federal matching requirements, institutes block grants to the States for library books, innovative programs, science equipment, and guidance and counsel; and

(3) Eliminates State and local advisory councils.

An amendment to the substitute was adopted in the Committee of the Whole that deleted the authorization for the National Advisory Council on Education of Disadvantaged Children from engaging their own secretarial, clerical, and technical assistance.

Rejected amendments that would:

(1) Forbid Federal funds to be used in the busing of students or teachers in order to overcome racial imbalance;

(2) Do away with impacted area aid for Federal employees who pay real estate tax, whose children attend school;

(3) Repeal the provision that forbids States from deducting impact area aid money from the school district share of education aid funds; and

(4) Do away with the impact area aid money altogether.

Pages 10059–10099

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House tomorrow, April 24.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HUMAN NUTRITION

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 7919, and related bills, the Human Nutrition Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Green of Pennsylvania and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses on the Air Force special defense program and its application to missile and space defense.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Harrison F. Houghton and Willard H. Mueller, FTC; Prof. Peter M. Gutmann, City University of New York; and Prof. Samuel Loescher, University of Indiana.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 4047, H.R. 4295, and H.R. 7976, coal mine health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 8839, to establish a National Advisory Commission on Libraries.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from Gerald M. Jennings, president, Everest & Jennings International, Los Angeles; Paul D. Seghers, president, Institute on U.S. Taxation of Foreign Income, Inc.; and Edward Littlejohn, director, public affairs, Chas. Pfizer & Co.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Dr. Joseph Grunwald, director, economic and social development studies, Brookings Institution; Dr. Richard Morse, chairman, Council on Latin American Studies, Yale University; and Dr. Charles W. Wagley, director, Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University.

NEAR EAST SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session for briefing on the Near East situation by the Honorable Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

BUDGET AND ACCOUNTING ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on H.R. 404, to amend the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921, to direct the Comptroller General to establish information and data processing systems. Testimony was heard from Phillip Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, and Elmer Staats, Comptroller General.

ELECTION CONTEST AND PRINTING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported the following resolutions:

H. Res. 364, dismissing the election contest in the Fifth Congressional District of the State of Georgia.

H.J. Res. 29, amended, to authorize and direct the Public Printer to supply each Member of Congress with five copies of the Annotated U.S. Constitution.

H. Con. Res. 35, amended, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a Veterans' Benefits Calculator.

H. Con. Res. 95, amended, authorizing certain printing for the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

H. Con. Res. 162, authorizing the printing of the book, "Our American Government," as a House document.

H. Con. Res. 183, amended, to provide for the printing of 1,000 additional copies of school prayer hearings.

H. Res. 185, authorizes the printing of additional copies of a House report of the 90th Congress, second session, entitled "Unshackling Local Government (Revised Edition)."

H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made."

H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing the printing as a House document of a revised edition of "The Capitol," and providing for additional copies.

S. Con. Res. 5, provides for the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs of 5,000 additional copies of the hearings entitled "The Nomination of Gov. Walter J. Hickel of Alaska To Be Secretary of the Interior."

S. Con. Res. 15, providing for the printing of a Senate document, a compilation of the studies on the survey of the Alliance for Progress.

S. Con. Res. 16, authorizing the printing of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower.

MINERAL RESOURCES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met for further briefing with Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session for continued consideration of electoral college reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

LABOR MANAGEMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations began hearings on H.R. 4803, and related bills, pertaining to labor management. Testimony was heard from Patrick J. Nilan, legislative director, United Federation of Postal Clerks.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Concluded hearings on H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Donald Brewer, Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission, and Gov. David F. Cargo of New Mexico, State Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and accepted subcommittee reports on H.R. 10251, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. The committee will meet on April 29 to read the bill for amendments.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tax reform. Further testimony was heard from Charls Walker, Under Secretary of the Treasury; Edwin Cohen, Assistant Secretary of Treasury for Tax Policy; and John Nolan, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the naval nuclear reactors program

from Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Director, Division of Naval Reactors, AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the civilian nuclear power program.

Thursday, April 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony from John N. Wheelock, Executive Director, Frank C. Hale, Bureau of Deceptive Practices, and other officials of the Federal Trade Commission; Randal M. Robertson, Associate Director (Research), National Science Foundation; Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; A. H. Monk, Associate Deputy Administrator, Veterans' Administration; and George W. Romney, Secretary, and R. C. Van Dusen, Under Secretary, both of Housing and Urban Development, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of the Interior.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner; and Thomas W. Fletcher Assistant to the Commissioner, who were accompanied by other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance continued hearings on S. 813, providing a 4-year extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and related subjects, receiving testimony from Kenneth N. Davis, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; and Rodger P. Davies, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 28.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Walter L. Mazan, of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, prior to which action, in open hearings, favoring testimony was received from Senators Aiken and Prouty, and Representative Stafford. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS, AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 33, to increase by $480 million U.S. participation in the International Development Association.

Committee also approved the following nominations: Joseph H. Blatchford, of California, to be Director of the Peace Corps; Philip K. Crowe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway; Marshall Green, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; William J. Handley, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Turkey; Robert C. Hill, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Spain; Kenneth B. Keating, of New York, to be Ambassador to India; William Leonhart, of West Virginia, to be Ambassador to Yugoslavia; Val Peterson, of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to Finland; Alfred Puhan, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Hungary; and C. Burke Elbrick, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to Brazil.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings on S. 860, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs, having as its witness Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment, having as its witnesses Dr. Barry Commoner, director of the Center for the Biology of Natural Systems, Washington University, St. Louis; W. H. Ferry, Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions, Santa Barbara; and Dr. James V. Neel, director of the Institute of Human Genetics, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 7.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nomination of Brantley Blue, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Indian Claims Commission, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Senator Baker and Representative Quillen. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

PRIVACY—QUESTIONNAIRES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights began hearings on S. 1791, to protect the constitutional rights of individuals to ignore unwarranted governmental requests for personal information. Witnesses heard were: William F. Rickenbacker, Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.; Dr. Nicholas P. D. Smyth, Washington, D.C.; Wilbur R. Corbett, Wilmington, N.C.; Robert S. Till, Chesapeake, Va.; W. W. Schliestett, Charlotte, N.C.; William Van Tilburg, Ashland, Ohio; and Prof. Arthur S. Miller, National Law Center, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on various aspects of the auto repair industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Robert W. Crandall, Assistant Professor of Economics, MIT; Samuel Laddon, owner of Suburban Auto Body Co. of Wheaton, Md.; Donald H. Dechant, Cardoc Diagnostic Center, La Mesa, Calif.; and James F. Flanagan, Automotive Services Industry Associates, Chicago.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 29.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AMENDMENTS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Miss Katherine Graham Peden, State Commissioner of Kentucky and member of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders; and Representative Corman.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 8.

LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education held hearings on S. 1519, to establish an independent agency to be known as the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science. Testimony was received from Grant Venn, Associate Commissioner for Adult, Vocational, and Library Programs, Office of Education, HEW; Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; Dr. William Dix, Director of Libraries, Princeton University; Mrs. Merlin Moore, State department of education, Little Rock; and Joseph Becker, president, American Society for Information Science.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SALARIES OF CONGRESSIONAL OFFICIALS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President, the Speaker, and majority and minority leaders of the Congress (amended so as to grant salary increases to judges of the D.C. court of general sessions, D.C. Court of Appeals, and D.C. Tax Court).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 38 public bills, H.R. 10537–10574; three private bills, H.R. 10575–10577; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 674 and 675, H. Con. Res. 216 and 217, and H. Res. 374, were introduced.

Pages 10213, 10217–10218, 10281–10282

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7311, to amend item 709.10 of the Tariff Schedules of the United States to provide that the rate of duty on parts of stethoscopes shall be the same as the rate on stethoscopes (H. Rept. 91–163);

H.R. 254, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in law enforcement in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 91–164);

H.R. 4182, to authorize voluntary admission to patients to the District of Columbia institution providing care, education, and treatment of mentally retarded persons (H. Rept. 91–165); and

H.R. 9526, to amend the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act to provide that employer contributions do not have to be made under that act with respect to service performed in the employ of certain public international organizations (H. Rept. 91–166). Page 10281

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, April 30.

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Birthday Greetings: By a voice vote, the House passed H. Con. Res. 216, extending to the Honorable Harry S Truman, 33d President of the United States, the best wishes of Congress on the occasion of his 85th birthday.

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Presidential Message—Postal Rate Increases: Received and read a message from the President whereby he proposes postal rate increases, and legislative proposals to combat rising postal deficits—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed. Pages 10214–10215

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 10217

Investigation Authorization: Agreed to H. Res. 347, to authorize the General Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct an investigation and study of production of foreign-made

goods competing with domestically produced goods and of new developments in coal mine safety and health practices in Great Britain. Agreed to committee amendments.

Pages 10217–10218

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HUMAN NUTRITION

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 7919, and related bills, the Human Nutrition Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Senator Cook, Representative Smith of Iowa, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from the civilian scientific community on the antiballistic missile system.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy, Under Secretary of the Treasury Charls E. Walker, and Richard McLaren, Assistant Attorney General for Antitrust.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Robert H. Finch.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from Representative Whalen; Frank R. Milliken, president, Kennecott Copper, New York, N.Y.; and John Wheeler, vice president, Westvaco Corp., New York, N.Y.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Hon. Sol M. Linowitz, U.S. representative to the Organization of American States.

NIGERIA/BIAFRA RELIEF

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on Nigeria/Biafra and received a report from C. Clyde Ferguson, Special Coordinator on Relief to Nigeria/Biafra, on his recent trip to both sides of the civil war.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met for briefing with Hon. Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management, and the Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting certain broadcasting of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Governor Scott of North Carolina and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and continued consideration of electoral college reform. Committee will resume consideration on Tuesday, April 29.

LABOR MANAGEMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 4803 and related bills pertaining to labor management. Testimony was heard from postal employee organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics resumed hearings on the 1970 census questions. Testimony was heard from Dr. Raymond T. Bowman, Assistant Director for Statistical Standards, Bureau of the Budget, and Dr. A. Ross Eckler, Director, Bureau of the Census.

PROSPECTUS APPROVAL

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and approved the prospectus of a building projects survey for a new Federal building and courthouse, and renovation of an existing building, for the city of Baltimore.

Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session prior to the full committee meeting and approved the above prospectus for full committee action.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on tax reform. Further testimony was heard from Charls Walker, Under Secretary of the Treasury; Edwin Cohen, Assistant Secretary of Treasury for Tax Policy; and John Nolan, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the civilian nuclear power program from Dr. Milton Shaw, Director, Division of Reactor Development and Technology, who was accompanied by other officials of the AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10338–10482

Bills Introduced: 51 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1941–1991; S.J. Res. 100–101; S. Con. Res. 20; and S. Res. 182–183.

Pages 10415–10416, 10477

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President and for certain officers of the Congress, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–131). Page 10415

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 10338

President's Messages: During adjournment and under prior authorization, Senate received two messages from the President, as follows:

(1) On April 23, message recommending legislation to combat organized crime—referred to Committee on the Judiciary;

(2) On April 24, message recommending certain postal rate increases—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Pages 10335–10338

Former President Truman: Senate adopted H. Con. Res. 216, extending best wishes of Congress to former President Harry S Truman on the occasion of his 85th birthday on May 8, 1969. Page 10480

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of the Senate was authorized, during adjournment until Tuesday, April 29, to receive and appropriately refer any messages from the President and from the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized during this period to file reports, with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Page 10480

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Harold B. Finger, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Brantley Blue, of Tennessee, to be a Commissioner of the Indian Claims Commission; Dorothy A. Elston, of Delaware, to be Treasurer of the United States; Lewis Butler, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary, and Robert C. Mardian, of California, to be General Counsel, both of HEW; and Walter L. Mazan, of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

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Nominations: Senate received, under prior authorization, the following nominations during adjournment: on April 23, Thomas J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the AEC; two judicial; and numerous Air Force; and on April 24, Guilford Dudley, of Tennessee, to be Ambassador to Denmark; George Meany, of Maryland, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.; and Edward E. Johnston, of Hawaii, to be High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Today, the Senate received the following nominations: Francis J. Galbraith, of South Dakota, to be Ambassador to Indonesia; Robert H. McBride, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Mexico; Sheldon B. Vance, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo; seven judicial; and numerous Army. Pages 10482–10486

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective bureaus from the following Interior Department witnesses: John O. Crow, Assistant Director, Edward L. Hastey, and Theodore W. Taylor, all of the Bureau of Land Management; Lawrence N. Stevens, Associate Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation; and William T. Pecora, Director, Geological Survey.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 28, on other Interior Department items.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, subcommittee received testimony from Gilbert Hahn, President of the D.C. Council; Joseph P. Yeldell;

Charles T. Duncan, D.C. Corporation Counsel; and Kenneth Back, Department of General Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS, AND MEDICAID

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Lewis Butler, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary, and Robert C. Mardian, of California, to be General Counsel, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Dorothy A. Elston, of Delaware, to be Treasurer of the United States.

Also, committee announced that it approved an amendment by Senators Anderson and Gore to suspend and amend certain provisions of the Social Security Act which prohibit reduction in services of State medicaid plans. This amendment will be offered as a committee amendment to appropriate House-passed legislation.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, receiving testimony from Hugh R. Wilbourn, Jr., president, Allied Telephone Co., Little Rock, who was introduced by Senator McClellan; Clarence H. Ross, Central Telephone & Utilities, Chicago; Douglas Gleason, United Utilities, Inc., Kansas City, Mo.; and William C. Mott, executive vice president, all of whom appeared in behalf of the U.S. Independent Telephone Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PRIVACY—QUESTIONNAIRES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights continued hearings on S. 1791, to protect the constitutional rights of individuals to ignore unwarranted governmental requests for personal information. Witnesses heard were: Representative Betts; Prof. Arthur R. Miller, University of Michigan Law School; Prof. Charles Fried, Harvard University Law School; and George S. Bullen, legislative director, National Federation of Independent Business.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 1.

JOB CORPS CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings in connection with the announced closing of Job Corps centers, having as its witnesses George P. Shultz, Secretary of Labor, accompanied by Arnold R. Weber, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower; Senator Williams of New Jersey, who was accompanied by David Walker and Walter Francis, corpsmen, Camp Kilmer Job Corps Center, Edison, N.J.; and a panel comprised of Leroy Costly, Kathy Ashworth, and Charles Fisher, three graduates of the Job Corps presently employed in Baltimore.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 2.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Ronald B. Lee, of Maryland, Frank J. Nunlist, of New Jersey, and Henry Lehne, of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Postmasters General, and L. J. Andolsek, for reappointment as a member of the Civil Service Commission.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Mondale appeared in behalf of Mr. Andolsek, and Postmaster General Winton M. Blount appeared in support of Messrs. Lee, Nunlist, and Lehne.

NOMINATION, AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Ralph L. Bartelsmeyer, of Illinois, to be Director of Public Roads. Committee also approved a list of public building prospectuses consisting of 33 construction projects and one lease.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Dirksen appeared in support of Mr. Bartelsmeyer.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

HUMAN NUTRITION

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 7919, and related bills, the Human Nutrition Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GREAT PLAINS CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session to consider H.R. 561, and related bills, to amend section 16 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, as amended, to extend the Great Plains conservation program.

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* held a hearing on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; Rear Adm. H. H. Epes, Jr., USN, Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Brig. Gen. R. D. Steakley, USAF, Joint Reconnaissance Center.

Hearings to continue April 28.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Independent Bankers Association of America and Mrs. E. Y. Davis, editor and publisher, "Highlights and Lowlights of Annual Meetings."

Hearings to continue on April 29.

SUBSIDY TO BUS COMPANIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 9686, to provide public assistance to mass transit bus companies in the District of Columbia. Further testimony was heard from O. Roy Chalk, president, D.C. Transit Co., Inc.

COMMON SITUS PICKETING

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 100, to amend section 8(b)(4) of the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, with respect to strike at the sites of construction projects. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings to continue on April 29.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 6716, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary Klein and other Department and public witnesses.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 1237, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish regulations prohibiting broadcasting of advertising of cigarettes; and H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings to continue April 28.

LABOR-MANAGEMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 4803 and related bills pertaining to labor-management. Testimony was heard from W. V. Gill, Director, Office of Labor-Management Relations, Civil Service Commission; Richard Murphy, former Assistant Postmaster General and representatives of postal employee organizations.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on S. 1884 and H.R. 10130, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving further testimony from Dr. Milton Shaw, Director, Division of Reactor Development and Technology, who was accompanied by other officials of the AEC.

Hearings continue Tuesday, April 29, on funds for the AEC's biology and medicine program.

Monday, April 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, receiving testimony on the overall budget requests from NASA Administrator Dr. Thomas O. Paine, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for manned space flight programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective bureaus from the following Interior Department officials: John F. O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines; Joseph J. Simmons III, Deputy Administrator, Office of Oil and Gas; H. E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries; Abram V. Tunison, Deputy Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife; and Edward A. Hummel, Associate Director, National Park Service.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 30.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for items for the Department of the Interior from Secretary Walter J. Hickel, and Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation.

Hearings continue tomorrow on proposed funds for Alaska, Southeastern, and Bonneville Power Administrations.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office

of the President, and several independent agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from the following Treasury Department witnesses: Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Operations; Lester D. Johnson, Commissioner, Bureau of Customs; Sidney S. Sokol, Commissioner of Accounts; James J. Rowley, Director, U.S. Secret Service; and Eva Adams, Director, Bureau of the Mint.

Hearings continue tomorrow when testimony will be received from Secretary of the Treasury Kennedy and others.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance resumed its hearings on S. 813 and S. 1940, to provide extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and on related subjects, receiving testimony from Michael Blumenthal, president, Bendix International; Thomas A. Christiansen, Hewlett-Packard Co.; Adm. Harry Hull, executive director, the International Center of New England, Inc.; and William T. Ellis, Electronic Industries Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NIGERIAN CIVIL WAR

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs met in executive session to receive testimony from Clarence C. Ferguson, Special Coordinator on Relief to Civilian Victims of the Nigerian Civil War, Department of State.

SENATE RESTAURANT

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on the Senate Restaurant held an executive business meeting, but made no announcements.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 77 public bills, H.R. 10578–10654; 10 private bills, H.R. 10655–10664; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 676–680, H. Con. Res. 218–228, and H. Res. 375–378, were introduced. Pages 10540–10543

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 8654, to provide that, for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, individuals who were illegally detained during 1968 by the Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea shall be treated as serving in a combat zone, amended (H. Rept. 91–167). Page 10540

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 10498

D.C. Legislation: Considered and passed by voice votes the following bills pertaining to the District of Columbia:

Police dogs: H.R. 254, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in law enforcement in the District of Columbia, amended;

Mentally retarded persons: H.R. 4182, to authorize voluntary admission of patients to the District of Columbia institution providing care, education, and treatment of mentally retarded persons, amended; and

Unemployment compensation: H.R. 9526, to amend the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act to provide that employer contributions do not have to be made under that act with respect to service performed in the employ of certain public international organizations. Pages 10499–10502

Recess: The Speaker called a recess at 1:12 p.m., the purpose of which was to await a Presidential message. The recess ended at 2:35 p.m. Pages 10517–10518

Presidential Message—District of Columbia: Received and read a message from the President whereby he sets forth his plans for the District of Columbia, including: self-government, congressional representation, added municipal authority for the City Council and Mayor, additional top jobs for the carrying out of District Government reorganization, Federal financing for the District's budget, and an expanded rapid rail transit system—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 10518–10520

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 561, to amend section 16 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, as amended, to extend the Great Plains conservation program.

Full committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 561 (title above) but in view of subcommittee action will reschedule meeting to consider clean bill.

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Inquiry of U.S.S. *Pueblo* continued hearings on the *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. C. K. Duncan, USN, Chief of Naval Personnel; Rear Adm. Joseph B. McDevitt, USN, Judge Advocate General of the Navy, and Brig. Gen. Leo E. Benade, Deputy Assistant Chief of Military Personnel Policy, DOD.

SEA POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power held an executive hearing and heard testimony

from Rear Adm. F. J. Harlfinger, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Intelligence).

ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session to consider Army's tank program.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SBA LOANS

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Saturday, April 26, committee held a hearing on Small Business Administration loans to the ANR Leasing Corp. of New York City. Testimony was heard from SBA witnesses.

RADIATION CONTROL IN D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 668, radiation control in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from William B. Petty, Director, Defense Contract Audit Agency, DOD.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICE OF TERRITORIES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met for further briefing by Office of Territories. Testimony was heard from Hon. Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management; Mrs. Elizabeth Farrington, Director, Office of Territories; and the Commissioner, Trust Territory of the Pacific.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on all bills relating to the smoking of cigarettes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from representatives of Health Insurance Association; American Life Convention; Life Insurance Association of America; Veterans of Foreign Wars; and the American Legion.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10598–10716

Bills Introduced: 38 bills and 11 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1992–2029; S.J. Res. 102–105; and S. Res. 184–190. Pages 10598–10600, 10623, 10733

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

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President's Message—D.C.: Pursuant to prior authorization, Senate received, during adjournment on April 28, message from the President making proposals respecting the needs and problems of the District of Columbia and its government—referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Pages 10595–10597

Authority To Report: Extension of time until July 31, 1969, was granted Committee on Government Operations to file reports of its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations on certain civil riots and criminal disorders. Page 10600

Congressional Officers' Salaries: After consideration of H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President and for certain officers of the Congress, Senate adopted, by 64 yeas to 21 nays, McGee motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Prior to recommittal the following actions were taken on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments; and, by 49 yeas to 36 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment (for himself and others) to repeal provisions of the Federal Salary Act of 1967 establishing Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries, which is authorized to report every 4 years to the President its recommendations on salaries, the President thereafter to make his recommendations in the next budget of exact rates of pay he deems advisable; and

Rejected: Young (Ohio) amendment (to committee amendment) providing that the salaries of the judges of the District of Columbia court of general sessions will remain at their present level.

At the time motion to recommit was made, yeas and nays had been ordered on a pending Dominick-Williams (Delaware) amendment to confine the salary increases in the bill to the Vice President, but this amendment was not voted on inasmuch as the motion to recommit took precedence over it.

Pages 10716, 10718–10733

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Thursday, May 1, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to refer same to appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Page 10733

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Henry Lehne, of Massachusetts, Frank J. Nunlist, of New Jersey, and Ronald B. Lee, of Maryland, each to be an Assistant Postmaster General; Ralph R. Bartelsmeyer, of Illinois, to be Director of Public Roads; L. J. Andolsek, of Minnesota, to be a Civil Service Commissioner; and Stewart Lamprey, of New Hampshire, to be Federal Cochairman of the New England Regional Commission. Page 10744

Nominations: Two judicial nominations were received. Page 10744

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, having as its witness Dr. George E. Mueller, Associate Administrator for Manned Space Flight, NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for advanced research and technology programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Thomas H. Wigglesworth, Acting Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration; Gus Norwood, Administrator, Alaska Power Administration; and Henry R. Richmond, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration, all of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Reclamation.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office of the President, and several independent agencies, having as its witnesses Secretary David M. Kennedy; Arthur E. Weatherbee, Assistant Secretary for Administration; and Randolph W. Thrower, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, all of the Department of the Treasury.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorization for military procurement, receiving testimony in behalf of proposed funds for Air Force procurement from Grant L. Hansen, Assistant Secretary (Research and Development), and Lt. Gen. Marvin L. McNickle, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance continued its hearings on S. 813 and S. 1940, to provide extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and on related subjects, receiving testimony from A. R. Fredriksen, Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing; Tino Perutz, C. Tennant Son & Co. of New York; and Arthur E. Baylis, National Committee on International Trade Documentation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. TRANSIT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1813, to provide public assistance to mass transit bus facilities in the District of Columbia, and S. 1814, to authorize public ownership of mass transit bus facilities in the District of Columbia owned by D.C. Transit System. Witnesses heard were Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the D.C. Commissioner; George Avery, Chairman, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission; O. Roy Chalk, president, D.C. Transit System, Inc.; Frederick A. Babson, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; George W. Apperson, National Capital Local Division 689, Amalgamated Transit Union; James A. Mollison, Washington Board of Trade; Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee; Edmund Pendleton, Jr., D.C. Republican Central Committee; Tilford E. Dudley, former chairman of D.C. Citizens Council; and William Jackson, a D.C. citizen.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS, AND OFFENSES ABOARD AIRCRAFT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Shelby Davis, of New York, to be Ambassador to Switzerland; Robert E. Ellsworth, of Kansas, to be the U.S. permanent representative on the Council of NATO; and Fred L. Hadsel, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Somali Republic. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Davis was submitted by Senator Javits, and testimony in behalf of Mr. Ellsworth was given by Senator Pearson, who also submitted a written statement for Senator Dole.

Committee also held hearings on Tokyo Convention on Offenses and Certain Other Acts Committed on

Board Aircraft (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Murray J. Belman, Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State; and Charles H. Ruby, president, Air Line Pilots Association, Washington, D.C.

ALASKA NATIVES CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, with testimony from the following witnesses: Representative Pollock; Walter J. Hickel, Secretary of the Interior; Joseph Fitz-Gerald, Chairman, Federal Field Committee for Development Planning in Alaska; Gov. Keith Miller, of Alaska; Thomas Kelly, Commissioner of Natural Resources of Alaska; Robert Price, Assistant Attorney General of Alaska; John Pickering, Western Oil & Gas Association; James Peacock, attorney for the Five Chiefs of Yakutat; Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Charles F. Herbert, Alaska Miners Association; Emil Notti, and other officials of the Alaska Federation of Natives; and Frank A. Degnan, president of the Village Council of the Unalakleet.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on various aspects of the auto repair industry, having as its witnesses Ralph T. Millet, president, Automobile Importers of America; Robert Knoll, Consumers Union, Mount Vernon, N.Y.; and J. Howard Reed, Automotive Electric Association, Detroit.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOB CORPS CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. Res. 183, expressing the sense of the Senate in opposition to Job Corps installations slowdown.

It was announced that the full committee will meet tomorrow to consider this and other pending business.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Health Benefits and Life Insurance began hearings on S. 1772, to provide that the Federal Government shall pay one-half of the cost of health insurance for its employees and annuitants, receiving testimony from Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Pat Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks; John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; James Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers; Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Nathan Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees; and Tom G. Walters, National Association of Retired Civil Employees.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued executive consideration of S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

ECONOMICS OF AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Committee began hearings in connection with its inquiry into "The Economics of Aging: Toward a Full Share in Abundance." Testimony was received from Juanita M. Kreps, professor of economics, Duke University; Harold L. Sheppard, W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research; Agnes W. Brewster, consultant on medical economics; and James H. Schultz, assistant professor of economics, University of New Hampshire, all of whom are members of the task force which prepared the report under consideration; Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Social Security Administration; and a panel of witnesses comprised of the following persons: Edwin S. Shelley, National Council on the Aging; William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens; Charles Fichtner, American Association of Retired Persons, and National Retired Teachers Association; William Greenough, Teachers Insurance & Annuity Association of America; Othie G. Burk, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; and Theodor Schuchat, Retirement Editor, North American Newspaper Alliance.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 10665–10698; 11 private bills, H.R. 10699–10709; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 681–686, H. Con. Res. 229–232, and H. Res. 379–383, were introduced. **Pages 10787–10789**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 35, amended, H. Con. Res. 95, amended, H. Con. Res. 162, H. Con. Res. 183, amended, H. Con. Res. 192, H. Con. Res. 193, H. Res. 185, S. Con. Res. 5, S. Con. Res. 15, and S. Con. Res. 16 (H. Repts. 91–168 to 91–177, respectively); for titles of the above, see "Printing Resolutions";

H. Res. 379, providing for consideration of H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children (H. Rept. 91–178); and

H. Res. 380, providing for consideration of H.R. 9825, civil service retirement amendments (H. Rept. 91–179). **Page 10787**

Resolution Rereferred: The Committee on Foreign Affairs was discharged from further consideration on

H.J. Res. 589, expressing the support of the Congress, and urging the support of Federal departments and agencies, as well as other persons and organizations, both public and private, for the international biological program—referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics. Page 10745

Committees To Sit: Committees on Banking and Currency and Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 10745

Dartmouth College: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 114, commemorating the 200th anniversary of Dartmouth College. Pages 10745–10746

Presidential Message—Highway Safety Act: Received and read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the second annual report on the administration of the act—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed with illustrations. Pages 10746–10747

Presidential Message—National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act: Received and read a message from the President whereby he transmits to Congress the second annual report on the administration of the act—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 10747

Printing Resolutions: The following printing resolutions were called up and agreed to:

H. Con. Res. 35, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a Veterans' Benefits Calculator, amended;

H. Con. Res. 95, authorizing certain printing for the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, amended;

H. Con. Res. 162, authorizing the printing of the book, "Our American Government," as a House document;

H. Con. Res. 183, to provide for the printing of 1,000 additional copies of school prayer hearings, amended;

H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made";

H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing the printing as a House document of a revised edition of "The Capitol," and providing for additional copies;

H. Res. 185, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a House report of the 90th Congress, second session, entitled "Unshackling Local Government (Revised Edition)";

S. Con. Res. 5, to print additional copies of hearings on the nomination of Walter J. Hickel, to be Secretary of the Interior;

S. Con. Res. 15, to print as a Senate document studies and hearings on the Alliance for Progress; and

S. Con. Res. 16, authorizing the printing of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower. Pages 10747–10748

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 10748

Coast Guard Authorization: By a record vote of 384 yeas to 2 nays the House passed H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard.

Agreed to committee amendments.

Agreed to an amendment that would cause all ships authorized in the bill to be constructed in the United States.

H. Res. 369, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 10748–10754

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMED FORCES PROPOSALS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6790, to authorize an increase in the number of Marine Corps Reserve officers who may serve in an active status in the combined grades of brigadier and major general;

H.R. 8018, amended, to amend section 1072(2) of title 10, United States Code, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent; and

H.R. 8020, amended, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide entitlement to round-trip transportation to the home port for a member of the naval service on permanent duty aboard a ship overhauling away from home port whose dependents are residing at the home port.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTEREST ON INSTALLMENT LOANS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing and approved for full committee action H.R. 255, interest in advance on installment loans. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMON SITUS PICKETING

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 100, com-

mon situs picketing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SCIENCE RESEARCH DATA RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education began hearings on H.R. 8809, to amend title IX of the National Defense Education Act of 1958 to provide for establishment of a national science research data processing and information retrieval system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Henry R. Geyelin, Executive Vice President, Council for Latin America, New York City and Mr. Jay Hobbing, Council for Latin America.

TANZANIA BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing on Tanzania by Hon. John H. Burns, U.S. Ambassador to Tanzania, and Mr. Jerry Knoll, Director, Office of Eastern and Southern African Affairs, AID.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from Russell Baker, chairman, Special Advisory Panel on Balance of Payments, Chamber of Commerce, and David E. Bates, treasurer, Omark Industries, Portland, Oreg.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Aaron J. Racusin, Deputy Assistant Secretary (INL), Department of the Air Force, and Maj. Gen. H. E. Goldsworthy, Commander, Aeronautical Systems Division, Department of the Air Force.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session for discussion of pending business. No announcements were made.

LIBRARY AND MEMORIALS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Library and Memorials met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

FEDERAL RECLAMATION BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met for briefing on the Federal reclamation program. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary for Water and Power Development, Hon. James R. Smith; and the Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on all bills relating to the smoking of cigarettes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, authorized the chairman to introduce a clean bill with cosponsors embodying the amendments adopted to H.J. Res. 179. The committee will meet Wednesday at 10:30 to order the bill reported to the House.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on the Marine Science Commission report entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from Dr. Julius A. Stratton, former Chairman of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources.

Hearings to continue on May 6.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Began hearings on proposed amendments and extensions of authorizations to title I through title IV of the Economic Development Act of 1965, as amended. Testimony was heard from Representatives Farbstein and Ryan and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing and granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate and waiving points of order against section 103 of H.R. 9825, civil service retirement financing and benefits. Testimony was heard from Chairman Dulski and Representatives Daniels and Scott.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

Committee on Rules: Committee did not complete hearing on H. Res. 350, to create a Select Committee on the Bureau of the Budget. Testimony was heard from Representatives Moss and Mrs. Hansen.

MILK PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN

Committee on Rules: In executive session granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider tax reform. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1884 and H.R. 10130, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony in behalf of funds for biology and medicine programs from Dr. John R. Totter, Director, Division of Biology and Medicine, who was accompanied by other AEC witnesses, including representatives of AEC National Laboratories.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, having as its witnesses Bruce T. Lundin, Deputy Associate Administrator for Advanced Research and Technology; and Gerald M. Truszynski, Acting Director, Systems Planning and Development, both of NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, who was accompanied by other officials of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Jerome A. Miles, Deputy Director of Finance, Department of Agriculture; Barnaby C. Keeney, Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities; and Douglas G. MacAgy, Deputy Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Bureau of Reclamation from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner.

Hearings continue tomorrow, in executive session, on funds for the AEC.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with further testimony in behalf of proposed funds for Air Force procurement from Grant L. Hansen, Assistant Secretary (Research and Development), and Lt. Gen. Marvin L. McNickle, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, both of the Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance continued hearings on S. 813 and S. 1940, to provide extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and on related subjects, receiving testimony from Nicholas DeB. Katzenbach, general counsel, IBM; John Connor, chairman of the board, Allied Chemical; Hugh Donaghue, Control Data Corp.; and Ken Vigue, International Telephone & Telegraph.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

S. 1590, extending to June 30, 1970, the life of the National Commission on Product Safety;

H.R. 8794, to continue to June 30, 1970, the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development;

S. 133, authorizing the vessel *Orion* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges;

S. 753, authorizing the vessel *Cap'n Frank* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges;

S. 1177, authorizing the vessel *West Wind* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges;

S. 1173, authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity;

S. 1287, authorizing $2.5 million for 3-year extension of studies relative to the advisability of conversion to the metric system; and

A list of miscellaneous Coast Guard nominations.

Committee announced that it will hold another executive meeting on Tuesday, May 6.

EDUCATIONAL TV AND RADIO

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on S. 1242, extending authorizations for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities. Witnesses heard were Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; Frank Pace, Chairman of the Board, and John Macy, President, both of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, Na-

tional Association of Broadcasters; John F. White, president, National Educational Television, accompanied by Mrs. Joan Cooney, producer of "The Children's TV Workshop"; John Luhring, president, Community Television of Southern California; Newton Minow, chairman, Chicago Educational Television Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held an executive meeting, following which it was announced that it will hold hearings on May 20 and 21 on S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969.

Subcommittee also announced that it may hold hearings in connection with the freight car shortage at an early date.

D.C. HOME RULE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on S. 1971, providing for the election of members of the D.C. Council; S. 1972, providing for an elected mayor and city council for the District of Columbia; and S. 1991, providing an elected mayor, city council, and nonvoting delegate to the House of Representatives for the District of Columbia. Testimony was received from Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the D.C. Commissioner; Gilbert Hahn, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by other members of the D.C. Council; and numerous other witnesses representing the D.C. government, political organizations, and other groups.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION, AND CHEMICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Guilford Dudley, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Ambassador to Denmark, where Senator Baker appeared in support of the nominee.

In executive session, committee received testimony with regard to chemical and biological warfare from Prof. Matthew Meselson, of Harvard University.

SENATE CONTEMPT CITATION

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original resolution citing Margaret and Alan McSurely for contempt of the Senate.

NOMINATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Edward E. Johnston, of Hawaii, to be High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, prior to which action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senator Fong and Betty Farrington, Director, Office of Territories, Department of the Interior. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on various aspects of the auto repair industry, having as its witnesses William A. Raftery, Motor Equipment Manufacturers Association, New York City; and Martin Fromm, Automotive Warehouse Distributors Association, Kansas City, Mo.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee resumed hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and the Vice President, having as its witnesses Representative Wylie; Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; and Prof. Robert Shoemaker, North Central College, Naperville, Ill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND JOB CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Arthur Fletcher, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor;

Lawrence H. Silberman, of Hawaii, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor;

Robert D. Moran, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour and Public Contract Divisions, Department of Labor;

William Hill Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and

James E. Allen, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and Commissioner of Education.

Committee also approved an original resolution (in lieu of S. Res. 183) expressing the sense of the Senate in opposition to the Job Corps installations shutdown.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Health Benefits and Life Insurance continued hearings on S. 1772, to provide that the Federal Government shall pay one-half of the cost of health insurance for its employees and annuitants, receiving testimony from Roger W. Jones, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; Alan J. Whitney, National Association of Government Employees; John Curran, Laborers International Union of North America; Raymond Vanderhorst, National Association of County ASCS Office Employees; William H. Ryan, International Association of Machinists and

Aerospace Workers, AFL–CIO; Herbert Alfrey, National Rural Letter Carriers Association; John A. McCart, Government Employees Council; Robert Bollard, State, County, and Municipal Employees; and C. O. Henderson, National Federation of Professional Organizations.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued executive consideration of S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not complete action thereon and recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1655, increasing from 200 to 500 the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employed by the Government Printing Office; and

S.J. Res. 11, 13, and 35, to provide for the appointment of Robert Strange McNamara, Dr. John Nicholas Brown, and Thomas J. Watson, Jr., respectively, as Citizens Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Committee also approved a proposal by the William Randolph Hearst Foundation to sponsor the Eighth Annual Senate Youth Program in January of 1970.

Also, committee received and approved a report from its Subcommittee on the Senate Restaurant.

ECONOMICS OF AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Committee continued hearings in connection with its inquiry into "The Economics of Aging: Toward a Full Share in Abundance," with testimony from Charles I. Schottland, dean, Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare, Brandeis University; Joseph A. Pechman, Brookings Institution; and a roundtable discussion by the following Federal Government witnesses: Herman B. Brotman, Administration on Aging, HEW; Louis Ravin, Labor Department; John R. Stark, executive director, Joint Economic Committee; and Lenore Bixby, Mollie Orshansky, and Dorothy P. Rice, all of the Social Security Administration, HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 64 public bills, H.R. 10710–10773; seven private bills, H.R. 10774–10780; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 687–694, H. Con. Res. 233–236, and H. Res. 384–386, were introduced. Pages 10877–10879

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 10829

Presidential Message—Grant Consolidation Act: Received and read a message from the President whereby he submits to Congress recommendations for consolidating the various grants and Federal assistance programs—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed. Pages 10829–10830

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:19 p.m.

TOBACCO RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture: Met for discussion of scientific methods of curing tobacco and use of freeze-dry process, both designed to reduce the alleged health hazards of cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Dr. William Johnson, associate professor, Department of Biological Agricultural Engineering, North Carolina State University, and Dr. F. J. Hassler, head, Department of Biological Agricultural Engineering, North Carolina State University.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from John S. Foster, Jr., Director, Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Prof. William G. DeWald, Ohio State University, and Prof. Banjamin J. Klebaner, City College, City University of New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LAND SALE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 began hearings on H.R. 664, to authorize the D.C. government to sell land in Prince William County, Va. Testimony was heard from Representatives Scott, Saylor, and Dingell.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Representative Albert and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SCIENCE RESEARCH DATA RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 8809, to amend title IX of the National Defense Education Act of 1958 to provide for establishment of a national science research data processing and information retrieval system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Wallace J. Campbell, president, Foundation for Cooperative Housing, Washington, D.C.; John H. Butler, senior vice president, Compton Advertising, Inc., San Francisco; and Jack D. Gordon, president, Washington Federal Savings & Loan Association, Miami, Fla.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from Don D. Cadle, Acting Director, Office of Foreign Direct Investments, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. J. W. O'Neill, Commander, Space and Missile Systems Organization, Department of the Air Force.

LEGAL AND MONETARY AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1011, amended, in lieu of H.R. 6716, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on all bills relating to the smoking of cigarettes. Testimony was heard from Representative Jacobs and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.J. Res. 681, joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) met in executive session and discussed conglomerate mergers. No announcements were made.

STATE TAXATION OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on State Taxation of Interstate Commerce met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 1382 and H.R. 7472, postal reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Udall, Waldie, and Hamilton.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on proposed amendments and extensions of authorizations to title I through title IV of the Economic Development Act of 1965, as amended. Testimony was heard from Robert Podesta, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session for markup of H.R. 10397, NSF authorization for fiscal year 1970.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on S. 1884 and H.R. 10130, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony in connection with funds for AEC biology and medicine programs from Robert E. Hollingsworth, General Manager, and Dr. John R. Totter, Director, Division of Biology and Medicine, both of the AEC.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ECONOMIC STATISTICS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics began a series of hearings on a wide-ranging review of Federal statistical programs, with particular emphasis on the scope of questions asked in the taking of the census. Witnesses heard were Representative Betts; Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans; and Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, May 1, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10926–11085

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2030–2048; S. Con. Res. 21; and S. Res. 191–193. **Pages 11060–11061, 11083–11084**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 35, 13, and 11, to provide for the appointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., Dr. John Nicholas Brown, and Robert Strange McNamara, respectively, as Citizens Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (S. Repts. 91–132 to 91–134);

S. 1655, increasing from 200 to 500 the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employed by the Government Printing Office (S. Rept. 91–135);

S. 1647, authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile (S. Rept. 91–136);

S. Res. 191, citing Margaret and Alan McSurely for contempt of Senate for refusal to appear and produce records in response to subpenas of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 91–137);

H.R. 4064, 3548, S. 1438, 1104, 738, 278, 465, 464, 354, 330, 245, 150, 684, and 244, private bills (S. Repts. 91–138 to 91–151);

S.J. Res. 45, authorizing President to designate period of September 1–6, 1969, as "Adult Education Week" (S. Rept. 91–152);

S.J. Res. 46, authorizing President to designate the period of November 16–22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week" (S. Rept. 91–153);

S.J. Res. 77, authorizing the President to designate the period June 8–14, 1969, as "Professional Photography Week in America" (S. Rept. 91–154);

S. 1248, private bill (S. Rept. 91–155);

S.J. Res. 81, to designate May 12 of each year as "Joan Merriam Smith-Amelia Earhart Aviation Day," with amendments (S. Rept. 91–156);

S. 882 and 890, private bills (S. Repts. 91–157 and 91–158);

S.J. Res. 99, authorizing President to designate first week in June of each year as "Helen Keller Memorial Week" (S. Rept. 91–159);

H. Con. Res. 165, to designate the year 1969 as "Diamond Jubilee Year of the American Motion Picture" (S. Rept. 91–160);

S.J. Res. 100, authorizing President to designate the week beginning May 1 as "Youth Week," with amendments (S. Rept. 91–161); and

S.J. Res. 104, reappointing for 1 additional year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (S. Rept. 91–162). **Pages 11060–11083**

Bills Referred: One House-passed bill and seven House-adopted concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 10926–10927**

Bills Rereferred: Committee on Banking and Currency was discharged from further consideration of S. 846, to provide compensation for certain silver-dealer claimants by authorizing sale of silver bullion, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on the Judiciary.

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of S. 1749, to provide for improved Federal employee-management relations, and the bill was then rereferred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 11084**

President's Message—Grant Consolidation: During adjournment on April 30 and under prior authorization, Senate received message from President urging enactment of a Grant Consolidation Act to give President power to initiate consolidation of closely related Federal assistance programs, to be placed under a single agency, with right of congressional veto—referred to Committee on Government Operations. **Pages 10925–10926**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, May 5, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to refer same to appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. **Page 11045**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Arthur Fletcher, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary, Laurence H. Silberman, of Hawaii, to be Solicitor, and Robert D. Moran, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, each of the Department of Labor; Edward E. Johnston, of Hawaii, to be High Commissioner of Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; Joseph H. Blatchford, of California, to be Director of the Peace Corps; Marshall Green, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and nine Ambassadors as follows—C. Burke Elbrick, of Kentucky, to Brazil; William J. Handley, of

Virginia, to Turkey; Robert C. Hill, of New Hampshire, to Spain; former Senator Kenneth B. Keating, of New York, to India; William Leonhart, of West Virginia, to Yugoslavia; Val Peterson, of Nebraska, to Finland; Alfred Puhan, of Virginia, to Hungary; and Philip K. Crowe, of Maryland, to Norway. Page 11085

Nominations: During its adjournment on April 30 and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations: six to be Ambassadors, as follows—John Davis Lodge, of Connecticut, to Argentina; Matthew J. Looram, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to Dahomey; Francis E. Meloy, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to the Dominican Republic; Spencer M. King, of Maine, to Guyana; Armin H. Meyer, of Illinois, to Japan; and Oliver L. Troxel, Jr., of Colorado, to Zambia; Daniel Z. Henkin, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; and two judicial. Page 11085

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, having as its witnesses Dr. John E. Naugle, Associate Administrator for Space Science and Applications, NASA; A. B. Park, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; Dr. Robert M. White, Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration; and William T. Pecora, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, subcommittee received testimony from numerous D.C. officials in behalf of funds for regulatory agencies in the District.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 5.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 104, reappointing for 1 additional year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; S. 1647, authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile; and the nomination of Philip N. Whittaker, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations and Logistics.

Prior to this action, in open session, Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird testified in connection with S.J. Res. 104. Mr. Whittaker was introduced to the Committee by Senator Byrd of Virginia.

Prior to approval of S. 1647, Subcommittee on the National Stockpile submitted favorable report thereon to the full committee.

Committee also considered H.R. 9328, authorizing special pay for junior nuclear-qualified submarine officers who extend their period of active service. Testimony concerning this proposal was received from Assistant Secretary of the Navy James D. Hittle; Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Deputy Commander for Nuclear Propulsion, Naval Ship Systems Command; and Vice Adm. Charles K. Duncan, Deputy CNO for Manpower and Naval Reserve, and Chief of Naval Personnel. Committee took no action on this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, hearings on proposed fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for items for the Atomic Energy Commission from Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, who was accompanied by other AEC officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow, in executive session, with further testimony on funds for the AEC.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance continued hearings on S. 813 and S. 1940, to provide extension of authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, and on related subjects, receiving testimony from George Bookbinder, president, Rand Development Corp.; Dr. N. R. Danielian, president, International Economic Policy Association; James Henry Giffen, vice president, Consultant Division, Satra Corp.; and J. M. Chambers, J. M. Chambers & Co., Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

EDUCATIONAL TV AND RADIO

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 1242, extending authorizations for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities. Witnesses heard were Gov. Marvin Mandel, of Maryland; Dr. Frank Stanton, president, Columbia Broadcasting System; William G. Harley, president, National Association of Educational Broadcasters; Hartford Gunn, Jr., Manager, WGBH, Boston, accompanied by Fred Roger, producer and host of "Mr. Roger's Neighborhood," Station WQED, Pittsburgh; Prof. Calvin W. Stillman, College of Environmental Sciences, Rutgers University; Robert Montgomery, National Citizens Committee for Broadcasting; and Alvin Perlmutter, Association of Public Television Producers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CITY RIOTS AND CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee met in executive session, after which it announced that it had unanimously voted "that approval be given to

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations to hold public hearings or executive sessions until January 31, 1970, under the authority of Senate Resolution 26, 91st Congress, first session, agreed to February 17, 1969, as amended by Senate Resolution 99 agreed to February 25, 1969, in connection with the investigation of riots and civil and criminal disorders in cities, on college campuses and elsewhere, and to hear testimony to determine whether there are groups or organizations or individuals who are fostering, or whose purposes, aims, and objectives include the fostering of such riots and civil and criminal disorders, and to ascertain their key personnel, aims, and objectives, organizational structures and sources of funds, and all other facts relevant to the question whether additional legislation is necessary or appropriate to prevent the recurrence of such riots, civil and criminal disorders."

RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued hearings to ascertain the policy structure in determining costs incurred for federally sponsored project research at institutions of higher learning, receiving testimony from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Science Adviser to the President; and Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Daniel Bartlett, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Missouri;

Richard Van Thomas, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Wyoming;

Herbert F. Travers, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the district of Massachusetts;

John W. Stokes, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the northern district of Georgia;

Brian P. Gettings, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Virginia;

Bill Carnes Murray, to be U.S. marshal for the northern district of Georgia;

Harold M. Grindle, to be U.S. marshal for the southern district of Iowa;

F. Peter Stone, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Delaware;

Louis C. Bechtle, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Pennsylvania;

George J. Reed, to be a member of the Board of Parole; and

John B. Hannum, to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Pennsylvania.

Committee also approved for reporting the following measures:

S. 278, granting consent of Congress to the New Hampshire-Vermont Interstate School Compact;

S.J. Res. 46, authorizing President to designate the period of November 16–22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week";

S.J. Res. 77, authorizing the President to designate the period June 8–14, 1969, as "Professional Photography Week in America";

S.J. Res. 81, to designate May 12 of each year as "Joan Merriam Smith-Amelia Earhart Aviation Day";

S.J. Res. 45, authorizing President to designate period of September 1–6, 1969, as "Adult Education Week";

S.J. Res. 99, authorizing President to designate first week in June of each year as "Helen Keller Memorial Week";

S.J. Res. 100, authorizing President to designate the week beginning May 1 as "Youth Week";

H. Con. Res. 165, to designate the year 1969 as "Diamond Jubilee Year of the American Motion Picture"; and

Thirteen private immigration bills (S. 150, S. 244, S. 245, S. 330, S. 354, S. 464, S. 465, S. 684, S. 738, S. 1104, S. 1438, H.R. 3548, H.R. 4064); and three private claims bills (S. 882, S. 890, S. 1248).

Committee also approved the annual report of its Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 104 private immigrations bills: (S. 61, S. 78, S. 84, S. 86, S. 102, S. 107, S. 161, S. 172, S. 176, S. 178, S. 188, S. 190, S. 192, S. 193, S. 194, S. 195, S. 197, S. 215, S. 218, S. 219, S. 246, S. 313, S. 326, S. 349, S. 372, S. 377, S. 388, S. 389, S. 395, S. 397, S. 456, S. 462, S. 491, S. 529, S. 550, S. 552, S. 553, S. 613, S. 649, S. 656, S. 660, S. 665, S. 687, S. 689, S. 691, S. 692, S. 693, S. 694, S. 787, S. 810, S. 834, S. 873, S. 874, S. 888, S. 894, S. 903, S. 909, S. 951, S. 994, S. 1000, S. 1014, S. 1020, S. 1029, S. 1031, S. 1089, S. 1121, S. 1135, S. 1140, S. 1153, S. 1155, S. 1159, S. 1160, S. 1162, S. 1188, S. 1226, S. 1383, S. 1405, S. 1409, S. 1411, S. 1412, S. 1413, S. 1415, S. 1416, S. 1417, S. 1425, S. 1429, S. 1430, S. 1431, S. 1528, S. 1549, S. 1550, S. 1553, S. 1556, S. 1614, S. 1616, S. 1668, S. 1672, S. 1742, S. 1743, S. 1744, S. 1745, S. 1844, H.R. 3539, H.R. 6896).

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President, having as its witnesses Representative Lowenstein; Prof. Howard Penniman, Georgetown University; State Senator Wesley L. Lance, 1968 president, New Jersey Electoral College; and Prof. Malcolm E. Jewell, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Economic Development Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, and S. 1090, proposed Regional Development Act of 1969, receiving testimony from John Waters, Federal Co-chairman, Appalachian Regional Commission; Miles C. Stanley, president, West Virginia AFL–CIO; Dr. Daniel Hale and Dr. Ross Newman, both of Southern West Virginia Regional Health Council, Bluefield; Dr. J. K. Stokes, Summers County Health Council; E. L. St. Clair, commissioner of McDowell County; Roland Nelson, president, Marshall University, Huntington, all of West Virginia; and Vernon West, Knox County Economic Opportunity Council, Inc., Barbourville, Ky.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 84 public bills, H.R. 10781–10864; two private bills, H.R. 10865 and 10866; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 695–697, H. Con. Res. 237 and 238, and H. Res. 387–391, were introduced. Pages 11143–11146

Late Reports: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file by midnight Friday, May 2, sundry reports. Page 11086

Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 11087

Crime Committee: By a record vote of 345 yeas to 18 nays, the House passed H. Res. 17, creating a select committee to conduct an investigation and study of all aspects of crime in the United States.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed as members of the select committee Representatives Pepper, chairman, Griffiths, Nix, Waldie, Watson, Wiggins, and Denney. Pages 11087–11101

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, May 7. Page 11101

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION—FEDERAL MARKETING ORDER—PEARS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations met in executive session and approved for full committee action, H.R. 2777, amended, Potato Research and Promotion Act; and H.R. 2690, amended, to amend section 2(3), section 8c(2), and section 8c(6)(1) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Further testimony was heard from John S. Foster, Jr., Director, Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Donald H. Parsons, Parsons Bank Partnerships, Detroit; and Lawson Becker, general counsel, Michigan Bankers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LAND SALE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on H.R. 664, to authorize the D.C. government to sell land in Prince William County, Va. Testimony was heard from Department of the Interior witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERS' HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 4047, H.R. 4295, and H.R. 7976, coal mine health and safety. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jethro Gough, National Coal Board, Great Britain.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 3290, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held an executive hearing on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Stanley I. Grand, AID representative, Argentina; and Lawrence Harrison, AID Operations Director, Costa Rica.

Hearings to continue May 8.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT CONTROLS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy concluded hearings on House Concurrent Resolutions 85 and 86, calling upon the President to terminate foreign direct investment controls. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AID OPERATIONS—CONGO

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing on AID operations in the Congo. Testimony was heard from Robert S. Smith, Deputy Assistant Administrator, AID Operations, Africa; and Donald S. Brown, Director, AID Operations, Congo.

GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

POWER MARKETING AGENCIES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met for briefing on power marketing agencies. Testimony was heard from Hon. James R. Smith, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power Development.

CIGARETTE SMOKING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on all bills relating to the smoking of cigarettes. Testimony was heard from former Governor of New Jersey, Robert B. Meyner.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 3666, to amend section 336(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Prior to the executive meeting, the subcommittee heard testimony on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session on several private claims bills.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES—NEW HAMPSHIRE-VERMONT INTERSTATE SCHOOL COMPACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations; and

H.R. 751, to consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont Interstate School Compact.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session to consider H.R. 248, and related bills, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law. No final action was taken.

CIVIL SERVICE REVOLVING FUND

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9233, to amend title 5, United States Code, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission in connection with certain functions of the Commission.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Concluded hearings on proposed amendments and extensions of authorizations to title I through title IV of the Economic Development Act of 1965, as amended. Testimony was heard from Representatives Moorhead, Pollock, and Pirnie and public witnesses.

STANDARD REFERENCE DATA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development concluded hearings on H.R. 4284, the standard reference data authorization bill. Testimony was heard from Dr. Allen V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards; Dr. Edward L. Brady, Associate Director for Information Programs, NBS; and Dr. Paul C. Cross, vice president for research, Carnegie-Mellon University.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Monday, May 5.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC STATISTICS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics continued hearings on a wide-ranging review of Federal statistical programs, with particular emphasis on the scope of questions asked in the taking of the census. Witnesses heard were Martin R. Gainsbrugh, National Industrial Conference Board; John Gunther, Conference of Mayors of the United States; and Harold W. Watts, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 15.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through April 30, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	46	60	..
Time in session	161 hrs., 22′	128 hrs., 09′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	4,340	3,272	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	3,534
Public bills enacted into law	3	7	10
Private bills enacted into law	2	..	2
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	157	173	..
Senate bills	61	6	..
House bills	6	68	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	1	..
House joint resolutions	2	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	4	..
House concurrent resolutions	6	12	..
Simple resolutions	76	80	156
Measures reported, total	*194	*164	..
Senate bills	61	3	..
House bills	7	94	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	2	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	3	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	6	6	..
Simple resolutions	113	57	170
Special reports	7	15	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	1	27	..
Measures introduced, total	2,344	12,096	14,440
Bills	2,029	10,780	12,809
Joint resolutions	105	694	799
Concurrent resolutions	20	236	256
Simple resolutions	190	386	576
Quorum calls	7	30	..
Yea-and-nay votes	19	22	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 131 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 179 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through April 30, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 4,317, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,335
Unconfirmed	982

Air Force nominations, totaling 2,382, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,269
Unconfirmed	1,113

Navy nominations, totaling 11,818, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	7,365
Unconfirmed	4,453

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 6,073, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	5,912
Unconfirmed	161

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,772, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,608
Unconfirmed	147
Withdrawn	17

Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	26,990
Total confirmed	19,665
Total unconfirmed	6,856
Total withdrawn	469

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 21 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2049–2069; S.J. Res. 106–107; S. Con. Res. 22; and S. Res. 194.

Pages 11386–11387, 11398–11399

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 194, expressing sense of Senate in regard to changes in the Job Corps program (S. Rept. 91–163) (authority granted until midnight tonight to file report with any individual or minority views);

S. 1177, authorizing the vessel *West Wind* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges (S. Rept. 91–164);

S. 1590, extending to June 30, 1970, the life of the National Commission on Product Safety (S. Rept. 91–165). Pages 11267, 11386

President's Message—Indecent Mail: During adjournment on May 2 and under prior authorization, Senate received President's message urging legislation to bar sending of indecent material for advertising through the mail—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 11254

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 27 measures, of which 14 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 4064 and 3548.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 35, to provide for the appointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 13, to provide for the appointment of Dr. John Nicholas Brown, as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

GPO: S. 1655, increasing from 200 to 500 the number of apprentices authorized to be employed by the Government Printing Office;

New Hampshire-Vermont School Compact: S. 278, granting consent of Congress to the New Hampshire-Vermont Interstate School Compact;

Adult Education Week: S.J. Res. 45, authorizing President to designate period of September 1–6, 1969, as "Adult Education Week";

Family Health Week: S.J. Res. 46, authorizing President to designate the period of November 16–22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week";

Professional Photography Week: S.J. Res. 77, authorizing the President to designate the period June 8–14, 1969, as "Professional Photography Week in America";

Helen Keller Week: S.J. Res. 99, authorizing President to designate first week in June of each year as "Helen Keller Memorial Week";

Joint Chiefs of Staff: S.J. Res. 104, reappointing for 1 additional year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff;

Private bills: Nine private bills, S. 1438, 1104, 465, 464, 354, 330, 245, 150, 882.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Amelia Earhart-Joan Merriam Smith: S.J. Res. 81, to designate May 12 of each year as "Joan Merriam Smith-Amelia Earhart Aviation Day";

Youth Week: S.J. Res. 100, authorizing President to designate the week beginning May 1 as "Youth Week"; and

Private bills: Three private bills, S. 738, 684, and 244.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Motion Picture Jubilee: H. Con. Res. 165, to designate the year 1969 as "Diamond Jubilee Year of the American Motion Picture"; and

Contempt of Senate: S. Res. 191, citing Margaret and Alan McSurely for contempt of Senate for refusal to appear and produce records in response to subpenas of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations. Pages 11287–11289

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Thursday, May 8, to receive messages from the President and from the House of Representatives and to refer same to appropriate committees.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports, with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Page 11419

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William Hill Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Philip N. Whittaker, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; George J. Reed, of Oregon, to be a member of the Board of Parole; Shiro Kashiwa, of Hawaii, to be an Assistant Attorney General; William E. Schuyler, Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Patents; and 15 judicial.

After debate and by 55 yeas to 15 nays, Senate confirmed nomination of James E. Allen, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and to be Commissioner of Education.

Pages 11419–11420

Nominations: On May 2, during adjournment and under prior authorization, Senate received nominations of William F. Howland, of Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Parole; Bert M. Tollefson, Jr., of South Dakota, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and one judicial.

Today, Senate received the following nominations:

Jack Hood Vaughn, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Colombia; Murray L. Weidenbaum, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; James F. Leonard, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; R. Alex McCullough, of South Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank; Nicholas G. Theodore, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint at Philadelphia; and one Army.

Nomination of Peter A. Bove, of Vermont, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands, was withdrawn.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from John B. Layton, Chief of Metropolitan Police; Hugh A. Groves, Chief of the Fire Department; and George R. Rodericks, Director, Office of Civil Defense.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 7.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, subcommittee, in executive session, received testimony in behalf of funds for the Atomic Energy Commission from Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Director, Division of Nuclear Reactors; Milton Shaw, Director, Division of Reactor Development and Technology; Milton Klein, Director, Division of Space Nuclear Systems; John S. Kelly, Director, Division of Peaceful Nuclear Explosives, and other officials of the AEC.

On Friday, May 2, subcommittee, also in executive session, heard testimony in behalf of funds for the AEC from Paul W. McDaniel, Director, Division of Research, John R. Totter, Director, Division of Biology and Medicine, and E. Eugene Fowler, Director, Division of Isotopes Development, all of the AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Panama Canal.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts, to be special representative for trade negotiations; and Malcolm Toon, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Czechoslovakia. Senators Kennedy and Brooke were present to introduce Mr. Gilbert.

Committee also held hearings on agreement with Canada providing for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.), receiving testimony from Martin J. Hillenbrand, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

Also, committee held hearings on S. 856, providing Federal Government participation in international expositions proposed to be held in the United States, having as its witness John W. Nelson, Director, U.S. Exposition Staff, Department of Commerce.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider these items of business, and other pending nominations.

NEW MEXICO LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, May 2, Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 202, providing that the United States disclaims interest in certain lands in Carson National Forest, N. Mex., receiving testimony from John O. Crow, Associate Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Russell P. McRorey, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, May 2, subcommittees held hearings on the nominations of William E. Schuyler, Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Patents; Thomas A. Flannery, of Maryland, to be U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia; and George E. MacKinnon, of Minnesota, and Roger Robb, of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. circuit judges for the D.C. circuit. Testimony was received from Senator McCarthy, who spoke in behalf of Mr. MacKinnon, and numerous public witnesses.

These nominations were approved by the committee and reported to the Senate.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, May 2, Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued its hearings on pending legislation proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and Vice President, with testimony from Senator Burdick; Representative Burlison, of Missouri; Jorge L. Córdova, Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico; I. Martin Wekselman, American Jewish Congress; and Kit H. Haynes and Roger Fleming, both of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PRIVACY—QUESTIONNAIRES

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, May 2, Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights continued hearings on S. 1791, to protect the constitutional rights of individuals to ignore unwarranted governmental requests for personal information, having as its witness William H. Chartener, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, May 2, Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on pending bills designed to improve the health and safety of coal miners (S. 355, 467, 1094, 1178, and 1300), having as its witnesses Prof. Jethro Gough, Welsh National School of Medicine, Cardiff, United Kingdom; Foster Mullins, Chief Mine Inspector, and Edmond M. Boggs, Commissioner of Labor Industries, both of the Commonwealth of Virginia; and John F. O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

JOB CORPS CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, May 2, Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued its hearings in connection with the announced closing of Job Corps centers, with testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; Walter Lukens, representing Litton Industries, Inc.; David Painter, superintendent of schools, Garden Grove, Calif.; B. J. Roberts, Joint Action in Community Services; Eugene Allen of Pleasanton, Calif.; and the following panel of witnesses: Julius Rothman, AFL–CIO; Reese Hammond, International Union of Operating Engineers; William Duval, Brotherhood of Painters; and Leo Gable, Brotherhood of Carpenters.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 57 public bills, H.R. 10867–10923; five private bills, H.R. 10924–10928; and three resolutions, H. Con. Res. 239 and 240, and H. Res. 392, were introduced. **Pages 11251–11253**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6269, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of the State of South Carolina, amended (H. Rept. 91–180);

S. 1081, to provide for the striking of medals in honor of the dedication of the Winston Churchill Memorial and Library (H. Rept. 91–181);

H.R. 7215, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service (H. Rept. 91–182);

H.R. 8188, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita, Kans. (H. Rept. 91–183);

H.R. 8648, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the American Fisheries Society (H. Rept. 91–184); all the above-listed reports were filed on Friday, May 2.

H.R. 8020, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide entitlement to round-trip transportation to the home port for a member of the naval service on permanent duty aboard a ship overhauling away from home port whose dependents are residing at home port, amended (H. Rept. 91–185);

H.R. 6790, to authorize an increase in the number of Marine Corps Reserve officers who may serve in an active status in the combined grades of brigadier and major general (H. Rept. 91–186); and

H.R. 8018, to amend section 1072(2) of title 10, United States Code, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent, amended (H. Rept. 91–187). **Page 11251**

Member Sworn: Representative Goldwater of California presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the oath of office. **Page 11209**

Presidential Message—Sex-Oriented Mail: Received and read a message from the President regarding the great volume of obscene and pornographic mail; and legislative proposals to combat it—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed. **Pages 11210–11211**

Suspensions: The House voted to suspend the rules and pass by voice votes the following bills, all regarding the striking of commemorative medals:

South Carolina: H.R. 6269, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of South Carolina;

Winston Churchill Memorial and Library: S. 1081, to provide for the striking of medals in honor of the dedication of the Winston Churchill Memorial and Library;

U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service: H.R. 7215, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service;

Wichita, Kans.: H.R. 8188, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita, Kans.; and

American Fisheries Society: S. 1130 (in lieu of H.R. 8648), to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the American Fisheries Society. **Pages 11214–11219**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRYMEN'S BASE PLAN EXTENSION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry held a hearing on H.R. 7996, H.R. 7922, and H.R. 9182, to permanently extend the class I dairymen's

base plan and authorize use of different base periods for allocating fluid milk utilization among farmers. Testimony was heard from Representatives Meeds and Mrs. Hansen, whose testimony was read by her administrative assistant, and departmental and public witnesses.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Further testimony was heard from John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, May 2, the committee continued hearings on the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTEREST ON INSTALLMENT LOANS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee met in executive session and referred back to the subcommittee H.R. 255, interest in advance on installment loans.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

On Friday, May 2, the committee also heard testimony from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations, continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Capt. Rowland G. Freeman III, Deputy Chief of Naval Material for Procurement and Production, Department of the Navy.

PUBLIC BUILDING PROJECTS AND STUDIES

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, approved 34 public building prospectuses; a study for a Secret Service training center; and a study of a needs survey for Orlando, Fla., and Odessa, Tex.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved the above projects for full committee action.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, May 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, receiving testimony from Milton Klein, Director, AEC–NASA Space Nuclear Propulsion Office; and James T. Ramey, member, Atomic Energy Commission.

In an afternoon executive session, committee received testimony from Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director, Defense Research and Engineering; and Secretary of the Air Force Robert C. Seamans, Jr.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, having as its witnesses Maj. Gen. Walter P. Leber, Governor, Canal Zone Government, and President, Panama Canal Company; and Robert G. Storey, Vice Chairman, Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Study Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of Interior; and George Meany, of Maryland, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.

Also, committee approved with amendments S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers.

Committee will meet in executive session on Thursday, May 8, to consider S. 1242, relating to grants for construction of educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities.

AUTO INSURANCE STUDY

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Transportation Secretary John A. Volpe and Assistant Secretary Paul Cherington with regard to the progress being made by their Department in the auto insurance study requested and funded by the Congress last year.

NOMINATIONS, AND TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nominations of Shelby Davis, of New York, to be Ambassador to Switzerland; Guilford Dudley, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Ambassador to Denmark; Robert Ellsworth, of Kansas, to be U.S. permanent representative on the Council of NATO; Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts, to be special representative for trade negotiations; Fred L. Hadsel, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Somali Republic; and Malcolm Toon, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Czechoslovakia.

Committee also ordered favorably reported convention on offenses and certain other acts committed on board aircraft (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.); and agreement with Canada providing for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.).

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, in executive session, concluded action on and ordered favorably reported to the full committee, S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969.

JUDGESHIPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district judgeships in various specified States, receiving testimony from Senators Cook, Long, Eagleton, and Symington; Chief Judge Richard Chambers, U.S. Circuit Court, Ninth Circuit; Chief Judge John Brown, U.S. Circuit Court, Fifth Circuit; Chief Judge William Hastie, U.S. Circuit Court, Third Circuit; Chief Judge Paul Weick, U.S. Circuit Court, Sixth Circuit; and Chief Judge William Becker, U.S. District Court for the Western District of Missouri.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, and S. 1808, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act to children employed in agriculture. Witnesses heard were George P. Shultz, Secretary of Labor, accompanied by W. J. Usery, Assistant Secretary of Labor; George H. Wedgeworth, Wedgeworth Farms, Inc., Belle Glade, Fla.; Charles R. Sexton, Vero Beach, Fla.; and Michael Jaffey, Liberty Lobby.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 16.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. William M. M. Kirby, professor, University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle; and Dr. Heinz F. Eichenwald, chairman, department of pediatrics, University of Texas Medical School, Dallas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 63 public bills, H.R. 10929–10990, and 11000; 12 private bills, H.R. 10991–10999, 11001–11003; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 698–703, H. Con. Res. 241 and 242, and H. Res. 393 and 394, were introduced.

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Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 5134.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 5133.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2214, 3377, 5000, 6400, 6378, 2552, and 5615. Page 11460

Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 11460

Milk Program: By a record vote of 384 yeas to 2 nays, the House passed H.R. 5554, to provide a special milk program for children.

Agreed to an amendment that included Guam within the purview of the act.

By a division vote of 8 yeas to 85 nays, rejected an amendment specifying that the milk could be used only as a nutrition aid to low-income children. Prior to the division vote, the amendment was rejected by a voice vote.

Rejected a similar amendment that stressed priority to needy children.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill by a voice vote.

H. Res. 379, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Murphy of Illinois, wherein he resigns from the United States-Canada Interparliamentary Conference.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Morgan to fill the vacancy. Page 11475

Referrals: 22 Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 11513

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GREAT PLAINS CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10595, to extend and amend the Great Plains conservation program.

MILITARY—MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following: H.J. Res. 677, to authorize the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, for an additional term of 1 year, the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1969; and H. Con. Res. 207, amended, Gen. Omar N. Bradley.

The committee also continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. OPTOMETRY ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 2388, to amend the act of May 28, 1924, to revise existing law relating to the examination, licensure, registration, and regulation of optometrists and the practice of optometry in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Representatives Sisk and Nelsen, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education began hearings on H.R. 10767, the Older Americans Act. Testimony was heard from Dr. Mary Switzer, Administrator, Social Rehabilitation Service, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education began hearings on H.R. 517, School Construction Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings to continue on May 8.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from William C. Doherty, executive director, American Institute for Free Labor Development; and James H. Boren, Director, Partners of the Alliance Programs, Office of Deputy U.S. Coordinator for Alliance for Progress.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Gordon W. Rule, Director, Procurement Control and Clearance Division, Office of Naval Material, Department of the Navy.

Hearings to continue on May 13.

RECLAMATION PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 1215, to amend the act of June 12, 1968, in order to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington; and H.R. 1216, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session to consider H.R. 6797, H.R. 7059, and similar bills, Hill-Burton hospital construction. The committee will meet again tomorrow.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3666, to amend section 336(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act;

H.R. 3667, amended, to amend section 312 of the Immigration and Nationality Act;

H.R. 4244, amended, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations;

H.R. 4246, to discontinue the annual report to Congress as to the administrative settlement of personal

property claims of military personnel and civilian employees;

H.R. 4247, amended, to amend section 2734 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary concerned to make partial payments on certain claims which are certified to Congress; and

H.R. 751, amended, to consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont Interstate School Compact.

The committee also acted on several private immigration and claims bills.

OIL POLLUTION ACT—MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and passed over without prejudice H.R. 6495, to amend the Oil Pollution Act, 1924, for the purpose of controlling oil pollution from vessels; and decided to meet again on Wednesday, May 7, to further consider H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Charles H. Wilson and Gross.

CALIFORNIA DISASTER ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 6508, amended, the California Disaster Act of 1969.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program resumed hearings on highway safety, design, and operations. Testimony was heard from Arthur Freed, traffic engineer, Westchester County, White Plains, N.Y., and Charles W. Prisk, Assistant Director for Safety, Office of Policy Planning, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON BUREAU OF BUDGET

Committee on Rules: Did not complete hearings on H. Res. 350, to create a Select Committee on the Bureau of the Budget. Testimony was heard from Representatives Moss, Hansen, and Hays.

INTERNATIONAL BIOLOGICAL PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development began hearings on H.J. Res. 589, dealing with the international biological program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank Blair, Chairman, U.S. National Committee for the IBP and Dr. Harve Carlson, Chairman, Federal Intergovernmental Coordinating Committee on the IBP.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from Dr. S. Richardson Hill, vice president, University of Alabama Medical School.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, May 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Dr. Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Rural Development and Conservation; and an original joint resolution (in lieu of S.J. Res. 98) authorizing the Commodity Credit Corporation to make an additional advance of $25 million for Emergency Credit Revolving Fund.

Also, committee announced that it will hold hearings during the week beginning May 19 (specific date undetermined) on pending food stamp legislation (S. 6, 1608, 1864, and 2014).

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, subcommittee received testimony from Charles F. Luce, Chairman, National Water Commission; Henry P. Caulfield, Jr., Executive Director, Water Resources Council; Col. Vincent L. Corrado, Chief, Memorial Division, Office of Chief of Support Services, Army; and George F. Robinson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Administration, on funds for the Delaware River Basin Commission.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 9, on funds for Federal Water Pollution Control Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from the following witnesses: Chief Judge Morris Miller, Juvenile Court of the District of Columbia; Chief Judge Harold H. Greene, D.C. court of general sessions; Chief Judge Andrew M. Hood, D.C. Court of Appeals; Judge Robert M. Weston, D.C. Tax Court; Samuel Dash, Chairman, Legal Aid Agency; Bruce D. Beaudin, Director, D.C. Bail Agency; Julian R. Dugas, Director, Department of Licenses and Inspections; and Comer S. Coppie, Deputy Budget Officer, District of Columbia.

Hearings continue Friday, May 9.

GOLD AND SILVER PRODUCTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1046, to provide for a civil remedy for misrepresentation of quality of articles composed in whole or in part of gold or silver. Testimony was received from M. Wilbur Townsend and DeWitt Alexandre, both of Jewelers Vigilance Committee, Inc.; F. Remington Ballou, Manufacturing Jewelers and Silversmiths of America, Inc.; Herbert F. Underwood, Retail Jewelers Association, Washington, D.C.; Joseph Tarantola, Local No. 1, Amalgamated Jewelry, Diamond & Watch Case Workers of America, AFL–CIO; and Dermot Shea, Commonwealth of Massachusetts Consumers' Council, Boston.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment, having as its witnesses Dr. Carl H. Madden, Chamber of Commerce of the United States; Dr. Georg Treichel, San Francisco State College, representing the Sierra Club; Jeh Johnson, representing the American Institute of Architects; Wesley E. Gilbertson, National Society of Professional Engineers; and Edwin M. Wheeler, National Plant Food Institute.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on the auto insurance industry, with testimony today concerning a case of a consumer being refused renewal of auto insurance "because of unfavorable information received concerning personal habits within your household." Witnesses heard were R. W. Hensel, George Pitts, and Thomas Taylor, all of the Retail Credit Co., Atlanta; Douglas Patterson, Everett Turlington, Mrs. Suzanne Harrison, and William A. Malanima, all of the Royal Globe Insurance Co.; John H. Chichester, Fredericksburg, Va., agent for the Royal Globe Insurance Co.; and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald D. Huey, Stafford, Va., who were denied insurance by the insurers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JUDGESHIPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district judgeships in various specified States, having as its witnesses Senator Gurney; Chief Judge J. Edward Lumbard, U.S. Circuit Court, Second Circuit; and Chief Judge Clement F. Haynsworth, U.S. Circuit Court, Fourth Circuit.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special subcommittee held hearings on S. 1856 and S. 1857, to authorize funds for the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970, receiving testimony from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation, and Philip Handler, Chairman, National Science Board.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Labor Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 1368, to promote health and safety in the construction industry in all Federal and federally-assisted construction projects, receiving testimony from James D. Hodgson, Under Secretary of Labor; William E. Naumann, Associated General Contractors of America; Daniel Hanson, American Roadbuilders Association; James J. Kelly, National Constructors; and Paul Connelley, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed hearings on food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, with testimony from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Robert H. Finch and Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

Hearings continue tomorrow in the State of California.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Calvin M. Kunin, Department of Preventive Medicine, University of Virginia Medical School; Dr. William L. Hewitt, University of California School of Medicine, Los Angeles; and Dr. Robert I. Wise, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 51 public bills, H.R. 11004–11054; nine private bills, H.R. 11055–11063; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 704–706, H. Con. Res. 243 and 244, and H. Res. 395–399, were introduced. Pages 11631–11633

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 9233, to amend title 5, United States Code, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission in connection with certain functions of the Commission (H. Rept. 91–188);

H.J. Res. 677, to authorize the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, for an additional term of 1 year, the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1969 (H. Rept. 91–189); and

H. Con. Res. 207, General Omar N. Bradley, amended (H. Rept. 91–190). Page 11631

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Fish and Wildlife of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 11604

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 14. Page 11608

Presidential Message—Hunger: Received and read a message from the President regarding hunger and malnutrition in the United States, and an outline of proposals to combat it—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 11608–11609

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Air Force Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Gen. John D. Ryan, Vice Chief of Staff, and Lt. Gen. Durward Crow, Comptroller of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. OPTOMETRY ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on H.R. 2388, to amend the act of May 28, 1924, to revise existing law relating to the examination, licensure, registration, and regulation of optometrists and the practice of optometry in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from D.C. government witnesses.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY—COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects; and H.R. 10666, to establish a National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 10767, Older Americans Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Pepper and public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education; also H.R. 10570, to create a Federal higher education mediation and conciliation service; and H.R. 10074 and H.R. 10136, to require the suspension of Federal financial assistance to colleges and universities which are experiencing campus disorders and fail to take appropriate corrective measures within a reasonable time and to require the termination of Federal financial assistance to teachers, instructors, and lecturers guilty of violation of any law in connection with such disorders. Testimony was heard from Representatives Smith of Iowa, Harsha, Cabell, Montgomery, and Kuykendall and one public witness.

JOINT LABOR MANAGEMENT FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND CHILD CARE CENTERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 4314, joint labor management for scholarships and child care centers. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from William E. Lang, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Africa and Western

Hemisphere, International Security Affairs, DOD, and Brig. Gen. Robert C. McAlister, Director, Western Hemisphere Region, International Security Affairs, DOD.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ASIAN AND PACIFIC AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for briefing by the Honorable Marshall Green, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

LAW OF THE SEA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive joint meeting with the Subcommittee on Oceanography of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries for briefing on preliminary discussions pointing to the next conference on the law of the sea. Testimony was heard from Donald L. McKernan, Special Assistant for Fisheries and Wildlife to the Secretary of State; Leonard Meeker, Legal Adviser; and Jared G. Carter, Assistant Legal Adviser, Department of State.

HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7059, amended, Hill-Burton hospital construction.

VIETNAM PRISONERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4204, amended, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session to consider H.R. 8261, H.R. 8322, and H.R. 8323, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958.

Committee to continue consideration tomorrow.

TAXATION OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on State Taxation of Interstate Commerce met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7906, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

HAZARDOUS GEOLOGIC AREAS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies began hearings on Federal involvement in housing construction in hazardous geologic areas. Testimony was heard from Gregory Ahart, Deputy Director, Civil Division, GAO; Dr. John S. Steinhardt, Office of Science and Technology, Executive Office of the President; and William B. Ross, Acting Assistant Secretary, HUD, and Acting Commissioner, FHA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE, AND RODENTICIDE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on administration by the Department of Agriculture of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act. Testimony was heard from Department of Agriculture witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970.

MINERAL RESOURCES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met for continuation of mineral resources briefing. Testimony was heard from Hollis M. Dole, Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4152, amended, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce.

FISH AND WILDLIFE COORDINATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fish and Wildlife Conservation concluded hearings on H.R. 6750, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from Representative Ottinger; Stewart Udall, former Secretary of the Interior; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Representative Anderson of Illinois and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTMASTER GENERAL BRIEFING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session with Postmaster General Winton M. Blount for continuation of briefing and questioning.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety, design, and operation. Testimony was heard from Charles W. Dietrich, senior scientist; and Dr. Joseph Markowitz, research psychologist, Bolt, Beranek & Newman, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL BIOLOGICAL PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.J. Res. 589, dealing with the international biological program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director of the Office of Science and Technology, and Dr. N. E. Gibbons, vice chairman, Canadian National Committee for the IBP.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

DISABLED VETERANS' HOUSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 408, amended, to modify eligibility requirements for assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing to include loss or loss of use of a lower extremity and other service-connected disability for wheelchair cases.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, May 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11671–11826

Bills Introduced: 45 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2070–2114; S.J. Res. 108; and S. Con. Res. 23–24. **Pages 11798–11799, 11824**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 33, to increase by $480 million U.S. participation in the International Development Association, with supplemental views (S. Rept. 91–166); and

S. 1242, extending authorization for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities (S. Rept. 91–167). **Page 11798**

Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 11671**

President's Message—Malnutrition: President's message on malnutrition and hunger with his plans on food programs to attack these problems, was received during adjournment on May 7 under prior authorization—referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. **Pages 11669–11670**

Merchant Marine: Senate passed without amendment S. 1177, authorizing the vessel *West Wind* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges. **Page 11672**

Product Safety: S. 1590, extending to June 30, 1970, the life of the National Commission on Product Safety, was passed without amendment. **Page 11672**

Stockpile: Senate passed S. 1647, authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile, after adopting Williams (Delaware) amendment providing that disposition of the lead be by sale to the highest responsible bidder (motion to reconsider tabled). **Page 11836**

Appointments by Vice President: The Vice President has appointed the following Senators to attend the United States-Canada Interparliamentary Conference to be held at Ottawa and Banff, Canada, June 3–8: Church (Chairman), Gravel, McCarthy, Spong, Mansfield, Ervin, Aiken, Griffin, Hansen, Jordan (Idaho), and Javits.

Vice President reappointed Senators Williams (New Jersey) and Scott to be members of the 53d session of the International Labor Conference to be held at Geneva June 4–26. **Pages 11835–11836**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate on Friday, May 9, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, on Friday, May 9, to file reports with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. **Page 11854**

Treaty Received: During adjournment on May 5 and under prior authorization, Senate received Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, with optional protocol concerning compulsory settlement of disputes, signed at Vienna April 24, 1963 (Ex. E, 91st Cong., first sess.). Injunction of secrecy was removed today from the treaty and it was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Pages 11671–11672**

Treaties Reported: Two treaties were reported, as follows:

(1) Convention on offenses and certain other acts

committed on board aircraft, signed at Tokyo on September 14, 1963 (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–3); and

(2) Agreement with Canada providing for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–4). Page 11671

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; one judicial; and numerous Coast Guard. Page 11864

Nominations: During adjournment on May 6 and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations: three civilian, including those of Philip H. Trezise, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of State, and Carlos Garcia Camacho, of Guam, to be Governor of Guam; one judicial; and three Army in the rank of general.

During adjournment on May 7 and under prior authorization, Senate received nominations of David H. Popper, of New York, to be Ambassador to Cyprus; Kingdon Gould, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Luxembourg; and numerous Army nominations.

Today, Senate received one judicial and three Navy nominations. Pages 11854–11864

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices held hearings on S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Senator Young of North Dakota; Paul A. Nicholson, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; John W. Scott, master, National Grange; John C. Datt, American Farm Bureau Federation; Doyle Burns, National Potato Council; Mrs. Glenn Gumlia, Red River Valley Potato Growers Association; Albert E. Mercker, Vegetable Growers Association of America; and W. F. McCaleb, Jr., Association of Virginia Potato and Vegetable Growers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EDUCATIONAL TV, AND GOLD AND SILVER PRODUCTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 1242, extending authorizations for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities, and with amendment S. 1046, to provide for a civil remedy for misrepresentation of quality of articles composed in whole or in part of gold or silver.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act. Witnesses heard were Mitchell I. Ginsberg, Commissioner, Human Resources Administration, New York City; Mrs. Richard G. Miller and Mrs. Robert J. Klein, League of Women Voters; Pepe Lucero, National Association for Community Development; Byron E. Brady, Office of Economic Opportunity, State of Washington; and Ulysses Rowell, Seattle-King County Economic Opportunity Board, Inc., Seattle.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 15.

CHILD DAY CARE CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2068, to amend the Labor Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day care centers. Testimony was received from Howard Samuel, who presented the statement of Jacob Potofsky, president, Amalgamated Clothing Workers Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POSTMASTER APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service, receiving testimony from Winton M. Blount, Postmaster General; Thomas P. Costin, Jr., National Association of Postmasters; Herbert Alfrey, National Rural Letter Carriers Association; James H. Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers; and Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors, who submitted a written statement.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 52 public bills, H.R. 11064–11115; two private bills, H.R. 11116 and 11117; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 707–711, H. Con. Res. 245–248, and H. Res. 400, were introduced. Pages 11896–11897

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 86, referring the bill (H.R. 1691) to the Chief Commissioner of the Court of Claims, amended (H. Rept. 91–191); and

H.R. 1749, 1808, amended, 1865, 2238, amended, 1999, amended, 4744, amended, 5419, amended, 3006, 6375, 6377, amended, 6581, 6850, amended, and 8136, all private bills (H. Repts. 91–192 to 91–204, respectively).

Pages 11895–11896

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a message from the Speaker whereby he designates Representative Boggs as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page 11865

Late Reports: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday, May 9. Page 11884

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary of Air Force for Research and Development Grant L. Hansen.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session on research and development deficiencies. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. Turner F. Caldwell, director, antisubmarine warfare programs.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MINIMUM WAGE ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on H.R. 10497, to amend the D.C. Minimum Wage Act. Testimony was heard from D.C. government officials.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 10767, Older Americans Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 517, School Construction Act. Testimony was heard from New Jersey education officials.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education. Testimony was heard from Nathan Pusey, president, Harvard University, and Robben W. Fleming, president, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs continued hearings on the Alliance for Progress. Testimony was heard from Hon. Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs.

DUMPING OF POISONOUS GAS AND WASTE INTO OCEANS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on the effect of the dumping of poisonous gas and waste into the oceans, on U.S. international commitments under various conventions, fisheries agreements, and general international law. Testimony was heard from officials from Department of State, Department of the Interior, and Department of Defense.

HAZARDOUS GEOLOGIC AREAS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies continued hearings on Federal involvement in housing construction in hazardous geologic areas. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Veterans' Administration and Geological Survey of the Department of Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

REGIONAL BOUNDARIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization concluded hearings on President Nixon's plan to realine regional boundaries. Testimony was heard from Representatives Randall, Hull, Bolling, Marsh, and Winn and Bureau of the Budget Director Hughes.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RECLAMATION PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation concluded hearings on H.R. 1215, to amend the act of June 12, 1968, in order to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington; and H.R. 1216, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington. Testimony was heard from Representative May and public witnesses.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in

executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8261, amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Representative Morton and Dr. Chalmer Kirkbride, Sun Oil Co.

Hearings to continue on May 13.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on the 1970 census questions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Olsen, Scott, Betts, Roudebush, Buchanan, Mink, Downing, Hungate, and Gallagher. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Green of Pennsylvania, McDonald, and Nix.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety, design, and operation. Testimony was heard from Frederick N. Rehm and Arthur C. Gibson, Automobile Club of Michigan.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEDERAL EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 6808, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt of certain Federal educational assistance benefits.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Joint Committee Meetings

PLOWSHARE PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings on S. 1885, H.R. 477, and H.R. 10288, to authorize the Atomic Energy Commission to make peaceful nuclear explosion services available to domestic and foreign users for practical applications. Witnesses heard were Francesco Costagliola, member, John S. Kelly, Director, Division of Peaceful Nuclear Explosives, and Joseph F. Hennessey, General Counsel, all of the AEC; Hollis Dole, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Mineral Resources; and Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General of the United States.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Monday, May 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11987–12065

Bills Introduced: 30 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2115–2144; S.J. Res. 109; and S. Res. 195–196. **Pages 12097–12098, 12116–12117**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1287, authorizing $2.5 million for 3-year extension of studies relative to the advisability of conversion to the metric system (S. Rept. 91–168); and

H.R. 8794, to continue to June 30, 1970, the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development (S. Rept. 91–169). **Page 12097**

Presidential Communication—Supplemental Appropriations: Senate received communication from President transmitting the following requests for supplemental appropriations for fiscal years 1968 and 1969—$172.6 million for mandatory payments to veterans; $30.353 million for agency expenses of recent storms and floods; $17,305,407 in budget authority, and $24.651 million in other proposals for essential needs of executive branch; and $1.7 million for needs of the judiciary. Communication was referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–18. **Page 12097**

Job Corps: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, S. Res. 194, expressing sense of Senate in regard to changes in the Job Corps program. **Pages 12065–12097, 12117–12138, 12144**

Treaties Considered: Resolutions of ratification respecting the following two treaties were considered, following which the treaties were considered to have passed through their various parliamentary stages up to the point of adoption of the resolutions of ratification;

(1) Convention on offenses and certain other acts committed on board aircraft (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.); and

(2) Agreement with Canada providing for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.).

It was agreed that vote will be taken Tuesday, May 13, at 12:30 p.m. on resolution of ratification of the aircraft

convention, to be followed immediately by vote on the resolution of ratification of the agreement with Canada (Niagara River). Record vote will be taken on each of these resolutions. Pages 11996–12001

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: George Meany, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.; Robert Ellsworth, of Kansas, to be U.S. permanent representative on the Council of NATO, with rank and status of Ambassador; four to be Ambassadors as follows—Shelby Davis, of New York, to Switzerland, Malcolm Toon, of Maryland, to Czechoslovakia, Fred L. Hadsel, of the District of Columbia, to the Somali Republic, and Guilford Dudley, Jr., of Tennessee, to Denmark; two judicial; and one Navy in the rank of admiral. Page 12158

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Richard Funkhouser, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Gabon Republic; G. McMurtrie Godley, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Laos; two judicial; numerous Navy, including two in the rank of admiral; and one Marine Corps in the rank of general. Pages 12151–12158

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: On Friday, May 9, committee concluded hearings on S. 1941, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, after receiving testimony from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, subcommittee received testimony from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Leo M. Pellerzi, Assistant Attorney General for Administration; John J. Kaminski, Office of Budget and Accounts; William D. Ruckelshaus, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division; Johnnie M. Walters, Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division; Henry E. Petersen, Chief, Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, Criminal Division; Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division; Harlington Wood, Jr., Director, Office of U.S. Attorneys; and Carl C. Turner, Chief U.S. Marshal.

On Friday, May 9, subcommittee had as its witnesses Forest L. Miller, Acting Deputy Associate Manpower Administrator, and John M. Ekeberg, Director, Bureau of Employees Compensation, both of the Labor Department; Peter P. Muirhead, Acting Commissioner of Education; Dr. David J. Sencer, Director, National Communicable Disease Center; Joseph H. Meyers, Social and Rehabilitation Service, and Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Social Security Administration, all of the Department of HEW; and Robert A. Brenkworth, Financial Clerk of the Senate.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of Justice and the judiciary.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, May 9, subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, Department of Corrections; and Maj. Gen. Charles L. Southward, Commanding General, District of Columbia National Guard.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Monday, May 26.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, May 9, subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony from Carl L. Klein, Assistant Secretary for Water Quality and Research; and David D. Dominick, Commissioner, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GREAT LAKES—ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY

Committee on Commerce: Committee announced reactivation of a Special Subcommittee To Study Transportation on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway to be comprised of Senators Hartke, chairman, Hart, Long, Griffin, and Goodell.

COAST GUARD PROCUREMENT

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, May 9, Merchant Marine Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1284 and H.R. 4153, fiscal 1970 authorizations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard, with testimony from Charles D. Baker, Deputy Under Secretary of Transportation, and Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Frank Q. Nebeker, to be an Associate Judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Senator Prouty, who also presented a statement for Senator Bennett; Jacob Stein, D.C. Bar Association; and Joseph Hannon, Assistant U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

Francis J. Galbraith, of South Dakota, to be Ambassador to Indonesia;

Kingdon Gould, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Luxembourg;

Spencer M. King, of Maine, to be Ambassador to Guyana;

James F. Leonard, Jr., of Maryland, to be Assistant Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, United States;

Matthew J. Looram, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Dahomey;

David H. Popper, of New York, to be Ambassador to Cyprus;

Bert M. Tollefson, Jr., of South Dakota, to be Assistant Administrator, Agency for International Development;

Oliver L. Troxel, Jr., of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Zambia;

Sheldon B. Vance, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Congo; and

Jack Hood Vaughn, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Colombia.

Testimony in support of Messrs. Galbraith and Tollefson was received from Senator Mundt. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

CITY AND CAMPUS RIOTING

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, May 9, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations began a series of hearings to study the fundamental and long-standing causes of urban and campus rioting, having as its witness Eric Hoffer, member of the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Adm. Arthur H. Padula, owner of a construction corporation in Newark, N.J.; and Curtis L. Wagner, Jr., Special Assistant to the Judge Advocate General, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX LITIGATION SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery began hearings on pending legislation proposing changes in the Federal tax litigation system (S. 1973–1979), having as its witnesses the following tax lawyers: Bruce Lane, Jerry Hamovit, and John Jones, all of Washington, D.C.; and Luther Avery, of New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: On Friday, May 9, Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued executive consideration of S. 7 and S. 544, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and announced that it had agreed to hold additional hearings on May 20 and May 23, regarding limitations of liability for oil cleanup, and availability of insurance therefor.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 11118–11167; two private bills, H.R. 11168 and 11169; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 712–714, H. Con. Res. 249, and H. Res. 401–403, were introduced. **Pages 11985–11987**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 9088, amended, 10149, amended, and 10153, private bills (H. Repts. 91–205 to 91–207, respectively);

S. 1011, an act to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970, and for other purposes; with amendment (H. Rept. 91–208);

H.R. 751, a bill to consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact; with amendment (H. Rept. 91–209);

H.R. 4246, a bill to discontinue the annual report to Congress as to the administrative settlement of personal property claims of military personnel and civilian employees (H. Rept. 91–210);

H.R. 4247, a bill to amend section 2734 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary concerned to make partial payments on certain claims which are certified to Congress; with amendment (H. Rept. 91–211); and

H.R. 10595, a bill to amend the act of August 7, 1956 (70 Stat. 1115), as amended, providing for a Great Plains conservation program (H. Rept. 91–212).

The preceding bills were filed on Thursday, May 8.

H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce; filed on Friday, May 9 (H. Rept. 91–213); and

H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations, amended (H. Rept. 91–214).

Pages 11895–11896, 11985

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a communication from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Albert as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page 11958

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 11985

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MODEL CITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on model cities. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Housing and Urban Development George W. Romney and Floyd Hyde, Assistant Secretary for Model Cities.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, May 9, committee continued hearings on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Comptroller of the Currency William B. Camp; FDIC Chairman Kenneth A. Randall; New York Superintendent of Banks Frank Wille; Frank H. Heffron, Mutual Savings Central Fund, Inc.; and Manfred L. Thornton, trustee, Alfred I. Dupont Estate.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. PARKING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 resumed hearings on D.C. parking. Testimony was heard from George H. F. Oberlander, Director of Long-Range Planning, Regional Affairs, National Capital Planning Commission, and public witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

On Friday, May 9, the committee heard testimony from Comptroller General Staats and public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On Friday, May 9, Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education and financial assistance. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jacques Barzun, the University Professor, Columbia University, and Dr. Seymour Lipset, sociologist, Harvard University.

NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation approved for full committee action H.R. 2785, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the State of Tennessee certain lands comprising the Gatlinburg spur of the Foothills Parkway.

The subcommittee also held hearings on H. R. 2073, to amend the act of July 18, 1958, to provide for the expansion of Cowpens National Battleground Site, but no final action was taken.

VA HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from Dr. H. M. Engle, Chief Medical Director, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

PLOWSHARE PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: On Friday, May 9, committee continued hearings on S. 1885, H.R. 477, and H.R. 10288, to authorize the Atomic Energy Commission to make peaceful nuclear explosion services available to domestic and foreign users for practical applications. Testimony was received from Herman Pollack, Director of International Scientific and Technological Affairs, Department of State; and Charles N. Van Doren, General Counsel, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began hearings on the procedures applied by Federal agencies in evaluating the economic benefits of public expenditures, receiving testimony from Jack W. Carlson, Assistant Director for Program Evaluation, Bureau of the Budget; and Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 14.

Tuesday, May 13, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12207–12285

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2145–2164; S.J. Res. 110.

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Report Filed: Report was made as follows: Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "The Federal Judicial System" (S. Rept. 91–170). Page 12250

President's Message—Draft Reform: President transmitted message requesting return of power held by the President prior to June 30, 1967, to modify callup procedures under the Selective Service System and outlining the new procedures to be established if this authority is granted—referred to Committee on Armed Services.

Pages 12246–12248

Educational TV: Senate passed, without amendment, S. 1242, extending authorization for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities.

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Job Corps: After further consideration, Senate rejected, by 40 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), S. Res. 194, expressing sense of Senate in regard to changes in the Job Corps program.

Prior to this action Senate rejected, by 46 yeas to 47 nays, Prouty motion to recommit the resolution to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, and rejected, by 40 yeas to 53 nays, Javits amendment No. 20 for himself and other Senators (in the nature of a substitute for the resolution). Pages 12281, 12284, 12285–12326

International Development Association: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 33, to increase by $480 million U.S. participation in the International Development Association. Page 12326

Treaties Ratified: By 93 yeas to 1 nay, Senate adopted resolution of ratification respecting convention on offenses and certain other acts committed on board aircraft (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.).

By unanimous vote of 94 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification respecting agreement with Canada providing for additional temporary diversions from the Niagara River for power production purposes (Ex. C, 91st Cong., first sess.). Pages 12282–12284

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed.

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Nominations: Senate received nomination of J. William Middendorf II, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands; and numerous Coast Guard and Marine Corps nominations.

Pages 12329–12330

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony from Associate Supreme Court Justices Byron R. White and Potter Stewart; Paul P. Rao, Chief Judge, U.S. Customs Court; Matthew F. McGuire, senior judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia; William R. Sweeney, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and Herman G. Moeller, Acting Director, Bureau of Prisons, Leo M. Pellerzi, Assistant Attorney General for Administration, John Ingersoll, Director, and Frederick M. Garfield, Assistant Director, both of the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, all of the Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Departments of Commerce and Transportation.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Tennessee Valley Authority from its Chairman, Aubrey J. Wagner.

In an afternoon session, subcommittee received testimony on remaining items and revisions in the budget from Lt. Gen. William F. Cassidy, Jr., Chief of Engineers, and Francis Koisch, Director of Civil Works, both of the Army Engineers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—ABM SYSTEM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, resumed hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony concerning requested funds for the proposed antiballistic missile system from David Packard, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Defense Research and Engineering items.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 6,628 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

FREIGHT CAR SHORTAGE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings to receive testimony concerning plans of the Interstate Commerce Commission to implement Public Law 89–430, which would authorize utilization of increases in per diem rates on freight cars as a device to improve the freight car supply. Testimony was received from ICC Chairman Virginia Mae Brown.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN SERVICE APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony from Director General of the Foreign Service, John M. Steeves, concerning State Department procedure for appointing career Ambassadors and career Ministers, and the practice

of according the personal ranks of Ambassador and Minister on individuals without Senate confirmation.

CITY AND CAMPUS RIOTING

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings to study the fundamental and longstanding causes of urban and campus rioting, having as its witnesses Nathan Wright, Jr., Empowerment, Inc., New York City; Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, president, San Francisco State College, accompanied by Robert F. Carmody, director, Washington office, California State Colleges; and Dr. Bruno Bettelheim, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Peter James, Photo Magnetic Systems, Inc., Beltsville, Md.; and Mitchell D. Moore, attorney, and Charles H. Wiygul, mayor, both of Osceola, Ark.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX LITIGATION SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on pending legislation proposing changes in the Federal tax litigation system (S. 1973–1979), receiving testimony from C. W. Wellen, an attorney of Houston; Prof. Alan N. Polasky, University of Michigan Law School; John J. Sexton, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; Marvin Garbis, an attorney of Baltimore; and Prof. Richard C. Pugh, Columbia University School of Law.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION, AND PRIVATE BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Otto F. Otepka, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board.

Committee also approved three private immigration bills (H.R. 2948, 3464, and S. 564); and four private claims bills (S. 620, 797, 1002, and S. Res. 162).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on nine private immigration bills (S. 325, 627, 679, 794, 828, 1125, 1180, 1385, and H.R. 6161).

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Donald Rumsfeld, of Illinois, to be Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, and John B. Martin, Jr., of Michigan, to be Commissioner on Aging. Senators Dirksen and Percy appeared in support of Mr. Rumsfeld, and Senator Griffin appeared in support of Mr. Martin.

LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full committee consideration a proposed prospectus for the construction of a Federal Law Enforcement Training Center at Beltsville, Md., at a cost of $18,073,000.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in connection with this proposal was received from Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; James J. Rowley, Director, U.S. Secret Service, Treasury Department; Will Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice, accompanied by John P. Mohr, Assistant to the Director of the FBI; and Grant Wright, Chief, Park Police, National Capital Region, Department of the Interior.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 11170–11230; four private bills, H.R. 11231–11234; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 715–718, H. Con. Res. 250–253, and H. Res. 404–407, were introduced. **Pages 12331, 12378–12380**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3666, to amend section 336(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (H. Rept. 91–215);

H.R. 3667, to amend section 312 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, amended (H. Rept. 91–216);

H.R. 1462, 1707, amended, 1948, 2208, amended, 2224, amended, 2536, amended, 2890, 3165, 3166, 3167, 3172, amended, 3188, amended, 3376, 3560, amended, 5107, amended, 6389, amended, 9979, amended, S. 256, 537, and 648, private bills (H. Repts. 91–217 to 91–236, respectively);

H. Res. 406, providing for consideration of S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–237); and

H. Res. 407, providing for consideration of H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce (H. Rept. 91–238). **Page 12378**

Joint Commission on the Coinage: The Speaker appointed Representative McClure to be a member of the Joint Commission on the Coinage. **Page 12330**

Subcommittee To Sit: Select Subcommittee on Education of the Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 12330**

House Beauty Shop: Agreed to H. Res. 404, providing for the partial repayment to the contingent fund of the House of Representatives of certain sums paid from such

fund to cover certain expenses of operation of the House beauty shop. Page 12331

Presidential Message—Draft Reforms: Received and read a message from the President wherein he outlines proposals for reforms in the draft system—referred to the Committee on Armed Services and ordered printed. Pages 12331–12332

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight.

Duty-Free Imports: By unanimous consent, the following bills from the Committee on Ways and Means were passed by voice votes:

Yarn of silk: H.R. 2718, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk, amended;

Heptanoic acid: H.R. 4229, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, amended;

Racehorses: H.R. 4239, to amend the Tariff Schedules of the United States, so as to prevent the payment of multiple-customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for the purpose of racing, amended;

Copying shoe lathes: H.R. 5833, to continue until the close of June 30, 1972, the existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes;

Stethoscope parts: H.R. 7311, to amend item 709.10 of the Tariff Schedules of the United States to provide that the rate of duty on parts of stethoscopes shall be the same as the rate on stethoscopes, amended;

Crude chicory roots: H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots;

Electrodes: H.R. 10015, to extend through December 31, 1970, the suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, amended;

Metal scrap: H.R. 10016, to continue until the close of June 30, 1971, the existing suspension of duties for metal scrap; and

Istle: H.R. 10107, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle, amended. Pages 12334–12340

Federal Unemployment Tax: Considered by unanimous consent, and passed by a voice vote, H.R. 9951, to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable year; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; to raise the limitation on the amount authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded, amended. Pages 12340–12342

Combat Zone Pay: Considered by unanimous consent, and passed by a voice vote, H.R. 8654, to provide that, for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, individuals who were illegally detained during 1968 by the Democratic People's Republic of Korea shall be treated as serving in a combat zone, amended. Pages 12342–12343

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Department of Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing began hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from James V. Smith, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, and Dr. Robert C. Wood, chairman, Department of Political Science, MIT.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 10767 and H.R. 11048, Older Americans Act.

SATELLITE BROADCASTING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments began hearings on "Satellite Broadcasting: Implications for Foreign Policy." Testimony was heard from Wilbur L. Pritchard, Director of Laboratories, Communications Satellite Corp.; Leonard Jaffee, Director, NASA Space Applications Programs Office, and Arnold W. Frutkin, NASA Assistant Administrator for International Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHILE BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for briefing on Chile by Hon. Edward M. Korry, U.S. Ambassador to Chile, and John T. Robinson, AID Mission Director, Dominican Republic.

DUMPING OF POISONOUS GAS AND WASTE INTO OCEANS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on the effect of the dumping of poisonous gas and waste into the oceans, on U.S. international commitments under various conventions, fisheries agreements, and general international law. Testimony was heard from officials of the Departments of Army, State, Interior, and Transportation; also public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Roland B. Anderson, Director of Materiel Acquisition, Office of Assistant Secretary of Army, Department of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on drug safety and effectiveness. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on H.R. 3786, and related bills, to authorize the appropriation of additional funds necessary for acquisition of land at the Point Reyes National Seashore in California. Testimony was heard from Representatives Don Clausen, Mailliard, Johnson of California, Cohelan, and McCloskey, and departmental and public witnesses.

VIETNAM PRISONERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4204, amended, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Marine Science Commission report entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Edward C. Stephan, USN (Retired), Ocean Systems, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POST OFFICE COST ASCERTAINMENT SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates held a hearing on the evaluation and analysis of the Post Office Department cost ascertainment system. Testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States, and Gregory J. Ahart, Deputy Director, Civil Division, General Accounting Office.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Representative Kee and public witnesses.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate and making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and waiving points of order against section 2 of the substitute of S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment, on H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from Chairman Garmatz and Representatives Lennon, Clark, and Mailliard.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session for markup of H.R. 10251, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Committee to continue markup tomorrow.

VA HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals continued hearings on the operations of the VA hospital system. Testimony was heard from Representatives Reuss, Matsunaga, Bennett, and Hansen. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Pettis, Waldie, Price of Texas, Schadeberg, Kuykendall, Moss, Olsen, Ottinger, Baring, Corman, Burke of Florida, Sandman, Tunney, Eilberg, and Wyatt.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2165–2173; and S. Con. Res. 25.

Pages 12532, 12556–12557

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1995, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama (S. Rept. 91–171); and

H.R. 6269, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of South Carolina (S. Rept. 91–172). Page 12532

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to the Committee on Finance. Pages 12582–12583

Metric System: Senate passed without amendment S. 1287, authorizing $2.5 million for 3-year extension of studies relative to the advisability of conversion to the metric system. Page 12528

Marine Resources and Engineering: H.R. 8794, to continue to June 30, 1970, the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development, was passed without amendment. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 12528–12529

International Development Association: Senate debated and, by 49 yeas to 34 nays, passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature H.R. 33, to increase by $480 million U.S. participation in the International Development Association. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 12583–12594

Senate Schedule: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Senate will adjourn from today until noon Friday, May 16, and when it adjourns on May 16, it will be until noon Tuesday, May 20.

Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment on Thursday, May 15, and on Monday, May 19, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to refer same to appropriate committees.

During these periods all committees were authorized to file reports, with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Pages 12594–12595

Confirmations: One judicial nomination and numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps nominations were confirmed. Pages 12594–12595

Nominations: Four judicial nominations were received. Page 12594

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony from Lawrence E. Imhoff, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, and several other officials of the Department of Commerce; Rear Adm. J. R. Scullion, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and John H. Reed, Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, with testimony from the following departmental officials concerning proposed amendments to the budget: George W. Irving, Jr., Administrator, Agricultural Research Service; Lloyd H. Davis, Administrator, Federal Extension Service; Kenneth Grant, Administrator, Soil Conservation Service; Winn F. Finner, Consumer and Marketing Service; Donald A. Campbell, Administrator, Packers and Stockyards Administration; W. A. Minor, Foreign Agricultural Service; and Charles Grant, Budget Officer.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—R.D.T. & E.

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued executive hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony on sections of the bill dealing with research, development, technology, and engineering from Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for military reserve personnel.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original bill (in lieu of S. 34 and S. 296) entitled Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969.

Committee also approved for reporting H.R. 6269, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of South Carolina, and S. 1995, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama.

MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine Subcommittee held hearings on fiscal 1970 authorizations for maritime programs, including vessel construction and reconditioning. Testimony was received from Andrew E. Gibson, Maritime Administrator, accompanied by William J. Heneghan, Jr., Chief, Office of Budget, both of the Maritime Administration, Commerce Department.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment held hearings on S. 335, 671, and 1280, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States, and to prevent interstate shipment of wildlife

taken contrary to State law. Witnesses heard were Senator Yarborough; Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources; Dr. Richard S. Cowan, Director, National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution; Dr. Theodore H. Reed, President, Wild Animal Propagation Trust; Dr. John Perry, American Association of Zoological Parks and Aquariums; and Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation, who submitted a written statement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTI-BALLISTIC-MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs resumed hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the anti-ballistic-missile system, having as its witnesses Dr. Edward Teller, Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.; and Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, of MIT, former Science Adviser to the President.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 21.

CITY AND CAMPUS RIOTING

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings to study the fundamental and longstanding causes of urban and campus rioting, having as its witnesses Prof. Robert Fogelson, MIT; and Dr. Louis Wienckowski, Director, Extramural Research Division, National Institute of Mental Health.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Milton J. Shapp, chairman, Pennsylvania Democratic Study Committee, Philadelphia; and Richard A. Hesse, Community Legal Services, Inc., Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration, S. 1708, to enable States to acquire Federal surplus property for use for parks and recreation.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on this bill, with testimony from Representative Adams; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; Freeman Holmer, National Governors' Conference; Harry Thorsen, past chairman, Wyoming Recreation Commission; David Baker, National Association of County Officials; Robert Williams, American Institute of Planners; Dr. Sal Prezioso, National Recreation and Parks Association; and Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation.

It was announced that the full committee will hold an executive meeting on Wednesday, May 21, to consider this bill, and other pending business.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Economic Development Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, S. 1090, proposed Regional Development Act of 1969, and S. 2097 and S. 2142, authorizing funds to extend certain sections of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965. Testimony was received from Senator McClellan; Robert Podesta, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development; R. B. Patteson, Wachovia Bank, Kinston, N.C.; and Anthony A. Alaimo, attorney, of Brunswick, Ga., both representing the National Association of Development Organizations, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, having as its witness Ralph D. Abernathy, SCLC, who was accompanied by numerous of his associates.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 64 public bills, H.R. 11235–11298; seven private bills, H.R. 11299–11305; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 719 and H. Con. Res. 254, were introduced. **Pages 12525–12527**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 399, to provide funds for the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 17, amended (H. Rept. 91–239);

H.R. 10666, to establish a National Commission on Libraries and Information Science (H. Rept. 91–240);

H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects (H. Rept. 91–241);

S. 408, to modify eligibility requirements governing the grant of assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing to include loss or loss of use of a lower extremity and other service-connected neurological or orthopedic disability which impairs locomotion to the extent that a wheelchair is regularly required (H. Rept. 91–242);

H.R. 6808, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt

of certain Federal educational assistance benefits, amended (H. Rept. 91–243);

H.R. 3044, amended, and H.R. 10060, private bills (H. Repts. 91–244 and 91–245);

S.J. Res. 13, to provide for the reappointment of Dr. John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 91–246);

S.J. Res. 35, to provide for the reappointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 91–247); and

H.R. 2667, to revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park (H. Rept. 91–248).

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a privileged report on the second supplemental appropriation for fiscal year 1969, by midnight Thursday, May 15. Page 12449

Crime Committee Funds: Agreed to H. Res. 399, to provide funds for the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 17. Page 12451

Late Report: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to file a report on H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President, by midnight Friday, May 16. Page 12451

Salt Water Conversion: By a voice vote, the House passed S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

H. Res. 406, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Page 12451

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1242, extending authorization for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Further testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from Mayor of Philadelphia James Tate, representing Conference of Mayors, and Eugene Gulledge, President, National Association of Homebuilders.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SATELLITE BROADCASTING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on Satellite broadcasting: Implications for foreign policy. Testimony was heard from Richard N. Gardner, professor of law and government, Columbia University and the Reverend John M. Culkins, S.J., Director, Center for Communications, Fordham University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY BRIEFING ON OKINAWA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for military briefing on Okinawa. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Tazewell T. Shepard, Regional Director, East Asia and Pacific, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense; Col. Elwin J. Warfle, USAF, Far East Division, Joint Staff; Ambassador Winthrop Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Gilbert H. Kinney, Country Officer, Japan, Department of State.

DUMPING OF POISONOUS GAS AND WASTE INTO OCEANS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on the effect of dumping of poisonous gas and waste into the oceans; on U.S. international commitments under various conventions; fisheries agreements and general international law. Testimony was heard from Representative Howard and departmental and public witnesses.

BUDGET AND ACCOUNTING ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10791, to amend the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921, to direct the Comptroller General to establish information and data processing systems.

The committee also ordered reported a Legal and Monetary Affairs Subcommittee report entitled "Search and Rescue Operations for U.S. Citizens and Craft in Foreign Areas"; and a Special Studies Subcommittee report entitled "Recreational Boating Safety," part II.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Govern-

ment procurement and contracting. Further testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Roland B. Anderson, Director of Materiel Acquisition, Office of Assistant Secretary of Army, Department of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on drug safety and effectiveness. Further testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIME COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 399, amended, to provide funds for the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 17, creating a select committee to conduct an investigation and study of all aspects of crime in the United States.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and approved H. Res. 399 (title above) for full committee action.

NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing and approved for full committee action H.R. 11125, amended, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas. Testimony was heard from Representative de la Garza and George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT—HILL-BURTON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8261, amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended; and H.R. 11102, amended, to amend the provisions of the Public Health Service Act relating to the construction and modernization of hospitals and other medical facilities by providing separate authorizations of appropriations for new construction and for modernization of facilities, authorizing Federal guarantees of loans for such construction and modernization and Federal payment of part of the interest thereon, authorizing grants for modernization of emergency rooms in general hospitals, and extending and making other improvements in the program authorized by these provisions.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 4249 and related bills, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Representative Corman and Howard A. Glickstein, Esquire, General Counsel and Acting Staff Director, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 248, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Marine Science Commission Report entitled "Our Nation and the Sea". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Jack Cole, President, Mail Advertising Corp. of America, who was introduced by Representative Olsen.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stratton and Burton and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session for continuation of markup of H.R. 10251, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970. Committee to continue tomorrow.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

DISABLED VETERANS' HOUSING—EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 408,

amended, to modify eligibility requirements for assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing to include loss or loss of use of a lower extremity and other service-connected disability for wheelchair cases; and H.R. 6808, amended, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt of certain Federal educational assistance benefits.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government concluded hearings on the procedures applied by Federal agencies in evaluating the economic benefits of public expenditures, after receiving testimony from Robert Dorfman, professor of economics, Harvard University; Jack L. Knetsch, professor of economics, George Washington University; and Julius Margolis, professor of economics, Stanford University.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments or agencies from Alan L. Dean, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Administration; Donald M. Merrit, Commissioner of the Public Debt, Treasury Department; Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Operations, and James J. Rowley, Director, U.S. Secret Service, both of the Treasury Department; Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; Richard M. Moose, Staff Secretary, National Security Council; Theodore W. Taylor, Deputy Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Hollis R. Williams, Deputy Administrator for Watersheds, Soil Conservation Service, E. M. Bacon, Deputy Chief, Forest Service, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance, all of the Department of Agriculture.

These hearings were continued in an evening session, and will also continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from Kenneth Frick, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; James V. Smith, Farmers Home Administration; Richard H. Aslakson, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; Andrew Mair, Assistant Secretary; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS, AND SUBMARINERS' PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Daniel Z. Henkin, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs; and 1,463 nominations in the Army.

Committee also approved H.R. 9328, authorizing special pay for junior nuclear-qualified submarine officers who extend their period of active service.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—RESERVES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony in behalf of funds for reserve personnel from the following witnesses: Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); Ernest L. Massad, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Reserve Affairs); Lt. Gen. William P. Peers, Chief, Office of Reserve Components, Army; Maj. Gen. William J. Sutton, Chief of Army Reserve; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Rear Adm. Julian T. Burke, Assistant Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Naval Reserve); Brig. Gen. Charles F. Widdecke, Director, Marine Corps Reserve; Dr. Theodore C. Marrs, Office of Assistant Secretary of Air Force (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); Brig. Gen. Earl O. Anderson, Office of Air Force Reserve; and Rear Adm. John D. McCubbin, Chief, Office of Reserve, U.S. Coast Guard.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS, AND WICHITA CENTENNIAL MEDAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Carl O. Kamp, of Missouri, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; R. Alex McCullough, of South Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States; and Nicholas G. Theodore, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

Committee also approved for reporting, without amendment, H.R. 8188, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of Mr. Kamp was received from Representative Hall; and testimony in behalf of Mr. McCullough was received from Senator Thurmond.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment continued hearings on S. 335, 671, and 1280, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States, and to prevent interstate shipment of wildlife taken contrary to State law. Witnesses heard were Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen of America, AFL–CIO, accompanied by Henry Foner, Fur, Leather, & Machine Workers' Union, New York City; Peter J. Clancy, representing the Tanners' Council of America, Inc.; Charles H. Callison, National Audubon Society; James R. Sharp, representing the American Fur Merchants' Association, Inc., and Fur Brokers Association of America, Inc., who was accompanied by his associates; Richard Hoeber, National Association of Importers and Exporters of Hides and Skins; and Carl Shipley, Ad Hoc Committee on Pet Legislation.

A written statement was submitted for the record by the Izaak Walton League of America.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, having as its witnesses Robert D. Lynch, National Oil Fuel Institute, New York City; George E. Mastics, member of the Ohio House of Representatives; and Frank S. Jestrab, of Williston, N. Dak., representing the North Dakota Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives.

Hearings are to be continued in late June.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on S. 1771, to provide certain benefits to postal field service employees who are required to transfer to new duty stations, with testimony from Kenneth A. Housman, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Personnel; and Patrick J. Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Alfred E. France, of Minnesota, to be Federal Cochairman of the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission; and S. 1888, to change the composition of the Commission for the Extension of the U.S. Capitol.

Also, committee approved a prospectus for the construction of the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center at Beltsville, Md., at a cost of $18,073,000.

Committee considered, but did not complete action on, S. 993, providing Federal assistance to California for reconstruction of areas damaged by recent heavy rains and flooding; and S. 1685, providing additional Federal assistance for areas suffering a major disaster.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. France, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 79 public bills, H.R. 11306–11383 and 11400; 16 private bills, H.R. 11384–11399; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 720–722, H. Con. Res. 255–258, and H. Res. 408–411, were introduced. Pages 12724–12726

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict, amended (H. Rept. 91–249);

Report entitled "Recreational Boating Safety, Part II" (H. Rept. 91–250);

H.R. 1828, private bill (H. Rept. 91–251); and

H.R. 11400, Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1969 (H. Rept. 91–252). Pages 12723–12724

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 12670

Maritime Authorization: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

H. Res. 407, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 12670–12677

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 21. Page 12677

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1287, authorizing $2.5 million for a 3-year extension of studies relative to the advisability of conversion to the metric system—referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics. Page 12723

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11400, the second supplemental appropriation bill for 1969.

MILITARY POSTURE BRIEFINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and consideration of the "412" procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Navy John H. Chafee; Chief of Naval Operations Thomas H. Moorer; and Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Hearings to continue on May 20.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing concluded hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from Sherman Maisel, Governor, Federal Reserve Board, and public witnesses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education and financial assistance. Testimony was heard from Dean Craig Berkman, University of California at Berkeley; Allan Brownfeld, Young Americans for Freedom; and representatives of the National Education Association.

Hearings continue on May 20.

YOUTH CAMP SAFETY SURVEY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 763, and related bills, Youth Camp Safety Survey Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on May 20.

SATELLITE BROADCASTING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on "Satellite Broadcasting: Implications for Foreign Policy." Testimony was heard from Leonard Marks, former Director of U.S. Information Agency, and Samuel DePalma, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs.

ETHIOPIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing on Ethiopia. Testimony was heard from Roger Ernst, Director, AID Mission to Ethiopia; and Mathew Looram, Country Director for Ethiopia, Somalia, and Sudan, Department of State.

DUMPING OF POISONOUS GAS AND WASTE INTO OCEANS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on the effect of dumping of poisonous gas and waste into the oceans; on U.S. international commitments under various conventions; fisheries agreements; and general international law. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PAN AMERICAN INSTITUTE AUTHORIZATION—CLAIMS AGAINST CUBA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on (1) draft joint resolution authorizing appropriations for the payment by the United States of its share of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History; and (2) draft legislation relative to title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, extending time for Claims Commission to complete its affairs in connection with claims against Cuba. Testimony was heard from John W. Ford, Director, Office of Inter-American Political Affairs, Department of State; Dr. Arch C. Gerlach, Chief Geographer, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; and Leonard V. B. Sutton, Chairman, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Clyde Bothmer, Deputy Associate Administrator for Procurement and Management Assistance, Small Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on drug safety and effectiveness. Further testimony was heard from Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., and other representatives of the Food and Drug Administration.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources began hearings on San Francisco Bay pollution and excessive filling. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCloskey, Edwards, Waldie, and Gubser, and Government and

public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Cohelan.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs began hearings on H.R. 471, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (reserve Blue Lake area, New Mexico, for Indians of Taos Pueblo). Testimony was heard from Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of Public Land Management.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House two reports from the Special Subcommittee on Investigations entitled "Trafficking in Broadcast Station Licenses"; and "Fairness Doctrine."

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on private immigration bills.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 4249, and related bills, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Lawrence Speiser, Director, Washington office, American Civil Liberties Union, and Jack McGann, legislative aid for Liberty Lobby. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Thompson of Georgia.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Marine Science Commission report entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on May 20.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Representatives Friedel and Long of Maryland. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Beister and Randall.

Hearings continue on May 20.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11271, NASA authorization for fiscal year 1970.

SCIENCE MISCELLANY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.J. Res. 589, expressing the support of the Congress, and urging the support of Federal departments and agencies as well as other persons and organizations, both public and private, for the international biological program;

H.R. 35, amended, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States; and

H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act.

AID-FINANCED GOODS FOR SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement held hearings designed to broaden American small business participation in the procurement of goods and services financed with AID funds. Testimony was heard from John A. Hannah, Administrator, AID.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue on May 19.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC STATISTICS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics continued its series of hearings on wide-ranging review of Federal statistical programs, with testimony today on programs producing statistics on prices and job vacancies in the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Witnesses heard were Geoffrey H. Moore, Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; and Irving B. Kravis, professor of economics, University of Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Friday, May 16, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12787–12875

Bills Introduced: 25 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2174–2198; and S.J. Res. 111.

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1888, to change the composition of the Commission for the Extension of the U.S. Capitol (S. Rept. 91–173);

H.R. 8188, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita (S. Rept. 174);

S. 620, H.R. 2948, 3464, S. 564, 797, and 1002, private bills (S. Repts. 91–175 to 91–180); and

S.J. Res. 111, authorizing the Commodity Credit Corporation to make an additional advance of $25 million for emergency credit revolving fund (S. Rept. 91–181).

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Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Page 12787

Medals: Senate passed, without amendment, S. 1995, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama. Page 12788

Medals: Senate passed, without amendment, H.R. 6269, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of South Carolina. This action cleared the bill for the President's signature. Page 12788

Saline Water Conversion: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970, asked for a conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Moss, Allott, and Jordan (Idaho). Page 12810

Confirmations: Four judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 12882

Nominations: The following nominations were received: William A. Anders, of California, to be Executive Secretary of the National Aeronautics and Space Council; John Conrad Clark, of North Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States; and nine judicial.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969 after receiving testimony on proposed funds for Federal employees' salary increases from Robert P. Mayo, Director, and Samuel M. Cohn, Assistant Director, both of the Bureau of the Budget.

In an evening session on Thursday, May 15, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Elizabeth P. Farrington, Director, Office of Territories; Ernest L. Hendricks, Chief Hydrologist, Geological Survey; Earl T. Hays, Deputy Director, Bureau of Mines; Abram V. Tunison, Deputy Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife; and Harthon L. Bill, Deputy Director, National Park Service, all of the Department of the Interior; Mark S. Gurnee, Corps of Army Engineers; John R. Petty, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs; and Charles A. Henlock, administrative officer, and Philip L. Roof, executive assistant, both of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights under the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, having as its witness George Meany, president, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

DX PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power began hearings on the DX program. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. T. R. Weschler, Director of Ships Characteristic Division, and industry witnesses.

Hearings continue May 19.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Arthur Fletcher, Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Hearings continue May 20.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded hearings on H.R. 471, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (to reserve Blue Lake area, New Mexico, for Indians of Taos Pueblo).

Monday, May 19, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions began a series of hearings on S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information. Witnesses heard were J. L. Robertson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Mrs. Virginia H. Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; State Senator John D. Caemmerer of New York; Louis Stone, assistant counsel to Governor Rockefeller; and William F. Willier, director, National Consumer Law Center, Boston College.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment held hearings to receive testimony regarding the effects of pesticides on commercial and sports fisheries, having as its witnesses Senator Nelson; Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources; Charles C. Johnson, Jr., Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, Department of HEW; and Dr. Ned Bayley, Director of Science and Education, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. COURTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began a series of hearings on several pending bills proposing certain reorganization of the District of Columbia courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, and 1711), having as its witnesses Newell W. Ellison, Chairman, who was accompanied by other members of the Committee on the Administration of Justice of the District of Columbia Judicial Council; and David Saari, director of court management study team.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OIL LEASE TERMINATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on S. 1219, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to terminate certain Federal oil leases in areas of the Outer Continental Shelf off the coast of California. Witnesses heard were Senator Cranston; Representative Teague of California; Hollis Dole, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Mineral Resources, accompanied by William T. Pecora, Director, U.S. Geological Survey; and Charles A. O'Brien, deputy attorney general of California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 11401–11431; eight private bills, H.R. 11432–11439; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 723–728, H. Con. Res. 259–267, and H. Res. 412, were introduced. Pages 12957–12958

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President, filed on Friday, May 16 (H. Rept. 91–253);

Report entitled "Sixth Report on Search and Rescue Operations for U.S. Citizens and Craft in Foreign Areas" (H. Rept. 91–254);

H.R. 11271, authorizing appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (H. Rept. 91–255);

Report entitled "Trafficking in Broadcast Station Licenses and Construction Permits" (H. Rept. 91–256); and

Report entitled "Fairness Doctrine and Related Issues" (H. Rept. 91–257). Page 12957

Salt Water Conversion: House insisted upon its amendment to S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970, disagreed to by the Senate, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Johnson of California, Haley, Saylor, and Hosmer. Page 12894

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Joint Chiefs of Staff: S.J. Res. 104 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 677), to authorize the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, for an additional term of 1 year, the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1969.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Marine Corps Reserve officers: H.R. 6790, to authorize an increase in the number of Marine Corps Reserve officers who may serve in an active status in the combined grades of brigadier and major general.

Civil Service Commission: H.R. 9233, to amend title 5, United States Code, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission in connection with certain functions of the Commission.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Home port transportation: H.R. 8020, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide entitlement to round trip transportation to the home port for a member of the

naval service on permanent duty aboard a ship overhauling away from home port whose dependents are residing at the home port.

Dependents: H.R. 8018, to amend section 1072(2) of title 10, United States Code, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent.

Gen. Omar N. Bradley: H. Con. Res. 207, to commemorate the allied victory in Europe during World War II, and express the gratitude of the American people to Gen. Omar N. Bradley.

School compact: S. 278 (in lieu of H.R. 751), to consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact; and

Immigration and Nationality Act: H.R. 3667, to amend section 312 of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 4246, 4247, and 3666.

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Suspensions: The House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills by voice votes:

Great Plains conservation program: H.R. 10595, to amend the act of August 7, 1956 (70 Stat. 1115), as amended, providing for a Great Plains conservation program (sent to the Senate amended);

Service-connected disability: S. 408, to modify eligibility requirements governing the grant of assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing to include loss or loss of use of a lower extremity and other service-connected neurological or orthopedic disability which impairs locomotion to the extent that a wheelchair is regularly required (returned to the Senate amended); and

Federal educational assistance benefits: H.R. 6808, to amend section 1781 of title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the prohibition against receipt of certain Federal educational assistance benefits (amended and sent to the Senate).

Pages 12922–12929

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1995, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DX PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power continued executive hearings on the DX program. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses and representatives of Bath Iron Works, Litton Industries, and General Dynamics.

ROTC PROBLEMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 held an executive hearing on the problems of ROTC. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on May 21.

NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 247, relating to the administration of the national park system. Testimony was heard from George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service.

CATV REGULATIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power began hearings on all pending legislation pertaining to regulations of community antenna television systems. Testimony was heard from Representative Stratton and FCC Chairman Rosel H. Hyde.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Tuesday, May 20, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13000–13102

Bills Introduced: 25 bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2199–2223; S. Con. Res. 26; and S. Res. 197–201.

Pages 13059–13060, 13074, 13083–13084, 13101

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 9328, authorizing special pay for junior nuclear-qualified submarine officers who extend their period of active service (S. Rept. 91–182) (reported during adjournment on May 19 under prior authorization); and

S. Res. 162, a private resolution (S. Rept. 91–183).

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Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were appropriately referred. Pages 13004–13005

President's Message—Gas Pipeline Safety: Message from President was received transmitting the first annual report on the National Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968—referred to Committee on Commerce.

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Calendar Call: On call of calendar six bills, of which four were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Medals: H.R. 8188, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita; and

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 2948 and 3464.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Commission for Extension of Capitol: S. 1888, to change the composition of the Commission for the Extension of the U.S. Capitol; and

Private bill: One private bill, S. 620.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: One private bill, S. 564. Pages 13001–13003

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Friday, May 23, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to refer same to appropriate committees.

During this period, all committees were authorized to file reports, with any individual, minority, or additional views. Page 13101

Printing: Senate adopted S. Res. 198, authorizing printing of a Senate document entitled "Majority and Minority Leaders of the Senate." Page 13101

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Daniel Z. Henkin, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Nicholas G. Theodore, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint at Philadelphia; R. Alex McCullough, of South Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank; Carl O. Kamp, Jr., of Missouri, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Alfred E. France, of Minnesota, to be Federal Cochairman of the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission; and numerous Army. Page 13116

Nominations: On May 19, during its adjournment and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations: William T. Pecora, of New Jersey, to be Director of the Geological Survey; Spencer J. Schedler, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Aubrey J. Wagner, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the TVA; and numerous Air Force.

Today, Senate received the following nominations: John N. Nassikas, of New Hampshire, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; William E. Amos, of Maryland, to be a member of the Board of Parole; Lane Dwinell, of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; three judicial; and one Army in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, hearings on proposed second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Atomic Energy Commission from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, and Maj. Gen. Edward B. Giller, Director, Division of Military Application, both of the AEC.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information. Witnesses heard were Prof. Alan Westin, director, Center in American Liberties, Columbia University; Wendell G. Lindsay, Jr., Louisiana Consumers League; Mrs. Erma Angevine, Consumers Federation of America; Mrs. Sarah Newman, National Consumers League; and Benny L. Kass, National Legal Aid and Defender Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969, receiving testimony from John H. Reed, Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; Secor D. Browne, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Research and Technology; Reginald N. Whitman, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration; Al Chesser, Committee on Safety of Railway Labor Executives' Association; and H. C. Crotty, president, Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, Detroit.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued hearings on pending bills proposing certain reorganization of the District of Columbia courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, and 1711), having as its witnesses Kenneth Hardy, Director, D.C. Department of Corrections; Bruce Beaudin, Director, D.C. Bail Agency; Hiawatha

Burris, Bonabond, Inc.; and Patricia M. Wald, representing Neighborhood Legal Services program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting and announced that it had given tentative approval to a list of ambassadorial nominations pending receipt of information requested by certain members of the committee.

Prior to this action, in open session, hearings were held on the following nominations:

Francis E. Meloy, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Dominican Republic, who was introduced to the committee by Senator Mansfield;

John Davis Lodge, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to Argentina;

Armin H. Meyer, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Japan;

J. William Middendorf II, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Netherlands;

G. McMurtrie Godley, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Laos; and

Richard Funkhouser, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Gabon.

OIL AND GAS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of the Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact, and S. 1193, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to prevent terminations of oil and gas leases under certain conditions.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony from Mitchell Melich, solicitor, Department of the Interior; Dale E. Saffels, chairman, Kansas Corporation Commission; Richard C. Byrd and Lawrence R. Alley, both of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission, who directed their remarks to S.J. Res. 54; and Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management, who testified in regard to S. 1193.

OIL LEASE TERMINATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels continued hearings on S. 1219, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to terminate certain Federal oil leases in areas of the Outer Continental Shelf off the coast of California, having as its witnesses George Clyde, county supervisor, Santa Barbara County; Harry Morrison, Western Oil & Gas Association, accompanied by Harry Pistole, Humble Oil & Refining Co., Frank R. Davis, Phillips Petroleum Co., and J. K. Cassell, Standard Oil Co. of California; R. Edwin Foss, Sun Oil Co.; Mrs. Lois Sidenberg, legislative action chairman, Committee To Get Oil Out; Robert R. Curry, assistant professor of environmental sciences, University of California, Santa Barbara; Alan Allen, General Research Corp., Santa Barbara; and Fred Eissler, Sierra Club.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses Harold McClure, president, Independent Petroleum Association of America; and Cordell Moore, formerly an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Donald Rumsfeld, of Illinois, to be Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; and John B. Martin, Jr., of Michigan, to be Commissioner on Aging. Also, committee approved, with amendments, S. 1519, to establish an independent agency to be known as the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science; and S. 1611, providing for the establishment in the National Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Education approved for full committee consideration S. 1519 and 1611.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session to receive testimony from officials of the Departments of State and the Interior regarding international maritime consultative organization negotiations concerning oil pollution liability.

Subcommittee will resume open hearings on this matter on Friday, May 23, to hear a maritime insurance group.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. John Adriani, of New Orleans, chairman, Council on Drugs, American Medical Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 27.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 59 public bills, H.R. 11440–11498; nine private bills, H.R. 11499–11507; and 19 resolutions, H.J. Res. 729–733, H. Con. Res. 268–273, and H. Res. 413–420, were introduced. **Pages 13190–13192**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10791, to amend the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921, to direct the Comptroller General to establish information and data processing systems (H. Rept. 91–258);

H. Res. 413, providing for consideration of H.R. 11271, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management (H. Rept. 91–259);

H. Res. 414, waiving points of order against title IV of H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969 (H. Rept. 91–260);

H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended (H. Rept. 91–261); and

H.R. 11102, to amend the provisions of the Public Health Service Act relating to the construction and modernization of hospitals and other medical facilities by providing separate authorizations of appropriations for new construction and for modernization of facilities, authorizing Federal guarantees of loans for such construction and modernization and Federal payment of part of the interest thereon, authorizing grants for modernization of emergency rooms of general hospitals, and extending and making other improvements in the program authorized by these provisions, amended (H. Rept. 91–262). Page 13190

Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Slack, whereby he resigns from the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Kyros to fill the existing vacancy. Page 13117

Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics and the Subcommittee on Communication and Power, both of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 13117

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 13119

Subcommittee To Sit: Special Subcommittee on Education of the Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 13119

Helen Keller Memorial Week: Agreed to S.J. Res. 99, to authorize the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the first week in June of each year as "Helen Keller Memorial Week," amended, and returned to the Senate. Page 13119

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 13119

Presidential Communications: Received and read the following communications from the President:

(1) Transmittal to Congress the "14th Annual Report of the Board of Actuaries for the Retired Serviceman's Protection Plan for Calendar Year 1967"—referred to the Committee on Armed Services; and

(2) Transmittal to Congress the "First Annual Report on the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968"—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 13119

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 6400, 1749, 6581, 8136, 9088, and 10149.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 5615, 2238, and 10153.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 3377, 5000, 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1808, 1865, 1999, 4744, 5419, 3006, 6375, 6377, and 6850.

Objected to and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 2214 and 6378.

Further call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after Calendar No. 72. Pages 13119–13122

Private Bills: By unanimous consent, the following private bills were passed: H.R. 1948 and 10060 (both sent to the Senate without amendment), and S. 256 (cleared for the President). Page 13122

Supplemental Appropriations: After completing all general debate time (3 hours, agreed to earlier by unanimous consent) on H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, the first paragraph of the bill was read and open for amendment, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 13122–13145

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

C–5A COST OVERRUN

Committee on Armed Services: Began hearings on the cost overrun on the C–5A aircraft. Testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue on May 22.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education and financial assistance. Testimony was heard from Representative Shirley A. Chisholm and Attorney General John N. Mitchell.

YOUTH CAMP SAFETY SURVEY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor unanimously approved for full committee action H.R. 763, Youth Camp Safety Survey Act.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Departments of Transportation; Housing and Urban Development; and Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TESTING OF LETHAL AGENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources began hearings on open-air testing of lethal agents at Dugway Proving Ground. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCarthy and Lloyd and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BELAIRE MEDICAL FOUNDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies began hearings on the Belaire Medical Foundation (OEO program in Belaire, Ohio). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LIBRARY AND MEMORIALS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Library and Memorials held a hearing on H.J. Res. 210, to direct the Librarian of Congress to transfer certain documents to the Hall of Records Commission of the State of Maryland. Testimony was heard from Dr. Morris Radoff, archivist of the State of Maryland, and Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress.

NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing to consider the matter of a proposed sewer conduit crossing of Piscataway Park lands. Testimony was heard from George A. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, and public witnesses.

CATV REGULATIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on all pending legislation pertaining to regulations of community antenna television systems. Testimony was heard from Dr. Eugene Rostow, professor of law and public affairs, Yale Law School; Frederick W. Ford, National Cable Television Association; and other public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT—NATIONAL COMMISSION ON PRODUCT SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 7621, Child Protection Act; and H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks. Testimony was heard from Representative Rosenthal and FDA Commissioner Ley.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics began hearings on H.R. 8298, H.R. 8376, H.R. 8509, and similar bills, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act regarding water carrier mixing rule. Testimony was heard from Representatives Eckhardt, Kluczynski, Brooks, Abernethy, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Mollohan, and Hamilton; ICC Chairman Virginia M. Brown; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Paul M. Fye, president, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, and Dr. James H. Wakelin, Jr., head, advisory board and chief scientist, Ryan Aeronautical Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BRIEFINGS BY STATE, DEFENSE, AND INTERIOR DEPARTMENTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fish and Wildlife met in executive session for briefing by the Departments of State, Defense, and Interior on (1) illegal seizures of U.S. fishing vessels by foreign countries, (2) discussions with Poland concerning fishing in the mid-Atlantic, and (3) dumping of World War II poisonous gases in the Atlantic Ocean.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Frederick C. Belen, former Deputy Postmaster General of the United States.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from John A. Volpe, Secretary of Transportation, and Francis Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION

Committee on Rules: Waived all points of order against title 4 of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriation

bill for 1969. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mahon and Representative Jonas.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 11271, NASA authorization bill for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Chairman Miller and Representatives Teague of Texas, Karth, Hechler of West Virginia, and Fulton of Pennsylvania.

PROBLEMS OF TOOL AND DIE INDUSTRY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems began hearings on problems of small businesses in the tool and die industry. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National Tool, Die & Precision Machining Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS MISCELLANY

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 692, extends the length of time community nursing home care may be provided for veterans at the expense of the United States from 6 months to 9 months;

H.R. 693, amended, to amend title 38 of the United States Code to provide that veterans who are 70 years of age or older shall be deemed to be unable to defray the expenses of necessary hospital or domiciliary care;

H.R. 2768, amended, to amend title 38 of the United States Code in order to eliminate the 6-month limitation on the furnishing of nursing home care in the case of veterans with service connected disabilities;

H.R. 3130, provides that the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs may furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to any war veteran who has total disability from a service-connected disability;

H.R. 9334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes; and

H.R. 9634, to amend title 38 of the United States Code in order to improve and make more effective the Veterans' Administration program of sharing specialized medical resources.

The subcommittee passed over without prejudice H.R. 685, H.R. 3320, and H.R. 9239.

EXTENSION OF 10-PERCENT TAX SURCHARGE—REPEAL OF 7-PERCENT INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Began hearings on extension of the 10-percent tax surcharge and certain excise tax rates and repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy; Bureau of the Budget Director Robert P. Mayo; and Paul McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Wednesday, May 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began executive consideration of S. 1941, proposed authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information. Witnesses heard were John L. Spafford, Associated Credit Bureaus, Inc., accompanied by William B. Price, Credit Bureau of Columbus, Inc., Ohio; W. Lee Burge, president, Retail Credit Co.; Dr. Harry C. Jordan, Credit Data Corp.; Paul R. Prietsch, president, Hale-Prietsch Services, Inc.; Lawrence C. Black, Sr., president, Commercial Services, Inc., representing the National Small Business Association; and Donald W. Ogden, president, Credit Bureau of Monroe, Wisconsin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHEMICAL SPRAYS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee for Consumers held hearings to receive testimony regarding the safety of protective chemical sprays available for sale to the public. Witnesses heard were Prof. Joseph A. Page, Georgetown University Law Center; Thompson S. Crockett, International Association of Chiefs of Police; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Herbert L. Ley, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Nicholas Salgo, Bangor Punta Corp.; and William Gunn, Smith & Wesson Co.

Subcommittee announced that the record will remain open for 2 weeks for inclusion of additional written material.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources; Barry J. Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense

for Installations and Logistics; Louis Menk, president, Northern Pacific Railway, representing the Association of American Railroads; Edward L. McCulloch, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; and Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. COURTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued hearings on pending bills proposing certain reorganizations of the District of Columbia courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, and 1711), having as its witnesses James Cobb, president, Washington Bar Association; Jacob Stein, president, D.C. Bar Association; Thomas Raysor, president, Legal Aid Society of the District of Columbia; David P. Riley, representing D.C. Lawyers Committee, who was accompanied by John Carr; Samuel Dash, Legal Aid Agency for the District of Columbia; and Mrs. Nadine Winter, Hospitality House.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX INCENTIVES FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 15, to provide for the use of tax incentives to encourage development of new job-creating industries in rural areas, with testimony from Senator Pearson; Dr. Donald Paarlberg, Director, Agriculture Economics, Department of Agriculture; G. Fred Steel, Jr., Federal Cochairman, Coastal Plains Regional Commission; Robert Partridge, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; Robert M. Millwee, Jr., Arkansas Industrial Development Commission, Little Rock; James W. Munroe, director, Nebraska Department of Economic Development, Lincoln; Jim Rice, Oklahoma Aerotronics, Hartshorne; Dr. Floyd W. Smith, director, Agriculture Experiment Station, Kansas State University; Gene Redden, director, Mid-America Industrial District, Pryor, Okla.; and William S. May, vice president, Federal Land Bank of Wichita.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTI-BALLISTIC-MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs resumed hearings on strategic and foreign policy implications of the anti-ballistic-missile system, having as its witnesses Dr. Eugene P. Wigner, professor of mathematical physics, Princeton University; Dr. Gordon J. F. MacDonald, University of California at Santa Barbara; and Dr. Donald F. Hornig, Eastman Kodak Co., and former Special Assistant to the President.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1708, to enable States to acquire Federal surplus property for use for parks and recreation purposes (amended);

S. 574, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project;

S. 412, to classify as wilderness the national forest lands known as the Lincoln Back Country, Montana;

S. 1652, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Barnstable County, Mass.;

S. 126, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Indian River County, Fla.;

S. 826, designating as wilderness certain lands in the Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, the Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge in Maine;

S. 1193, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to prevent termination of oil and gas leases under certain conditions (amended); and

S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of the Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact.

Committee also approved the nomination of William T. Pecora for reappointment as Director of the Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses James Langdon, chairman, Texas Railroad Commission; and J. M. Menefee, commissioner, Louisiana Department of Conservation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act, with testimony from Robert Choate, National Institute of Public Affairs; Dr. H. Jack Geiger, Tufts Medical School, Boston; Dr. Thomas Bryant, Office of Health Affairs, and Dr. Arthur Frank, Emergency Food and Medical Services Program, both of the Office of Economic Opportunity; and Richard W. Boone, Center for Community Change, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 23.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor began hearings to study the border commuter labor problem and its broad nationwide economic impact. Testimony was received from Repre-

sentative O'Hara; Peter Velasco, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, Delano, Calif.; and the following officials of the Immigration and Naturalization Service: Raymond F. Farrell, Commissioner, James L. Hennessey, Executive Assistant to the Commissioner; and Charles Gordon, General Counsel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—TVA

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Aubrey J. Wagner, of Tennessee, for reappointment as a member of the Tennessee Valley Authority, prior to which action, in open session, Senators Baker and Sparkman appeared in support of the nominee.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of a Veterans' Benefits Calculator;

H. Con. Res. 95, to authorize the printing of additional copies of "Summary of Veterans' Legislation Reported, 91st Congress, First Session";

H. Con. Res. 162, to print as a House document a book entitled "Our American Government" (with amendments);

H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint a brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made" (amended);

S. Con. Res. 21, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of Senate Public Works Committee hearings held in 1968 on thermal pollution;

S. Res. 195, to print additional copies of Senate Document 91–13, entitled "Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations, 1968";

S. Res. 177, to print as a Senate document a manuscript entitled "The First Army in Europe"; and

Two original resolutions authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Committee also approved a request from Senator Javits concerning acceptance and wearing of a decoration from the Government of Italy, and other items of business of a housekeeping nature.

IMPACT OF CRIME ON SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee began a series of hearings to receive testimony regarding the impact that the annual cost of crime makes on the small businessman. Witnesses heard were Representative Frank Annunzio; Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, Small Business Administration; Dr. Albert J. Reiss, Jr., director, Center for Research in Social Organization, University of Michigan; Ralph Wilcox, a small businessman of Laurel, Md.; and Prof. Herbert S. Denenberg, Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 70 public bills, H.R. 11508–11577; four private bills, H.R. 11578–11581; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 734–738, H. Con. Res. 274, and H. Res. 421 and 422, were introduced. Pages 13339–13341

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report on the Treasury-Post Office appropriation bill by midnight Thursday, May 22.

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Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 349 yeas to 40 nays, the House passed H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969.

A motion to recommit the bill was rejected by a voice vote.

By a record vote of 329 yeas to 61 nays, adopted an amendment that would require universities applying for Federal interest subsidies for construction projects to certify that they are complying with the antidisorder measures passed in the Higher Education Act (same amendment was agreed to earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a voice vote).

Agreed to an amendment that takes away the increase in the basic annual lump-sum ceiling for the Office of the Speaker by $2,230.

Rejected amendments that would—

Delete title I from the bill (authorizes $1.2 billion for military operations in Southeast Asia), by a division vote of 25 yeas to 140 nays;

Delete from title I the procurement section, by a division vote of 23 yeas to 134 nays;

Delete from the bill the appropriation for the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities;

Reduce funds for an interest subsidy program for higher education construction loans.

A point of order against the appropriation for compensation of Members was not sustained.

An amendment that would eliminate the pay raise for House Members for the balance of fiscal year 1969 was rejected by a teller vote of 49 yeas to 165 nays.

Ruled out of order an amendment that sought to eliminate the Commission that recommended the pay raise for Congress.

Defeated by a voice vote an amendment that sought to eliminate title IV, limitation on fiscal year 1970 budget outlays from the bill.

Rejected an amendment that sought to exempt noncontrollable civilian expenditures from the bill; and

By a teller vote of 38 yeas to 165 nays, rejected an amendment that sought to reduce the limitation on fiscal year 1970 budget outlays.

H. Res. 414, waiving points of order against title IV of

the bill, was agreed to earlier by a record vote of 326 yeas to 53 nays. Pages 13246–13277

Lobbyists: The compilation by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of all registrations and quarterly reports for the first quarter of 1969 filed by persons engaged in lobbying activities appears in this issue of the Congressional Record. Paegs 13341–13370

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 13337

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL TIMBER SUPPLY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests began hearings on H.R. 10344, and related bills, National Timber Supply Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Ullman, Blackburn, Meeds, Don Clausen, Wyatt, and Steiger of Arizona, and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Annunzio.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from Representative Rogers of Florida and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from representatives of Veterans' Administration and Post Office Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TESTING OF LETHAL AGENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources continued hearings on open-air testing of lethal agents at Dugway Proving Grounds. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BELAIRE MEDICAL FOUNDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies continued hearings on the Belaire Medical Foundation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation concluded hearings on the matter of a proposed sewer conduit crossing of Piscataway Park lands. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CATV REGULATIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on all pending legislation pertaining to regulations of community antenna television systems. Testimony was heard from Dr. Eugene Rostow, Yale Law School; Dr. Harold Barnett, Washington University; and Mr. Max Lawrence, village president of Caro, Mich.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on H.R. 8298, H.R. 8376, H.R. 8509, and similar bills, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act regarding water carrier mixing rule. Testimony was heard from Congressman Moorhead and Harry J. Breithaupt, Jr., general solicitor, Association of American Railroads.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PERSONNEL OVERPAYMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 7363, to amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize the waiver, in certain cases of claims of the United States arising out of erroneous payments of pay or allowances to a civilian officer or employee of military departments and the Coast Guard or a member or former member of the Armed Forces, including retired or Reserve and National Guard personnel. Testimony was heard from Government witnesses.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Dr. John C. Calhoun, Chairman, Committee on Oceanography, and other representatives of the National Academy of Sciences.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Richard J. Murphy, former Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Personnel; Mr. Marvin McLain, legislative director, American Farm Federation, accompanied by Mr. Kitt Haynes, assistant legislative director.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Francis Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration; Ralph Bartelsmeyer, Director, Public Roads; Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Di-

rector, National Highway Safety Bureau; Ben Jordan, Office of Highway Safety, Atlanta, Ga.; Boyd Gibbons, Governor's safety coordinator, Phoenix; and Paul Staffeld, assistant commissioner of highways, St. Paul, Minn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF TOOL AND DIE INDUSTRY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems continued hearings on problems of small businesses in the tool and die industry. Further testimony was heard from representatives of the National Tool, Die & Precision Machining Association.

Hearings to continue on June 3.

VETERANS' HOME LOAN FINANCING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing began hearings on H.R. 9476, to increase the availability of guaranteed home loan financing for veterans and to increase the income of the national service life insurance fund. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Veterans' Administration, National Association of Home Builders, and Disabled American Veterans.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Thursday, May 22, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began hearings on pending food stamp legislation (S. 6, 339, 1608, 1864, 2014) and the President's recommendations on the food stamp program. Testimony was received from Senators Talmadge and Montoya, and Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information. Witnesses heard were Andrew C. Webster, American Life Convention and Life Insurance Association of America; Kenneth Larkin, American Bankers Association; Jerome E. Siegel, Jr., American Industrial Bankers Association; William H. Blake, Chamber of Commerce of the United States; Charles Horsky, National Association of Credit Management; Paul M. Martel, Consumer Credit Grantors of New England and Eastern Canada; and Edward Herbert, First National Bank of Montgomery, Ala.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued hearings on pending bills proposing certain reorganizations of the District of Columbia courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, and 1711), having as its witnesses Maurice Rosenberg, professor of law, Columbia University, and Edward C. Gallas, formerly administrator of Los Angeles County Superior Court, both members of the National Advisory Committee to Court Management Study; William Greenhalgh, director of Georgetown University legal intern program; and Kenneth Pye, dean of Duke University Law School.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX INCENTIVES FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on S. 15, to provide for the use of tax incentives to encourage development of new job-creating industries in rural areas, with testimony from Ted Davis, Midwest Research Institute, Washington, D.C.; James A. Garver, Mid-America, Inc., Parsons, Kans.; Czar Langston, Oklahoma Association of Electric Cooperatives, Oklahoma City; Dick Moore, chairman, Oklahoma Industrial Advisory Team; George S. Bullen, National Federation of Independent Business; and John Shearer, director, Manpower Research and Training Center, Oklahoma State University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee reported to the Senate the following nominations:

Francis J. Galbraith, of South Dakota, to be Ambassador to Indonesia;

Kingdon Gould, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Luxembourg;

Spencer M. King, of Maine, to be Ambassador to Guyana;

James F. Leonard, Jr., of Maryland, to be Assistant Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, United States;

Matthew J. Looram, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Dahomey;

David H. Popper, of New York, to be Ambassador to Cyprus;

Bert M. Tollefson, Jr., of South Dakota, to be Assistant Administrator, Agency for International Development;

Oliver L. Troxel, Jr., of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Zambia;

Sheldon B. Vance, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Congo;

Jack Hood Vaughn, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Colombia;

Francis E. Meloy, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Dominican Republic;

John Davis Lodge, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to Argentina; and

Armin H. Meyer, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Japan.

TURKISH BASES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to receive testimony on projected Turkish bases agreement from Stuart Rockwell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Frank E. Cash, Country Director, Turkey, State Department.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses M. A. Wright, chairman of the board, Humble Oil & Refining Co.; and Robert G. Dunlop, president, Sun Oil Co.

Hearings continue Tuesday, May 27.

LABOR: SAFETY, AND CHILD CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, S. 1368, to promote health and safety in the construction industry in all Federal and federally assisted construction projects; and S. 2068, to amend the Labor Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day care centers.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Migratory Labor Subcommittee continued hearings on the border commuter labor problem and its broad nationwide economic impact, having as its witnesses Stanley H. Ruttenberg, former Assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower; and Arnulfo Guerra, attorney, of Roma, Tex.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

IMPACT OF CRIME ON SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued a series of hearings to receive testimony regarding the impact that the annual cost of crime makes on the small businessman. Witnesses heard were Sgt. John G. Kearns, police department, Oakland, Calif.; Abbott Harle, architect, Victor Gruen Associates, New York City; Sam Pickard, Monsanto Co., Washington, D.C.; Charles Ott, American District Telegraph Co., New York City; and George A. Smith, Jr., Central Station Alarm Co., Dallas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 11582–11610; one private bill, H.R. 11611; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 739–741 and H. Res. 423, were introduced.

Pages 13493–13494

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3373, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 91–263); and

H.R. 11582, Treasury and Post Office Departments and the Executive Office of the President and certain independent agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–264). Page 13493

Resignations: Read and accepted letters of resignation from Representatives Kee and Gibbons, wherein they resign their positions from the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Stratton and Pepper to fill the vacancies.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report on the Agriculture appropriations bill for fiscal year 1970 by midnight on Friday, May 23. Page 13472

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 28. Page 13473

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL TIMBER SUPPLY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests continued hearings on H.R. 10344, and related bills, National Timber Supply Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hanna, Johnson of California, Mize, Hicks, Karth, Halpern, and Dellenback; Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TREASURY-POST OFFICE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Treasury-Post Office appropriation bill.

C–5A COST OVERRUN

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on the cost overrun on the C–5A aircraft. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Duward Crow, Air Force Comptroller; Col. Kenneth N. Beckman, C–5A System Program Director; and A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, Office of Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

LEAD RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing and approved for full committee action S. 1647, amended, to authorize the release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile. Testimony was heard from Representative Kluczynski; Fred J. Russell, Deputy Director of Emergency Preparedness; and Daniel T. Kingsley, Commissioner, Property Management and Disposal Service, GSA.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade began hearings on export control. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the problems of higher education and financial assistance. Testimony was heard from Representative Koch and Vice Adm. H. G. Rickover.

INDIA, PAKISTAN, AND AFGHANISTAN BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for briefing on India, Pakistan, and Afghanistan by Hon. Christopher Van Hollen, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

SATELLITE BROADCASTING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments resumed hearings on "Satellite Broadcasting: Implications for Foreign Policy." Testimony was heard from Fred W. Morris, Jr., president, Tele-Sciences Corp., District of Columbia; Dr. Charles C. Mack, chief scientist, Communications-Electronics Division, Philco Corp., Willow Grove, Pa.; and Dr. Joseph Margolin, program of policy studies in science and technology, George Washington University.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from John Cibinic, Jr., director of Government contracts program, George Washington University; Dean Ralph C. Nash, Jr., National Law Center, George Washington University; William Munves, Deputy General Counsel, Department of the Air Force; Robert F. Keller, General Counsel, GAO; and Irving Jaffe, Deputy Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue on May 26.

BELAIRE MEDICAL FOUNDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies concluded hearings on the Belaire Medical Foundation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BRIEFING ON TRUST TERRITORIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session for briefing on trust territory by Representatives Foley and McClure and Staff Consultant Charles Leppert, Jr.

CATV REGULATIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on all pending legislation pertaining to regulations of community antenna television systems. Testimony was heard from Representative Foreman and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 8298, H.R. 8376, H.R. 8509, and similar bills, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act regarding water carrier mixing rule. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT—NATIONAL COMMISSION ON PRODUCT SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 7621, H.R. 7509, and similar bills, Child Protection Act; and H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MEDICAL LIBRARIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 11223, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend for 3 years the programs of assistance for medical libraries. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearing and took testimony on private claims bills.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Representative Bob Wilson; John H. Clotworthy, president, National Oceanography Association; and Dr. Walter Orr Roberts, University Corporation for Atmospheric Research.

Hearings continue on May 27.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates resumed hearings on evaluation and analysis of Post Office Department cost ascertainment system. Testimony was heard from James W. Hargrove, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Finance and Administration.

POSTAL OPERATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations resumed hearings on postal employee labor-management bills. Testimony was heard from representatives of National Alliance of Postal and Federal Employees, National Association of Postal Supervisors, and other postal employee organizations.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from various State highway officials.

Hearings continue May 27.

HOME LOAN FINANCING FOR VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing concluded hearings on H.R. 9476, to increase the availability of guaranteed home loan financing for veterans and to increase the income of the national service life insurance fund. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Mortgage Bankers Association and National Association of Real Estate Boards.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue May 26.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS—AEC

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate members of the committee approved for reporting the nomination of Theos J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, prior to which action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senator Curtis, and Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, who was accompanied by other members of the AEC.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 15 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2225–2239; S.J. Res. 112; and S. Con. Res. 27. **Pages 13631–13632, 13645**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2224, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 (S. Rept. 91–184) (reported on May 21, during adjournment, under prior authorization).

The following bills and resolutions were reported on May 22 during adjournment, under prior authorization:

S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers, with individual views (S. Rept. 91–185);

S. 574, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project (S. Rept. 91–186);

H. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of a Veterans' Benefits Calculator (S. Rept. 91–187);

H. Con. Res. 95, to authorize the printing of additional copies of "Summary of Veterans' Legislation Reported, 91st Congress, First Session" (S. Rept. 91–188);

H. Con. Res. 162, to print as a House document a book entitled "Our American Government," with amendments (S. Rept. 91–189);

H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint a brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made," with amendment (S. Rept. 91–190);

S. Con. Res. 21, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of Senate Public Works Committee hearings held in 1968 on thermal pollution (S. Rept. 91–191);

S. Res. 195, to print additional copies of Senate Document 91–13, entitled "Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations, 1968" (S. Rept. 91–192);

S. Res. 177, to print as a Senate document a manuscript entitled "The First Army in Europe" (S. Rept. 91–193);

S. 1046, to provide a civil remedy for misrepresentation of quality of articles composed in whole or in part of gold or silver, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–194);

S. 1611, providing for the establishment in the Na-

tional Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped (S. Rept. 91–195);

S. 1519, to establish an independent agency to be known as the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–196);

S. 126, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Indian River County, Fla. (S. Rept. 91–197);

S. 1652, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Barnstable County, Mass. (S. Rept. 91–198);

S. Res. 202 and 203, each to authorize payment of gratuity to survivor of deceased Senate employee (no written reports); and

S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact (S. Rept. 91–199) (reported before convening today, under prior authorization).

During session today the following bills were reported:

S. 826, designating as wilderness certain lands in the Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, the Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge in Maine (S. Rept. 91–200);

S.J. Res. 60, to establish a Commission on Balanced Economic Development (S. Rept. 91–201);

S. 844, proposed Legislative Reorganization Act of 1969 (S. Rept. 91–202);

S. 133, authorizing the vessel *Orion* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges (S. Rept. 91–203); and

S. 753, authorizing the vessel *Cap'n Frank* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges (S. Rept. 91–204). Pages 13541–13542, 13631

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 13542

President's Communication—Supplemental Appropriation: During adjournment on May 21 and under prior authorization, Senate received communication from President transmitting a proposed supplemental appropriation for fiscal year 1969 in the amount of $160 million, to provide for the first of three annual installments of the U.S. contribution toward the International Development Association—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 13540

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 15 measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Submarine pay: H.R. 9328, authorizing special pay for junior nuclear qualified submarine officers who extend their period of active service.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Water resources: S. 574, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project;

Wildlife refuge: S. 126, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Indian River County, Fla.; and

Wildlife refuge: S. 1652, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Barnstable County, Mass.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Silver or gold articles: S. 1046, to provide for a civil remedy for misrepresentation of quality of articles composed in whole or in part of gold or silver; and

Commission on Libraries: S. 1519, to establish an independent agency to be known as the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: H. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of a Veterans' Benefits Calculator;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 95, to authorize the printing of additional copies of "Summary of Veterans' Legislation Reported, 91st Congress, First Session";

Printing: S. Con. Res. 21, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of Senate Public Works Committee hearings held in 1968 on thermal pollution;

Printing: S. Res. 195, to print additional copies of Senate Document 91–13, entitled "Review of U.S. Foreign Policy and Operations, 1968";

Printing: S. Res. 177, to print as a Senate document a manuscript entitled "The First Army in Europe"; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 202 and 203, each to authorize payment of gratuity to survivor of deceased Senate employee.

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

Printing: H. Con. Res. 162, to print as a House document a book entitled "Our American Government"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint a brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made." Pages 13547–13555

Veterans' Housing: Senate concurred, with amendments, in the amendment of the House to the text of S. 408, relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of wheelchair. Senate concurred in the House amendment to the title of the bill.

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Appointments by Vice President: Senator Inouye was appointed to the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission, in lieu of Senator Tydings; and

Senators Young (Ohio) and Javits were appointed to the 30th session of the Intergovernmental Committee for European Migration, to be held at Geneva beginning May 21, 1969. Pages 13560, 13585

Handicapped Center: Senate passed S. 1611, providing for the establishment in the National Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc.

Pages 13650–13653

Investment Companies: S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969, was taken up and debated. It remained Senate's unfinished business at adjournment.

Pages 13560, 13646–13650

Helen Keller Memorial: S.J. Res. 99, designating the first week in June 1969 as Helen Keller Memorial Week, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 13653

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Donald Rumsfeld, of Illinois, to be Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; John B. Martin, Jr., of Michigan, to be Commissioner on Aging; William T. Pecora, of New Jersey, to be Director of the Geological Survey; 11 to be Ambassadors, as follows—Francis J. Galbraith, of South Dakota, to the Republic of Indonesia; Sheldon B. Vance, of Minnesota, to the Democratic Republic of the Congo; Oliver L. Troxel, Jr., of Colorado, to the Republic of Zambia; John Davis Lodge, of Connecticut, to Argentina; Matthew J. Looram, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to Republic of Dahomey; Francis E. Meloy, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to the Dominican Republic; Spencer M. King, of Maryland, to Guyana; Armin H. Meyer, of Illinois, to Japan; Jack Hood Vaughn, of Virginia, to Colombia; and David H. Popper, of New York, to the Republic of Cyprus; and Kingdon Gould, Jr., of Maryland, to Luxembourg; Bert M. Tollefson, Jr., of South Dakota, to be an Assistant Administrator of AID; James F. Leonard, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Aubrey J. Wagner, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Board of Directors of TVA; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps. Page 13655

Nominations: During adjournment on May 21 and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations—Haakon Lindjord, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; and numerous nominations in the Coast Guard and Public Health Service.

During adjournment on May 22 and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations: John Richardson, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; Thomas J. Houser, of Illinois, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps; Maj. Gen. Andrew P. Rollins, Jr., to be a member and president of the Mississippi River Commission; two judicial; and one Army in the rank of general.

During its session today, Senate received the nominations of Warren E. Burger, of Minnesota, to be Chief Justice of the United States; and two Army in the rank of general. Pages 13653–13655

Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife: The nomination of Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, was reported (Ex. Rept. 91–5). Authority was granted for subsequent filing of minority and individual views. Page 13631

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued hearings on pending food stamp legislation (S. 6, 339, 1608, 1864, 2014) and the President's recommendations on the food stamp program, with testimony from Howard P. Davis, Deputy Administrator, and Isabelle M. Kelley, Food Stamp Division, both of the Consumer Food Program, Department of Agriculture; John W. Scott, master, National Grange; Julius Rothman, department of urban affairs, AFL–CIO; Markham Ball, Health and Welfare Council for the National Capital Area; Mrs. Fred R. Harris and Lowell Beck, Urban Coalition Action Council; and Charles A. Krause, Krause Milling Co., Milwaukee.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 26.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions concluded hearings on S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information, after receiving testimony from Prof. Arthur R. Miller, University of Michigan Law School; and the following individual consumers: Mrs. Rita Collins, Gene Williamson, Bernard Wilkoff, Mike Tanner, William A. Homick, Jack Cannon, and Joseph E. Scala.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; John D. Robb, American Bar Association; Maynard Toll, president, National Legal Aid and Defender Association; and William Lockhart, president, and Prof. Frank A. Sander, Harvard Law School, both of the Association of American Law Schools.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 4.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed hearings on proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, with further testimony today regarding liability for oil pollution. Wit-

nesses heard were Clarence Pell, Air Transport Insurance, S.A., New York City; Paul J. Kreuzkamp, Alexander & Alexander, Inc., New York City, accompanied by his associates; Peter N. Miller, Thos. R. Miller & Son (Insurance), Ltd., managers of the United Kingdom Mutual Steamship Assurance Association Limited, London; and James Reynolds, American Institute of Merchant Shipping, and Everett Checket, Mobil Oil Co., both of whom were accompanied by their attorney, former Senator George Smathers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPACT OF CRIME ON SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued a series of hearings to receive testimony regarding the impact that the annual cost of crime makes on the small businessman, with testimony today concerning thefts and pilferage of air cargo. Witnesses heard were Mario T. Noto, Airport Security Council, New York, accompanied by Joseph Schmit, vice president, American Airlines; Edwin A. Elbert, American Importers Association, New York City; Capt. Robert Herzog, commanding officer, Massachusetts State Police, Boston; Alvin S. Roberts, Insurance Co. of North America, Philadelphia; Walter G. Perry, American Institute of Marine Underwriters, New York City; and Inspector Stewart Nelson, Airport and Harbor Patrol, Los Angeles.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL TIMBER SUPPLY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests concluded hearings on H.R. 10344, and related bills, National Timber Supply Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Flowers, Rhodes, Stephens, and Widnall; Mayor Walter E. Washington; and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative St Germain.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Agriculture appropriation bill for fiscal year 1970.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade concluded hearings on export control. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CATV REGULATIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on all pending legislation pertaining to regulations of community antenna television systems. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TELEVISION RADIATION HAZARDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held hearing on review of television radiation hazards. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13660–13692

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2240–2255; S.J. Res. 113; and S. Res. 204. **Pages 13684, 13691–13692**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 1193, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to prevent termination of oil and gas leases under certain conditions, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–205). **Page 13684**

President's Communication—Supplemental Appropriations: Communication from President transmitting proposed supplemental appropriations request for fiscal year 1969, in the amount of $45 million for the Atomic Energy Commission was received—referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 13683**

Merchant Marine: Senate passed, without amendment, S. 133, authorizing the vessel *Orion* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges.

Merchant Marine: S. 753, authorizing the vessel *Cap'n Frank* to be documented as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges, was passed without amendment. **Page 13661**

Investment Companies: Senate continued consideration of and passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2224, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969, after adopting amendments thereto as follows:

Bennett amendment to remove legal liabilities arising with respect to variable annuity and other contracts providing for varying benefits based on the fluctuating value of a pool of securities issued by insurance companies prior to March 23, 1959; McIntyre amendment to postpone for 18 months beyond enactment of bill the effective date of provisions dealing with the oil and gas mutual funds; and McIntyre amendments of a technical, noncontroversial nature. **Pages 13692–13708**

Veterans' Housing: Senate reconsidered its action of Friday, May 23, when it concurred, with amendments, in the amendment of the House to the text of S. 408, relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of wheelchair. Senate then concurred in House amendment, with certain other amendments, to the text of the bill. Page 13708

Wildlife Refuges: Senate passed, without amendment, S. 826, designating as wilderness certain lands in the Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, the Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge in Maine.

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Confirmation: Nomination of Theos J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission was confirmed. Page 13718

Nominations: The following nominations were received: J. Ronald Fox, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant General Counsel in the Treasury Department (Chief Counsel for the Internal Revenue Service); and one judicial. Page 13718

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued hearings on pending food stamp legislation (S. 6, 339, 1608, 1864, 2014) and the President's recommendations on the food stamp program, with testimony from Senator McGovern; Dr. Robert A. Bohannon, and Dr. Shirley White, both of whom represented the Kansas State University cooperative extension service; Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen of North America (AFL–CIO); Dr. Dudley Ward, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America; Rabbi Richard Hirsch, Union of American Hebrew Congregations and Synagogue Council of America; Father John McCarthy, U.S. Catholic Conference; Robert B. Choate, a consultant of Washington, D.C.; and Clarence Mitchell, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Secretary of Agriculture Clifford H. Hardin and others.

ELECTORAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments met in executive session to consider several pending joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution relative to the method of electing the President and the Vice President, and agreed, by a vote of nine yeas to no nays, to report to the full committee without recommendation S.J. Res. 12, the so-called "district plan" for electing the President and Vice President.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE FUNDS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings on S. 1144, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations for the Administrative Conference, with testimony from Walter Gellhorn, Columbia University Law School; John Banzhaf, and Ben Fisher, both of whom are D.C. attorneys; and Jerre S. Williams, Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TOCKS ISLAND

Committee on Public Works: Committee met in executive session to continue consideration of the matter of hydroelectric power development at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 59 public bills, H.R. 11613–11671; 10 private bills, H.R. 11672–11681; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 742–745, H. Con. Res. 275 and 276, and H. Res. 424 and 425, were introduced. Pages 13802–13804

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11582, Treasury-Post Office Department Appropriations Act, fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–265) (filed on Friday, May 23);

H. Res. 424, waiving points of order against title 5 of H.R. 11582, Treasury-Post Office Department Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–266); and

H.R. 10931, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama (H. Rept. 91–267).

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Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Rumsfeld, wherein he resigns his seat in Congress. Page 13719

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 13719

Agriculture Appropriations: House concluded all general debate on H.R. 11612, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and after reading 28 pages of the 40-page bill for amendment, the Committee rose.

A point of order against consideration of the bill was overruled.

Agreed to the following amendments while in the Committee of the Whole:

An amendment that provides $120 million to carry out the provisions of the special milk program; and

By a teller vote of 112 yeas to 100 nays, agreed to an amendment that limits subsidy payments to $20,000 a year to any individual farmer (excludes sugar).

Prior to the teller vote, the amendment was agreed to by a division vote of 93 yeas to 84 nays.

A point of order against language regarding timber receipts withheld from States from sales of national forest timber for noncompliance of civil rights laws was sustained.

Rejected amendments that sought to:

Delete the appropriations that provide for the use of pesticides and chemicals in combating plant and animal disease and pest control in instances in which States prohibited their uses (by a division vote of 25 yeas to 75 nays);

Prohibit the use of funds for purchasing imported fish or fish products when such products are available on the local market (by a division vote of 32 yeas to 65 nays).

Rejected two amendments seeking to limit subsidy payments, the first, on a point of order; the second, which sought to use a graduated subsidy formula, was rejected by a voice vote.

Rejected an amendment that sought to provide $99,300,000 for payments for long-term contracts for diversion of cropland from production of crops to soil- and water-conserving uses. Pages 13720–13769

Referrals: Seven Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 13801

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session for a discussion on ROTC.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved a number of pending real estate projects. Testimony was heard from Loney Hart, Office, Chief of Engineers; W. P. Tiencken, Office of Real Property Management; Donald L. Black, Office of Civil Engineering; and Mr. Laman F. Guthrie, Assistant Chief, Development Program, FAA.

NATIONAL BANKS' TAX LIABILITY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Louis Spector, U.S. Court of Claims, and Dr. Harold C. Petrowitz, consultant, Select Committee on Small Business, U.S. Senate.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 742, to amend the act of June 12, 1948, in order to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971. Testimony was heard from Senator Nelson and representatives of the automobile tire industry.

FISH AND WILDLIFE COORDINATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 6750, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on H.R. 11249, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional funds for such center; and H.R. 9431, and related bills, to limit the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond; prohibiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property. Testimony was heard from Roger L. Stevens, chairman, and Ralph E. Becker, general counsel, Kennedy Center for Performing Arts; William A. Schmidt, Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, GSA; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol; James M. Powell, Chief, U.S. Capitol Police; Nash Castro, Director, National Capital Region, National Park Service; Bernard Meyer, Associate Solicitor, Interior Department; and Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving all points of order against section 502 of H.R. 11582, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mahon and Representatives Cederberg and Steed.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13882–14034

Bills Introduced: 29 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2256–2284; and S. Res. 205.

Pages 13995–13996, 14026

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 112, to extend time for completion of certain studies by the Securities and Exchange Commission (S. Rept. 91–206). Page 13995

Bills Rereferred: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 2114, to provide for conveyance of certain real property to the State of Hawaii, and the bill was then referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Banking and Currency Committee was discharged from further consideration of S.2236, to create a Federal insurance guaranty corporation to protect the public against certain insurance company insolvencies, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Commerce.

Pages 14029, 14034

President's Message—Postal Reform: Message from President was received, transmitting proposed legislation for total reform of the Nation's postal system, entitled the Postal Service Act of 1969—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Pages 13881–13882

School Compact: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 278, granting consent of Congress to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 13882–13888

Economic Development Commission: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 60, to establish a Commission on Balanced Economic Development.

Pages 13888–13889

Senate Authorizations: During adjournment of Senate until noon Thursday, May 29, all committees were authorized to file reports, with any minority, individual, or additional views.

Secretary of Senate was authorized, during this same period, to receive messages from the President and from the House of Representatives and to appropriately refer same, and the Vice President was authorized to sign duly enrolled bills and joint resolutions. Page 13916

Memorial Day Adjournment: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 277, providing that when the House adjourns on Wednesday, May 28, it stand adjourned until noon Monday, June 2. Page 14030

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Joseph J. Jova, of Florida, to be representative on the Council of the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador, and David D. Newsom, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of State. Page 14034

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on pending food stamp legislation (S. 6, 339, 1608, 1864, 2014) and the President's recommendations on the food stamp program, after receiving testimony from Clifford M. Hardin, Secretary of Agriculture; Jorge L. Córdova, Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico; Dr. Jean Mayer, Chairman, and John Kramer, Executive Director, both of the National Council on Hunger and Malnutrition in the United States; and Harry L. Graham, National Farmers Organization.

NOMINATION, AND SEC STUDIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of John C. Clark, of North Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and S.J. Res. 112, to extend time for completion of certain studies by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Prior to approval of the nomination of Mr. Clark, in open session, committee received favoring testimony from Senator Jordan, of North Carolina.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

H.R. 684, to make certain technical changes and corrections in the laws relating to veterans' benefits;

H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all veterans' disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years;

H.R. 2718, to provide additional temporary extension

of existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of silk yarn;

H.R. 4239, to amend the tariff schedules so as to prevent payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for racing purposes (with an amendment to include lamb in the meat quotas);

H.R. 5833, providing 3-year extension of existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes (with an amendment approved by the committee on April 25 which would suspend and amend certain provisions of the Social Security Act which prohibit reduction in services of State medicaid plans);

H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots (with an amendment to repeal the freeze on aid to families with dependent children program);

H.R. 10015, to extend the temporary suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum;

H.R. 10016, to extend temporary suspension of duty on various metal scrap; and

The nomination of Murray L. Weidenbaum, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

NOMINATIONS, PATENT TREATY, AND BROADCASTING AGREEMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following items of business:

The nominations of Robert H. McBride, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Mexico; and Lane Dwinell, of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, who was introduced by Senator Cotton;

S.J. Res. 90, authorizing $175,000 for expenses for the United States to conduct a diplomatic conference in 1970 to negotiate a patent cooperation treaty, with testimony from Eugene M. Braderman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Commercial Affairs and Business Activities, who was accompanied by William E. Schuyler, Jr., Commissioner of Patents; and Leonard J. Robbins, an attorney of New York City; and

Radio broadcasting agreements with Mexico (Ex. B, 91st Cong., first sess.), with testimony from Frank L. Loy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Transportation and Telecommunications; and James J. Wadsworth, member, Federal Communications Commission.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to receive testimony on the aftermath of the 1968 riots in the District of Columbia from Edward Hromanik, Planning Director, and Robert N. Gold, both of the National Capital Planning Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUFFALO NATIONAL RIVER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 855, authorizing funds to establish Buffalo National River in the State of Arkansas, receiving testimony from Senators McClellan and Fulbright; George B. Hartzog, Director, National Park Service; Bernard T. Campbell, Superintendent, Hot Springs National Park, NPS; Harold Alexander, Conway, Ark., representing Governor Winthrop Rockefeller; and numerous public witnesses representing various civic, conservation, and other organizations.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed its hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses Kenneth E. Hill, Eastman Dillon Union Securities & Co., New York City; and Edward Symonds, First National City Bank, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TOCKS ISLAND

Committee on Public Works: Committee met in executive session to continue consideration of the matter of hydroelectric power development at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Herbert L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, and William W. Goodrich, Assistant General Counsel for Food and Drugs, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 11682–11731; five private bills, H.R. 11732–11736; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 746 and 747, H. Con. Res. 277, and H. Res. 426–428, were introduced **Pages 14035, 14110–14111**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 692, to amend section 620 of title 38, United States Code, to extend the length of time community nursing home care may be provided at the expense of the United States (H. Rept. 91–268);

H.R. 693, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that veterans who are 70 years of age or older shall be deemed to be unable to defray the expenses of necessary hospital or domiciliary care (H. Rept. 91–269);

H.R. 2768, to amend title 38, United States Code, in order to eliminate the 6-month limitation on the furnishing of nursing home care in the case of veterans with

service-connected disabilities, amended (H. Rept. 91–270);

H.R. 3130, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs may furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to any war veteran who has total disability from a service-connected disability (H. Rept. 91–271);

H.R. 9334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes (H. Rept. 91–272);

H.R. 9634, to amend title 38, United States Code, in order to improve and make more effective the Veterans' Administration program of sharing specialized medical resources (H. Rept. 91–273);

H.R. 763, to provide for a study of the extent and enforcement of State laws and regulations governing the operation of youth camps (H. Rept. 91–274);

H. Res. 426, providing for consideration of H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict (H. Rept. 91–275);

H. Res. 427, providing for consideration of H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects (H. Rept. 91–276); and

H. Res. 428, providing for consideration of H.R. 11102, to amend the provisions of the Public Health Service Act relating to the construction and modernization of hospitals and other medical facilities by providing separate authorizations of appropriations for new construction and for modernization of facilities, authorizing Federal guarantees of loans for such construction and modernization and Federal payment of part of the interest thereon, authorizing grants for modernization of emergency rooms of general hospitals, and extending and making other improvements in the program authorized by these provisions (H. Rept. 91–277).

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 14035

Adjournment: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 277, providing for adjournment of the House from Wednesday, May 28, 1969, until June 2, 1969. Page 14035

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted for the Clerk to receive messages and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills, notwithstanding the Memorial Day recess. Page 14035

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 4. Page 14035

Presidential Message—Postal Reform: Received and read a message from the President regarding postal reform and legislative proposals to convert the Post Office Department into a Government-owned self-sustaining service removed from Cabinet status—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed. Pages 14035–14037

Cleared for the President: S. 408, to modify eligibility requirements governing the grant of assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing to include loss or loss of use of a lower extremity and other service-connected neurological or orthopedic disability which impairs locomotion to the extent that a wheelchair is regularly required, was cleared for the President by House concurrence in Senate amendments to House amendments. Pages 14038–14039

Agriculture Appropriations: By a record vote of 322 yeas to 50 nays, the House passed H.R. 11612, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

A recommittal motion was rejected by a voice vote.

By a record vote of 225 yeas to 142 nays, adopted the Conte amendment (limits subsidy payments to $20,000 a year), which had been agreed to yesterday, while in the Committee of the Whole by a teller vote of 112 yeas to 100 nays.

While in the Committee of the Whole, rejected the following:

An amendment that sought to repeal the "snap back" provision from the Agriculture Act of 1949 (by a point of order); and

An amendment designed to withhold funds for any programs or activities which practice discrimination, or not in compliance with title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (by a teller vote of 66 yeas to 91 nays).

Prior to the teller vote, the amendment was rejected by a division vote of 45 yeas to 82 nays. Pages 14038, 14039–14055

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: By a record vote of 326 yeas to 6 nays, the House passed H.R. 11582, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

By a record vote of 100 yeas to 239 nays, defeated the Smith of Iowa amendment (to limit to $20,000 the subsidy payable to any distributor of second-class mail), which had been agreed to earlier (in the Committee of the Whole House) by a division vote of 40 yeas to 24 nays.

While in the Committee of the Whole, rejected the following:

An amendment providing that no funds be used for incentive payments for income tax informers; and

An amendment limiting the number of experts and consultants in the Postal Service.

H. Res. 424, waiving points of order against section 502 of the bill, was agreed to earlier by a record vote of 345 yeas to 12 nays. Page 14055–14079

Referrals: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 14109

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION ACT, FEDERAL MARKETING ORDERS—PEARS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills: H.R. 2777, amended, Potato Research and Promotion Act; and H.R. 2690, amended, to include pears for canning or freezing under Federal marketing orders.

EDUCATION MISCELLANY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 11235, amended, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965;

H.R. 4314, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds to provide employees, their families, and dependents with scholarships for study at educational institutions or the establishment of child care centers for preschool and school-age dependents of employees;

H.R. 763, to provide for a study of the extent and enforcement of State laws and regulations governing the operation of youth camps; and

H.R. 11651, to amend the National School Lunch Act, as amended, to provide funds and authorities to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of providing free or reduced-price meals to needy children not now being reached.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Bureau of the Budget, Department of Defense, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, General Accounting Office, and industry associations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

WILDERNESS LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 486 and H.R. 987, to designate certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Barnstable County, Mass., as wilderness. Testimony was heard from Representative Keith; Dr. Leslie Glasgow, Assistant Secretary, Fish, Wildlife, and Marine Resources, Department of Interior; and public witnesses.

CIGARETTE ADVERTISING AND SMOKING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 1237, and related bills, to prohibit certain cigarette advertising; and H.R. 6543, and related bills, to extend public health protection regarding cigarette smoking.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

STATE TAXATION OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7906, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Walter C. Beckman, president, Alpine Geophysical Associates, Inc., and Dr. Sidney R. Galler, marine biologist.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSTRUCTION HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects. Testimony was heard from Representative Daniels of New Jersey.

VIETNAM PRISONERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and waiving all points of order against sections 2 and 3 of H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers.

MEDICAL FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION AND MODERNIZATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, making it in order to consider the committee amendments now printed in the bill and waiving points of order against parts of section 2 of H.R. 11102, Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers and Representative Nelsen.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing but took no action on H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act

of 1958, as amended. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers.

INTERNATIONAL BIOLOGICAL PROGRAM—STANDARD REFERENCE DATA ACT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills: H.J. Res. 589, international biological program; and H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act.

Following the executive session, the committee concluded hearing on S. 1287, authorizing $2,500,000 for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972 to carry out the metric system study. Testimony was heard from Dr. A. V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards.

VETERANS MISCELLANY

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 692, extends the length of time community nursing home care may be provided for veterans at the expense of the United States from 6 months to 9 months;

H.R. 693, amended, to amend title 38 of the United States Code to provide that veterans who are 70 years of age or older shall be deemed to be unable to defray the expenses of necessary hospital or domiciliary care;

H.R. 2768, amended, to amend title 38 of the United States Code in order to eliminate the 6-month limitation on the furnishing of nursing home care in the case of veterans with service-connected disabilities;

H.R. 3130, provides that the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs may furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to any war veteran who has total disability from a service-connected disability;

H.R. 9334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes; and

H.R. 9634, to amend title 38 of the United States Code in order to improve and make more effective the Veterans' Administration program of sharing specialized medical resources.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue on June 3.

Wednesday, May 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Southwest Power Administration from Morgan D. Dubrow, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Interior (Water and Power); and Douglas G. Wright, adviser, Southwestern Power Administration.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 3, when subcommittee will begin to hear testimony from public witnesses and Members of the Congress.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance concluded its series of hearings on S. 813 and S. 1940, to extend authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act, after receiving testimony from Joseph A. Greenwald, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, accompanied by Robert B. Wright, Director, Office of East-West Trade; and Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings to receive testimony concerning the aftermath of the 1968 riots in Washington, D.C., having as its witness Thomas Fletcher, Assistant to the D.C. Commissioner.

In an afternoon session, subcommittee received testimony concerning the aftermath of Newark, N.J., riots from P. Bernard Nortman, Office of Economic Development, and Dr. L. Sylvester Odom, United Community Corp., both of Newark.

Also, testimony was received from Robert E. Dunne, assistant counsel, and Ralph Dunavant, investigator, both of the subcommittee staff.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Charles Park, Jr., department of geology, Stanford University; and Prof. Earl A. Thompson, department of economics, UCLA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 11737–11776; three private bills, H.R. 11777–11779; and six resolu-

tions, H.J. Res. 748–752 and H. Con. Res. 278, were introduced. Pages 14234–14235

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.Res. 425, transfer of funds within the offices of the Clerk and the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 91–278). Page 14234

Flag Day: By unanimous consent, it will be in order at any time on Thusrday, June 12, for the Speaker to declare a recess for the purpose of observing and commemorating Flag Day in such manner as the Speaker may deem appropriate.

Subsequently, the Speaker designated the following Members to constitute a committee to make the necessary arrangements: Representatives Brooks, Nichols, Roudebush, and Hall. Page 14161

Presidential Message—Railroad Retirement Board: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the annual report of the Railroad Retirement Board for fiscal year 1968—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 14161

Presidential Message—OEO: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the Fourth Annual Report of the Office of Economic Opportunity—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 14162

Presidential Message—Foreign Aid: Read the President's message on foreign aid, wherein he outlines the foreign aid program and seeks $2.6 billion to carry out the program—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed. Pages 14162–14164

Funds Transfer: Agreed to H. Res. 425, transfer of funds within the offices of the Clerk and the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives. Pages 14165–14167

Prisoners of War—Vietnam: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 4204, to amend section 6 of the War Claims Act of 1948 to include prisoners of war captured during the Vietnam conflict.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

Agreed to the amendment of the title.

H. Res. 426, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 14167–14170

Referral: One Senate-passed resolution, S.J. Res. 60, to establish a Commission on Balanced Economic Development, was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 14234

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

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Committee Meetings

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

BRIEFING ON URUGUAY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for briefing on Uruguay by Hon. Robert M. Sayre, U.S. Ambassador to Uruguay.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Further testimony was heard from representatives of the Bureau of the Budget, Department of Defense, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, General Accounting Office, and industry associations.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2785, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the State of Tennessee certain lands within the Great Smokey Mountains National Park and certain lands comprising the Gatlinburg spur of the Foothills Parkway;

H.R. 11069, amended, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas;

H.J. Res. 247, amended, relating to the administration of the national park system; and

S. 742, amended, revising the act of June 12, 1948, which provided for the construction, operation, and maintenance, of the Kennewick division so as to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick extension. Authorizes appropriations of $5,532,000 for such extensions.

CIGARETTE SMOKING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6543, amended, to extend public health protection regarding cigarette smoking.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the

national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Roger J. Pierce, Hydro-Space Systems Corp., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and Robert M. Clark, vice president, Hayden, Stone, Inc.

Hearings to continue June 3.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Mayor W. W. Dumas, Baton Rouge, La.; Howard Pyle, president, National Safety Council; and State highway officials.

Hearings to continue June 4 and 5.

Joint Committee Meetings

ASSISTANCE TO DEVELOPING NATIONS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments held hearings to receive testimony on proposals to use reserve creation by the International Monetary Fund as a means of increasing financial assistance to developing nations. Witnesses heard were Sydney Dell, New York City; Harry G. Johnson, professor of economics, University of Chicago; Raul Prebisch, Latin American Institute for Economic and Social Planning; Tibor Scitovsky, professor of economics, Yale University; Robert Triffin, professor of economics, Yale University; and Byron L. Johnson, professor of economics, University of Colorado.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

Thursday, May 29, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14316–14385

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2285–2301; S.J. Res. 114–115; and S. Res. 206–207. **Pages 14332–14333, 14346**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 412, to classify as wilderness the national forest lands known as the Lincoln Back Country, Montana (S. Rept. 91–207);

S. 83, 275, 868, 901, 1010, 1236, H.R. 2940, S. 728, and 757, private bills (S. Repts. 91–208 to 91–216);

H.R. 684, to make certain technical changes and corrections in the laws relating to veterans' benefits (S. Rept. 91–217);

H.R. 2718, to provide additional temporary extension of existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of silk yarn (S. Rept. 91–218);

H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all veterans' disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years (S. Rept. 91–219);

H.R. 10015, to extend the temporary suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum (S. Rept. 91–220);

H.R. 10016, to extend temporary suspension of duty on various metal scrap (S. Rept. 91–221);

H.R. 5833, providing a 3-year extension of existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–222);

H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–223); and

S. 499, private bill (S. Rept. 224). **Page 14332**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 14319**

President's Message—Foreign Aid: President transmitted message with his foreign aid proposals aggregating expenditures of approximately $2.6 billion with suggested emphasis on (1) private investment, (2) technical aid, (3) multilateral programs, and (4) food and population control—received during adjournment on May 28 under prior authorization and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Pages 14317–14319**

President's Communication—Postal Reform: Communication from President, transmitting proposed Postal Service Act of 1969 designed to carry out recommendations contained in his message on postal reform of May 27, received and referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 14319**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Monday, June 2, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and to appropriately refer same.

All committees were authorized, during this adjournment, to file reports, together with any minority, individual, or additional views. **Page 14319**

Wilderness: Senate passed, without amendment, S. 412, to classify as wilderness the national forest lands known as the Lincoln Back Country, Montana. **Pages 14348–14350**

Subversive Activities Control Board: Nomination of Otto F. Otepka, of Maryland, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board, was reported with minority and individual views (Ex. Rept. 91–6). **Page 14332**

Nominations: The following nominations were received during adjournment on May 28 under prior authorization: James J. Needham, of New York, and

Hamer H. Budge, of Idaho, to be members of the SEC; one judicial; and four Army in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, having as its witnesses William J. Murray, Jr., Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Association, and a former member of the Texas Railroad Commission; and Capt. T. Stern, USN (Ret.), president, College of Charleston, South Carolina.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, June 2, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14483–14521

Bills Introduced: Three bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2302–2304; S.J. Res. 116–117; and S. Con. Res. 28. Pages 14519–14520

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 16 bills, of which nine were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Veterans' benefits: H.R. 684, to make certain technical changes and corrections in the laws relating to veterans' benefits;

Tariff: H.R. 2718, to provide additional temporary extension of existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of silk yarn;

Tariff: H.R. 10015, to extend the temporary suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum;

Tariff: H.R. 10016, to extend temporary suspension of duty on various metal scrap; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 2940.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

SEC: S.J. Res. 112, to extend time for completion of certain studies by the Securities and Exchange Commission;

Orleans, Vt.: S. 275, for the relief of the village of Orleans, Vt.; and

Private bills: Six private bills, S. 83, 868, 901, 1010, 1236, and 499.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Oil and gas leases: S. 1193, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to prevent termination of oil and gas leases under certain conditions; and

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 728 and 757.

Pages 14474–14483

Appointments by Vice President: The Vice President appointed Senators Yarborough and Prouty to the 22d assembly of the World Health Assembly to be held in Boston beginning July 8. Page 14485

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until noon Thursday, June 5, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and such messages may be appropriately referred.

All committees were authorized, during this adjournment to file reports, with any minority, individual or supplemental views. Page 14521

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: John Conrad Clark, of North Carolina, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States; Murray L. Weidenbaum, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; and Hamer H. Budge, of Idaho, to be a member of the SEC. Page 14521

Nominations: During adjournment on May 29 and under prior authorization, Senate received the following nominations: Stephen Horn, of California, to be a member of the Commission on Civil Rights; William Henry Harrison, of Wyoming, and William School Whitehead, of Virginia, to be members of the Renegotiation Board; and five judicial. Page 14521

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery began hearings on S. 1506, and related bills, to provide for improvements in the administration of the courts of the United States, having as its witnesses Senator Stevens; Chief Judge Clement F.

Haynsworth, Jr., U.S. Circuit Court, Fourth Circuit; Judge J. Braxton Craven, Jr., U.S. Circuit Court, Fourth Circuit; Senior Judge Albert D. Maris, U.S. Circuit Court, Third Circuit; and Joseph Borkin, author of "The Corrupt Judge."

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 4.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 11780–11804; three private bills, H.R. 11805–11807; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 753–755, H. Con. Res. 279 and 280, and H. Res. 429 and 430, were introduced. Pages 14472–14473

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 7906, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce (H. Rept. 91–279). Page 14472

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Board of Regents: S.J. Res. 13, providing for the reappointment of Dr. John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

Board of Regents: S.J. Res. 35, providing for the appointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; and

Commemorative medal: S. 1995 (in lieu of H.R. 10931), providing for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama.

Bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 4246, 4247, and 3666. Pages 14393–14394

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Home Financing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 14395

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Zoo police pay raise: H.R. 2667, to revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park (by a voice vote);

Veterans' medical resources: H.R. 9634, to amend title 38, United States Code, in order to improve and make more effective the Veterans' Administration program of sharing specialized medical resources (by a voice vote);

Veterans' care: H.R. 693, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that veterans who are 70 years of age or older shall be deemed to be unable to defray the expenses of necessary hospital or domiciliary care, amended (by a record vote of 302 yeas to 3 nays);

Veterans' disability: H.R. 3130, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs may furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to any war veteran who has total disability from a service-connected disability (passed by a voice vote);

Veterans' nursing home care: H.R. 692, to amend section 620 of title 38, United States Code, to extend the length of time community nursing home care may be provided at the expense of the United States (passed by a voice vote);

Disabled veterans' nursing care: H.R. 2768, to amend title 38 of the United States Code in order to eliminate the 6-month limitation on the furnishing of nursing home care in the case of veterans with service-connected disabilities, amended (passed by a voice vote); and

State veterans' homes: H.R. 9334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes (passed by a voice vote). Pages 14400–14416

Suspension failed:

Youth camp safety survey: H.R. 763, to provide for a study of the extent and enforcement of State laws and regulations governing the operation of youth camps (by a record vote of 151 yeas to 152 nays). Page 14394

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 412, to classify as wilderness the national forest lands known as the Lincoln Back Country, Montana—referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 14472

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOME FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Home Financing Practices and Procedures began hearings on speculative practices in home financing in center-city areas. Testimony was heard from the Reverend Channing Phillips, president, Housing Development Corp., District of Columbia; Charles Doctor, Mutual Security Savings & Loan Association; and the Reverend Geno Baroni, director, Urban Rehabilitation Corp., District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty continued hearings on H.R. 513, OEO amendments. Testimony was heard from OEO Director Donald Rumsfeld.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through May 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	58	76	..
Time in session	205 hrs., 58′	175 hrs., 30′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	5,858	4,316	10,174
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	4,504
Public bills enacted into law	7	12	19
Private bills enacted into law	5	4	9
Bills in conference	1	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	223	229	..
Senate bills	95	12	..
House bills	15	108	..
Senate joint resolutions	12	2	..
House joint resolutions	2	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	5	4	..
House concurrent resolutions	12	13	..
Simple resolutions	82	88	170
Measures reported, total	*289	*259	..
Senate bills	110	9	..
House bills	24	167	..
Senate joint resolutions	16	2	..
House joint resolutions	2	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	12	7	..
Simple resolutions	121	68	189
Special reports	8	19	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	30	63	..
Measures introduced, total	2,650	13,237	15,887
Bills	2,301	11,779	14,080
Joint resolutions	115	752	867
Concurrent resolutions	27	278	305
Simple resolutions	207	428	635
Quorum calls	8	38	..
Yea-and-nay votes	26	32	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 224 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 278 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through May 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 5,787, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,733
Unconfirmed	54
Air Force nominations, totaling 6,125, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,365
Unconfirmed	3,760
Navy nominations, totaling 16,959, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	16,959
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 6,206, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,204
Unconfirmed	2
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,416, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,721
Unconfirmed	677
Withdrawn	18
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	38,121
Total confirmed	33,158
Total unconfirmed	4,493
Total withdrawn	470

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items as follows:

Senators Jackson, Hatfield, and Packwood, and local witnesses, in behalf of funds for North Pacific projects in Oregon and Washington;

Senators Bennett and Moss, on funds for the Bonneville unit of the central Utah project;

Senator Cannon and Gov. Paul Laxalt, of Nevada, on funds for the southern Nevada water project;

Senators Fannin and Goldwater, Representatives Rhodes and Udall, and Gov. John R. Williams, of Arizona, in behalf of funds for the central Arizona project; and

Representative Olsen, in behalf of funds for the transmission line from Great Falls to Browning, Mont.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—C–5A CARGO PLANE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony on funds for production of C–5A cargo aircraft from Secretary Robert C. Seamans, Jr., and Assistant Secretary for Installations and Logistics Philip N. Whittaker, who were accompanied by other Air Force officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from officials of Lockheed Aircraft Corp.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Thomas J. Houser, of Illinois, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps, with favoring testimony from Senator Percy.

Committee also held hearings on S. 2041, authorizing $101.1 million for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970, with testimony from Joseph H. Blatchford, Director of the Peace Corps, and Marcella Kerr, Committee of Returned Volunteers, New York City. Committee announced that hearings will continue on this bill on a date as yet undetermined.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research resumed hearings to ascertain the policy structure in determining costs incurred for federally sponsored project research at institutions of higher learning, receiving testimony from Dr. Lincoln Gordon, chairman, Ad Hoc Committee on Indirect Costs, American Council on Education; Dr. Philip Handler, chairman, Department of Biochemistry, Duke University Medical Center; and Chancellor Maurice B. Mitchell, University of Denver.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the effects of land and water management policies of the Federal Government on the Everglades National Park, Fla. Witnesses heard were Russell Train, Under Secretary of the Interior; James D. Braman, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Urban Systems and Environment; Lt. Gen. William F. Cassidy, Chief of Engineers, Army; Nathaniel Reed, special assistant to the Governor of Florida; Robert Padrick, chairman, Central and Southern Flood Control District; and William W. Gibbs, Dade County Port Authority.

NOMINATION—SUPREME COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, unanimously approved for reporting the nomination of Warren E. Burger, to be Chief Justice of the United States, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was introduced to the committee by Senators Byrd of Virginia and Spong. Judge Burger was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures resumed hearings on several pending bills designed to reduce organized crime in the United States, having as its witnesses Will R. Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and Donald F. Taylor, Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISASTER RELIEF, AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1685, to provide additional Federal assistance for areas suffering a major disaster. As approved by the committee, the bill would make grants of up to $250,000 for disaster planning programs to each State, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Committee also approved 18 public building prospectuses, seven new construction projects at an approximate cost of $6.5 million, and 11 for alteration of existing buildings at an approximate cost of $22.9 million.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 11808–11837; five private bills, H.R. 11838–11842; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 756–763, H. Con. Res. 281, and H. Res. 431, were introduced. Pages 14566, 14600–14601

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 431, electing Representative Goldwater to the Committee on Science and Astronautics. Page 14566

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Home Financing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 14567

Presidential Message—Radiation Control: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the first annual report on the administration of the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1968—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed. Page 14568

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 537.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 3006, 2890, 3166, 3167, 3376, and 1828.

Sent to the Senate with amendment: H.R. 4744, 6377, 6850, 2208, 2224, 2536, 3172, 9979, and 3044.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 3377, 5000, 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1808, 1865, 1999, 5419, 6375, 1462, 1707, 3165, 3560, 5107, 6389, S. 648, and H.R. 3373.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 3188. Pages 14568–14571

Construction Safety: After completing all general debate on H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects, the first paragraph of the bill was read and open for amendment, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 427, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 14571–14580

Referrals: Nine Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 14599–14600

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICE BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Supplemental Service Benefits met in executive session to consider the subcommittee's program for the year. No announcements were made.

Meeting was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

DX PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power resumed executive hearings on the DX program. Testimony was heard from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations.

HOME FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Home Financing Practices and Procedures continued hearings on speculative practices in home financing in center-city areas. Testimony was heard from Florence Roisman and Mary Beth Halloran, Neighborhood Legal Services; and panel of witnesses from community groups.

Hearings to continue on June 5.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth began hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. Conrad Taeuber, U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Hearings continue on June 5.

D.C. OPTOMETRY ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session to begin markup of H.R. 2388, District of Columbia Optometry Act.

Subcommittee to meet again tomorrow.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 11476, and related bills, to encourage the States to improve their workmen's compensation laws to assure adequate coverage and benefits to employees injured in the mining industry. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor Shultz; Arthur Fletcher, Assistant Secretary for Wage and Labor Standards; and a representative from the United Mine Workers of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in open session to discuss amendments to section 504 of Public Law 90–575, Higher Education Amendments of 1968, and related matters.

Subcommittee to continue on June 5.

PACKAGING AND LABELING PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies began hearings on Federal packaging and labeling. Testimony was heard from representatives of Consumer Federation of America; A. Q. Mowbray,

author; and Malcolm W. Jensen, Acting Deputy Director, National Bureau of Standards.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE

Committee on Internal Security: Began hearings on activities of the Students for a Democratic Society. Testimony was heard from Father Thomas Fitzgerald, Georgetown University; Anthony Ripley, New York Times Detroit Bureau, and Policeman Brad M. Mallard.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and acted on private immigration and claims bills.

NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the national oceanographic program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Bruce Halstead, director, World Life Research Institute, Colton, Calif.; and Dr. William J. Hargis, Jr., director, Virginia Institute of Marine Science.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and members of his staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER ACT—FEDERALLY OWNED PROPERTY IN D.C.

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 11249, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional funds for such center; and H.R. 1035, limiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond, and for other purposes.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved these bills for full committee action.

PROBLEMS OF TOOL AND DIE INDUSTRY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems resumed hearings on problems of small businesses in the tool and die industry. Testimony was heard from representatives of the automobile industry.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began a series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from John Kenneth Galbraith, professor of economics, Harvard University; and Charles L. Schultze, senior fellow, Brookings Institution, and professor of economics, University of Maryland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, June 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, to receive testimony on those provisions of the bill limiting subsidy payments to $20,000 per year. Witnesses heard were Secretary Clifford M. Hardin; Clarence D. Palmby, Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs; Don Paarlberg, Director of Agricultural Economics; and Edward M. Shulman, General Counsel, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items as follows:

Senators McClellan and Harris, on funds for Arkansas and Red River Basin projects;

Senators Yarborough and Long, on funds for Red River Basin projects;

Senators Pearson and Dole, on funds for Arkansas basin projects;

Representative Roberts, on funds for Cooper and Lavon Dam, Texas;

Representative Alexander, on funds for Cashe River and Bayou DeView project, Arkansas;

Senators Symington and Eagleton, on funds for Merrimac River Basin project;

Representative Railsback, on funds for Moline, East Moline, and Fulton flood control projects, Illinois;

Senators Dirksen, Bayh, Percy, and Hartke, on funds for Wabash Valley projects;

Representative Gray, on funds for several projects in Illinois;

Senator Eagleton, on funds for lock and dam No. 26 in Illinois and Missouri; and

Representative Mikva, on funds for Calumet River Bridge, Ill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—C–5A CARGO PLANE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on S. 1192, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony on funds for production of the C–5A cargo aircraft from Daniel J. Houghton, chairman of the board, Lockheed Aircraft Corp.; Thomas R. May, president, Lockheed Georgia Co., Marietta; Lt. Gen. Duward L. Crow, Comptroller General, Air Force; and Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Jeffrey, Jr., Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PAYMENTS BY PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS TO PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 2075, to deny tax-exempt status to private organizations engaging in improper transactions with certain Government officials and former Government officials, and to impose an income tax of 100 percent on income received by such officials and former officials from such organizations. Testimony was received from Edwin S. Cohen, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Alan Pifer, Carnegie Corp. of New York; McGeorge Bundy, president, Ford Foundation; Manning M. Pattillo, Jr., president, the Foundation Center, Inc.; David Freeman, president, Council on Foundations; Clifford C. Nelson, president, the American Assembly of Columbia University; Frederick A. Ballard, attorney, Washington, D.C.; John Eethea, Urban Information Center; and Hugh DeFazio, National Council on Crime and Delinquency.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued hearings to ascertain the policy structure in determining costs incurred for federally sponsored project research at institutions of higher learning, receiving testimony from Dr. Eldon L. Johnson, vice president, University of Illinois; Dr. Arthur C. Gentile, acting dean, Graduate School, University of Massachusetts; and Dr. Nicholas Hobbs, provost, Vanderbilt University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures continued hearings on several pending bills designed to reduce organized crime in the United States, having as its witnesses William Hundley, a D.C. attorney, and former Chief of the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, Department of Justice; Eugene Rossides, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Law Enforcement; William Miller, Deputy Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 1506, and related bills, to provide for improvements in the administration of the courts of the United States, having as its witnesses Senators Case and Goodell; Representative Hansen; Senior Judge John Biggs, Jr., U.S. Circuit Court, Third Circuit; and Justice Murray Draper, chairman of the California Commission on Judicial Qualifications.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Robert H. Finch, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Donald Rumsfeld, Director, Office of Economic Opportunity; and Clarence Mitchell, NAACP.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, with testimony concerning liability in cases of oil cleanup from the following witnesses: Alexander B. Hawes, the American Waterways Operators, Inc.; Everett S. Checket, American Petroleum Institute; and James J. Reynolds, American Institute of Merchant Shipping.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 11843–11888; 11 private bills, H.R. 11889–11899; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 764–767, H. Con. Res. 282, and H. Res. 432, were introduced. **Pages 14726–14728**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills S. 1104, 1438, and 1531 (H. Repts. 91–280 to 91–282, respectively); and

H.R. 1035, limiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond, amended (H. Rept. 91–283). Page 14726

Committee To Sit: Committee on Post Office and Civil Service received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 14638

Professional Photography Week: Agreed to S.J. Res. 77, to authorize the President to designate the period beginning June 8, 1969, and ending June 14, 1969, as "Professional Photography Week in America." Pages 14638–14639

Construction Safety: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects.

Agreed to several clarifying and technical amendments. Pages 14639–14642

Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969: By a record vote of 351 yeas, the House passed H.R. 11102, to amend the provisions of the Public Health Service Act relating to the construction and modernization of hospitals and other medical facilities by providing separate authorizations of appropriations for new construction and for modernization of facilities, authorizing Federal guarantees of loans for such construction and modernization and Federal payment of part of the interest thereon, authorizing grants for modernization of emergency rooms of general hospitals, and extending and making other improvements in the program authorized by these provisions.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce by a voice vote.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

Rejected the following:

By a teller vote of 51 yeas to 75 nays, an amendment that sought to alter the Hill-Burton formula to bolster funds to urban States. Prior to the teller vote, the amendment was rejected by a division vote of 42 yeas to 57 nays;

An amendment that sought to establish an emergency fund for hospitals in critical need (rejected by a division vote of 25 yeas to 64 nays);

An amendment that provided for a transposition of funding for "new construction" and "modernization";

An amendment that provided that applications for assistance under Hill-Burton programs would have to be consistent with areawide or Statewide programs;

An amendment that sought to provide $15 million to build diagnostic or treatment centers for depressed urban areas (by a division vote of 8 yeas to 68 nays); and

An amendment that would provide for Federal assistance for persons displaced by construction or expansion of Federal facilities.

H. Res. 428, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 14643–14674

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade resumed hearings on legislation to amend the Export Control Act of 1949. Testimony was heard from Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Domestic and International Business, Department of Commerce; Joseph A. Greenwald, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; and G. Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INSTALLMENT LOANS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 255, to authorize deduction in advance on installment loans.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 11476, and related bills, to encourage the States to improve their workmen's compensation laws to assure adequate coverage and benefits to employees injured in the mining industry. Testimony was heard from Kentucky coal miners.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR HANDICAPPED

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded a hearing on H.R. 11785, to amend Public Law 85–905 to provide for a National Center for Educational Media and Materials for the Handicapped. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett; Dr. James J. Gallagher, Associate Commissioner of Education, HEW; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL AID TO HIGH SCHOOLS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education began hearings on Federal programs to aid high schools. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PACKAGING AND LABELING PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies continued hearings on Federal packaging and labeling proposals. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on activities of the Students for a Democratic Society. Testimony was heard from Father Gerard Yates and Robert Dixon of Georgetown University; also Susan Palmer, John T. Hoffman, Donald A. Casper, and John Driscoll, all from Georgetown University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

CONGLOMERATES INVESTIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) met in executive session on conglomerates investigation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.

FISHERMEN'S PROTECTION MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation began hearings on H.R. 507, to prohibit processing of fish in the territorial waters of the United States by vessels other than vessels of the United States except where there is a determination that no adequate American processing facilities are available; H.R. 509, to amend the act prohibiting fishing in the territorial waters of the United States by vessels other than vessels of the United States in order to expand the definition of the term "fisheries"; and H.R. 10607, to amend the act of August 27, 1954 (Fishermen's Protective Act), to strengthen the provisions therein relating to the protection of U.S. vessels on the high seas. Testimony was heard from Frank Cook, Chairman, Board of Fish and Game, Alaska; and Augie Reetz, Commissioner of Fish and Game, Alaska.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Further testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and members of his staff.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF TOOL AND DIE INDUSTRY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems continued hearings on problems of small businesses in the tool and die industry. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Allen T. Stanwix-Hay, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Materiel.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from Senator Fulbright; Kenneth E. Boulding, professor of economics, University of Colorado; Leonard A. Lecht, Director, Center for Priority Analysis, National Planning Association; and James L. Clayton, professor of history, University of Utah.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, June 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14792–14935

Bills Introduced: 32 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2305–2336; S.J. Res. 118–119; and S. Con. Res. 29. **Pages 14774, 14796–14797**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4239, to amend the tariff schedules so as to prevent payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for racing purposes, and to include lamb in the meat quotas, with amendments and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–225);

H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President, the Speaker, and majority and minority leaders of the Congress (S. Rept. 91–226); and

S. 1708, proposed Federal Lands for Parks and Recreation Act of 1969, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–227).

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Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 14773**

Bill Placed on Calendar: One House-passed private bill was ordered to be placed on calendar. **Page 14773**

President's Message—Radiation Control: President submitted message transmitting first annual report of the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1968

(P.L. 90–602), which was referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare—received during adjournment on June 3 under prior authorization.

Private Bill: H.R. 3480, private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for President after Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from its further consideration. Prior to these actions, Senate reconsidered its action of June 2 in passing S. 868, private bill (companion bill to H.R. 3480), and S. 868 was then indefinitely postponed. **Pages 14773–14774**

Smithsonian Institution: S. Con. Res. 29, providing for correction of enrollment of S.J. 35, to provide for the appointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, was adopted. **Page 14774**

Confirmations: Numerous Coast Guard nominations were confirmed. **Page 14942**

Nominations: During adjournment on June 4 and under prior authorization, Senate received numerous Army and Navy nominations. **Pages 14935–14942**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items as follows:

Senators Holland and Gurney and Representative Bennett, on funds for several projects in Florida;

Senators Stevens and Gravel, in behalf of funds for Alaskan projects; and

Senators Curtis and Hruska, in behalf of funds for the Nebraska Midstate Project, and Papillion Creek flood control project.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SPANISH BASES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs U. Alexis Johnson to discuss the status of agreement concerning continuation of U.S. military installations in Spain.

FOREIGN POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on anthropological aspects of foreign policy from Edward T. Hall, professor of anthropology, Northwestern University.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 19.

NOMINATIONS—JUDGESHIPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of George H. Carswell, of Florida, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit; John F. Kilkenny, of Oregon, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit; and Donald E. Lane, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Judge of the U.S. Court of Customs and Patent Appeals. Prior to this action, in open hearings, Senators Holland and Gurney appeared in support of Mr. Carswell, and Senators Hatfield and Packwood appeared in behalf of Mr. Kilkenny. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses George P. Shultz, Secretary of Labor; Hilary Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, Small Business Administration; Franklin A. Thomas and Joseph E. McMahon, both of Bedford-Stuyvesant D & S Corp.; and James L. Martin, Office of Federal-State Relations, National Governors' Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SALARIES OF CONGRESSIONAL OFFICIALS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting without amendment H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President, the Speaker, and majority and minority leaders of the Congress.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 11900–11918; two private bills, H.R. 11919 and 11920; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 768, H. Con. Res. 283–286, and H. Res. 433, were introduced. **Page 14987**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act, amended (H. Rept. 91–284);

H.R. 11235, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 91–285);

H.R. 4314, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds to provide employees, their families, and dependents with scholarships for study at educational institutions or the establishment of child care centers for preschool and school age dependents of employees (H. Rept. 91–286);

S. 742, to amend the act of June 12, 1948 (62 Stat. 382), in order to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension,

Yakima project, Washington, amended (H. Rept. 91–287);

H.R. 10878, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation (H. Rept. 91–288); and

H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking (H. Rept. 91–289).

Pages 14986–14987

Late Report: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was granted permission to file a report on H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking, by midnight tonight.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 11. Page 14978

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOME FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Home Financing Practices and Procedures continued hearings on speculative practices in home financing in center-city areas. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from William E. Moran, president, Population Reference Bureau.

D.C. REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from D.C. government witnesses.

Hearings continue June 9.

FEDERAL AID TO HIGH SCHOOLS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on Federal programs to aid high schools. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met to discuss amendments to section 504 of Public Law 90–575, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. No announcements were made.

PACKAGING AND LABELING PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies concluded hearings on consumer packaging and labeling problems. Testimony was heard from Senator Nelson; Representative Smith of Iowa; and Dr. Ira Somers, director, NCA Research Laboratory.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—FEDERAL ASSISTANCE CONSOLIDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act; and H.R. 10954, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Erlenborn, Roth, Fraser, and Cramer.

Hearings continue June 10.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 471, amended, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (Blue Lake Taos Indians).

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on a determination by the Department of the Interior relative to deferment of the 1969 construction payment due from the San Angelo reclamation project, Texas. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Floyd Dominy, Bureau of Reclamation; J. Lane Mortland, Associate Solicitor for Reclamation and Power; and Maurice N. Langley, Chief, Irrigation and Land Use Operations.

REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on activities of the Students for a Democratic Society. Testimony was heard from a group of Georgetown University students and committee investigators Ray McConnon and Donald T. Appell.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ASSISTANCE TO MEDICAL LIBRARIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11702, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

CONGLOMERATE INVESTIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) met in executive session on conglomerate investigation. No announcements were made.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Frederick R. Kappel, former Chairman of the President's Commission on Postal Organization, accompanied by Murray Comarow, former executive director of the Commission.

Hearings continue June 10.

HIGHWAY MATTERS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on pending highway matters. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Brenner, Acting Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, and Ben Kelley, vice president, Institute for Highway Safety.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue June 9.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from William W. Kaufmann, professor of political science, MIT; Carl Kaysen, director, Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton University; and Malcolm W. Hoag, economics department, RAND Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Monday, June 9, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15073–15173

Bills Introduced: 23 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2337–2359; and S. Con. Res. 30. **Pages 15154–15155, 15174**

President's Communication: President transmitted communication requesting supplemental appropriations of $1,079,469 to pay certain claims and judgments against the United States—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as Senate Document 91–22. **Page 15153**

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting favorable report dated January 23, 1969, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, together with accompanying papers and illustration, on a modification of the Oahe Dam and Reservoir, Missouri River, N. Dak., was received, ordered to be printed as a Senate document, with illustrations (S. Doc. 91–23), and referred to Committee on Public Works. **Page 15174**

Confirmation of Chief Justice: Senate considered and, by vote of 74 yeas to 3 nays, with one Senator answering present, Senate confirmed nomination of Warren E. Burger, of Virginia, to be Chief Justice of the United States. **Pages 15174–15196**

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Thursday, June 12, to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives and such messages may be appropriately referred.

All committees were authorized, during this adjournment, to file reports, with any minority, individual, or supplemental views.

Vice President was authorized to sign duly enrolled bills. **Page 15196**

Legislative Program: Acting majority leader announced that on Thursday, June 12, Senate will consider S. 1708, proposed Federal Lands for Parks and Recreation Act of 1969. At least one record vote is contemplated. The Senate will then go over until Monday, June 16. **Page 15196**

Nomination Rereferred: By unanimous consent Senate took from Executive Calendar and referred to Committee on Finance nomination of Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador, with instructions to that committee to report thereon within 30 days. **Page 15196**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 19 civilian, including those of Donald E. Johnson, of Iowa, to be Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; 15 to be members of the General Advisory Committee of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency as follows—I. W. Abel, of Pennsylvania, Harold Brown, of California, William J. Casey, of New York, Douglas Dillon, of New Jersey, William C. Foster, of the District of Columbia, Kermit Gordon, of the District of Columbia, James R. Killian, Jr., of Massachusetts, John J. McCloy, of New York, Lauris Norstad, of Ohio, Peter G. Peterson, of Illinois, J. P. Ruina, of Massachusetts, Dean Rusk, of the District of Columbia, William W. Scranton, of Pennsylvania, Cyrus Roberts Vance, of New York, and John Archibald Wheeler, of New Jersey; John C. Pritzlaff, Jr., of Arizona, to be Ambassador to Malta; one judicial; and numerous Army. **Page 15208**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 6, subcommittee marked up and ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969.

It was announced that the full committee will meet in executive session on Wednesday, June 11, to consider this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items, as follows:

Senators Muskie and Boggs, and Governor Marvin Mandel, of Maryland, on funds for Federal water pollution control;

Senators Ervin and Jordan, of North Carolina, on funds for various projects in their State;

Senators Allott and Dominick, on funds for Frying Pan, Ark., upper Colorado River Basin, and other Colorado projects;

Senator Mathias, on funds for Bloomington Reservoir, Md. and W. Va.;

Senator Miller, on funds for various Iowa projects;

Representative Culver, on funds for projects in Dubuque and Clinton, Iowa; and

Representative Mayne, on funds for Big Sioux River bank protection, Iowa.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective bureaus from the following Treasury Department officials: Mrs. Dorothy A. Elston, Treasurer of the United States; Donald M. Merritt, Commissioner, Bureau of the Public Debt; Elmer L. Rustad, U.S. Savings Bond Division; James A. Conlon, Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing; and Lester D. Johnson, Commissioner, Bureau of Customs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Appropriations: Defense Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Director of Central Intelligence Richard Helms.

MODEL CITIES PROGRAM

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, June 6, Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings to receive testimony concerning progress of the model cities program from Secretary George W. Romney, and Floyd H. Hyde, Assistant Secretary for Model Cities and Governmental Relations, both of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

BRIEFING BY SECRETARY ROGERS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, June 6, committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State William P. Rogers report on his recent trip to Vietnam and on the meeting of Southeast Asia Treaty Organization and Central Treaty Organization.

NOMINATION—JUDGESHIP

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, June 6, subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of David W. Williams, of California, to be U.S. district judge for the central district of California, with testimony from Representative Bell. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor began hearings in connection with problems of migratory farm laborers, receiving testimony from Morton Silverstein, Don M. Dickson, and Alvin Perlmutter, all of National Education Television, New York City, and Rev. Ralph Bryant, Lutheran Church, Long Island, N.Y., who sat as a panel of witnesses; Rudolfo Juarez, Okeechobee, Fla.; and Mrs. Ed Krueger, of Pharr, Tex., who accompanied migrant farmworker families from Texas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, June 6, Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty concluded hearings on S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, after receiving testimony from Andrew J. Biemiller, director of legislation, AFL–CIO; Ben Neufeld, Maryland Council of Community Action Agencies; and a panel of witnesses composed of Miss Dorothy I. Height, National Council of Negro Women; Mrs. Stuart E. Sinclair, Church Women United; Mrs. Maxwell H. Stokes, National Council of Catholic Women; and Mrs. Donald Brown, National Council of Jewish Women.

It was announced that the subcommittee will hold executive sessions on June 20 and 25 for the purpose of marking up this proposed legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 43 public bills, H.R. 11921–11963; eight private bills, H.R. 11964–11971; and two resolutions, H. Res. 434 and 435, were introduced.

Pages 15071–15072

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes, amended (H. Rept. 91–290); and

H.R. 1453, amended, 1698, amended, 2037, amended, 2209, amended, 3723, amended, 3920, 4105, amended, 4658, amended, 5337, and 9488, amended, all private bills (H. Repts. 91–291 to 91–300, respectively).

Pages 15070–15071

Enrollment Correction: Agreed to S. Con. Res. 29, to correct the enrollment of S.J. Res. 35, thus clearing the resolution. Page 15060

Printing Resolutions Cleared: Cleared the following printing resolutions by concurring to Senate amendments thereto:

H. Con. Res. 162, authorizing the printing of the book, "Our American Government," as a House document; and

H. Con. Res. 192, to reprint brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made." Pages 15060–15061

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

QUITCLAIM RIGHTS OF LAND

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations held a hearing on H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C. Testimony was heard from Representative McMillan, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and one public witness.

MARKETING AGREEMENT—POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations held a hearing on H.R. 11243, to amend section 608(c)(2) of Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended. Excludes from marketing orders potatoes for canning, freezing, or other processing. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edwards of California and Gubser, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and public witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session to discuss the problem of ROTC. Testimony was heard from Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; William K. Brehm, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; and Brig. Gen. Clifford B. Hannum, Director, Army ROTC Programs.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOME FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Home Financing Practices and Procedures continued hearings on speculative practices in home financing in center-city areas. Testimony was heard from FHA and Federal Savings and Loan Association witnesses.

REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 12.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held an executive hearing on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Under Secretary of State Elliot L. Richardson, accompanied by John A. Hannah, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session.

AID OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information began hearings on AID operations. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Nooter, Acting Assistant Administrator for East Asia, AID; Alexander Shakow, Director, Office of Indonesia, Malaysia, and Singapore Affairs, Bureau for East Asia, AID; and Charles H. Breecher, Director, Office of Development Planning Agency, Bureau for East Asia, AID.

Hearings continue Friday, June 13.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands began hearings on S. 713 and H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California; and S. 714 and H.R. 3687, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California. Representative Johnson of California testified on H.R. 850; and Representative Talcott testified on H.R. 3687.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Internal Security: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

RADIOFREQUENCY SPECTRUM ALLOCATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies began hearings on allocation of radiofrequency spectrum and its impact on small business. Testimony was heard from Max Guiberson, president, Land Mobile Communications Council; Martin Firestone, general counsel, All Channel Television Society; and Jules S. Tewlow, director of special projects, American Newspaper Publishers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from Walter P. Reuther, United Automobile, Aerospace & Agricultural Implement Workers of America; Frederic M. Scherer, professor of economics, University of Michigan; and Prof. Albert Shapero, Graduate School of Business, University of Texas.

On Friday, June 6, subcommittee received testimony from Stewart Udall, former Secretary of the Interior; Joseph A. Califano, Jr., former special assistant to President Johnson; and Robert C. Moot, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, June 10, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices held hearings on S. 2214, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act so as to exclude potatoes for all types of processing from marketing orders. Witnesses heard were Floyd F. Hedlund, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Robert M. Frederick, National Grange; Harry L. Graham, National Farmers Organization; Ralph Harding, Dehydrated Foods Industry Council, Blackfoot, Idaho; Raymond D. Jones, Instant Potato Products Association, Minneapolis; Wilbur Edwards, representing Tulelake Potato Growers Association, Tulelake, Calif., and other organizations; Frank J. Runzler and Anthony Giacomini, Pik Nik Co., San Jose, Calif.; Reed Hunter, Lewisville, Idaho; Rolland Jones, Rupert, Idaho; and Bruce D. Nichols, Madras, Oreg., Jefferson County Potato Growers Association and National Farmers Organization.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began, in executive session, hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 12, with further testimony from these witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items, as follows:

Senator Cranston and Representatives Pettis, Johnson of California, Gubser, and Don Clausen, on funds for several California projects;

Representative Anderson of California, on funds for Los Angeles Harbor seawall; and

Senators Pearson, Dole, and Eagleton, on funds for various projects in Missouri and Kansas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY, AND EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from the following witnesses:

James A. Conlon, Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Treasury Department;

Glenn R. Dickerson, Bureau of Customs, Treasury Department;

Jerre S. Williams, Administrative Conference of the United States;

Chief Judge William M. Drennan, Tax Court of the United States;

William G. Colman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations;

Dr. William B. Lockhart, Commission on Obscenity and Pornography;

Phillip S. Hughes, on funds for the Bureau of the Budget and Executive Office of the President;

Nash Castro, on funds for operating expenses, Executive Mansion;

Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; and

Richard M. Moose, National Security Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MARITIME AND COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 4152, authorizing $384.6 million for programs of the Maritime Administration for fiscal year 1970 (amended), and H.R. 4153, authorizing $142.8 million for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1970.

ATTORNEYS' FEES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 1653, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with regard to recovery of a reasonable attorney's fee in case of successful maintenance of an action for recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property, receiving testimony from John H. Frazier, Jr., Rodman Kober, and Don Brouillette, all of the Grain and Feed Dealers National Association; Durward Seals, United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association; Fred Burrows, International Apple Association, Inc.; Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; T. Vernon Hansen, National Federation of Farmer Cooperatives; Hubert L. Bass, American Feed Manufacturers Association; Harry Breithaupt, Jr., Association of American Railroads; Peter T. Beardsley, American Trucking Associations, Inc.; and Charles A. Webb, National Association of Motor Bus Owners.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

Radio Broadcasting Agreements With Mexico (Ex. B, 91st Cong., first sess.);

S. 856, to provide for Federal Government recognition of and participation in international expositions proposed to be held in the United States;

S.J. Res. 90, authorizing $175,000 to defray expenses for holding a diplomatic conference in the United States in 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty; and

The following nominations:

Lane Dwinell, of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development;

Richard Funkhouser, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Gabon Republic;

G. McMurtrie Godley, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Laos;

Thomas J. Houser, of Illinois, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps;

Robert H. McBride, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Mexico; and

J. William Middendorf II, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Also, committee approved an original resolution authorizing the printing as a Senate document of a list of American dead in Vietnam.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor continued hearings in connection with problems of migratory farmworkers, receiving testimony from Frank Pebeahsy, a Comanche Indian from Cache, Okla.; Tomas Villinueva, of Washington State; Elijah Boone, of Pahokee, Fla.; and Newlon Lloyd, of Tampa, Fla.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee began a 3-day series of hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, and what effect tighter governmental and private loan policies and inflation are having on the small businessman. Today's witness was SBA Administrator Hilary Sandoval, Jr.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 59 public bills, H.R. 11972–12030; eight private bills, H.R. 12031–12038; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 769–772, H. Con. Res. 287, and H. Res. 436, were introduced. Pages 15350–15352

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: H. Res. 436, providing for consideration of H.R. 1035, limiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond (H. Rept. 91–301). Page 15350

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 15265

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies of the Select Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 15265

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 15265

NASA Authorization: By a record vote of 330 yeas to 52 nays, the House passed H.R. 11271, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management.

Adopted an amendment that cancels $327 million au-

thorized for fiscal years 1967, 1968, and 1969, for which appropriations have not been made.

Adopted an amendment that authorizes the implanting of the American flag on the surface of the moon as a symbolic gesture of national pride.

Rejected an amendment that sought to reduce by $258 million the authorization for space flight operations.

Rejected an amendment that sought to omit section 7 from the bill (regarding the withholding of funds to persons involved in campus disorders), by a division vote of 15 yeas to 83 nays.

Rejected an amendment that sought to cut by $13.5 million the authorization for the nuclear rocket program.

H. Res. 413, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15265–15313

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HONEY PROMOTION AND RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations began hearings on H.R. 9655, and related bills, Honey Promotion and Research Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Zwach and departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative de la Garza.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DX PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power met in executive session for further review of the DX program.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing resumed hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EMPLOYMENT OF MINORS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 9180, to amend the act entitled "An Act to regulate the employment of minors in the District of Columbia," approved May 29, 1928. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Committee met to consider H.R. 11941, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965; and H.R. 11785, educational media centers for handicapped children, but did not complete action on bills.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from John A. Hannah, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT— GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969; and H.R. 10954, Grant Consolidation Act of 1969. Testifying before the committee today were Hon. Nelson A. Rockefeller, Governor of New York, representing the Governor's Conference; Hon. Ben Barnes, Lieutenant Governor of Texas, representing the National Legislative Conference; and Hon. Calvin L. Rampton, Governor of Utah.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded hearings on S. 713 and H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest in the State of California; and S. 714 and H.R. 3687, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIGARETTE LABELING AND ADVERTISING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Held a hearing on the subject of cigarette labeling and advertising. Testimony was heard from Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, National Association of Broadcasters; Warren Braren, former chief, New York Code Office, and Stockton Helfrich, code director, National Association of Broadcasters Code Authority.

CONSTRUCTION-DIFFERENTIAL SUBSIDIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 265, amended, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, relating to construction-differential subsidies.

Prior to the executive session, the committee held an open hearing on the bill at which testimony was heard from Robert Blackwell, Deputy Maritime Administrator, and Donald E. Frye, Assistant Chief, Office of Ship Construction.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Further testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and his staff.

Hearings continue Thursday, June 12.

D.C. FEDERALLY OWNED PROPERTY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 1035, amended, limiting the use for

demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond, and for other purposes. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fallon and Representatives Gray, Cramer, McCarthy, and Miller of Ohio.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Committee considered, but did not grant, a rule on H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended.

RADIOFREQUENCY SPECTRUM ALLOCATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies continued hearings on allocation of radiofrequency spectrum and its impact on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcomittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from Senator Goldwater; Gordon W. Rule, Director of Procurement Control and Clearance, Naval Material Division, Navy; and Merton Tyrell, Performance Technology Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on the District of Columbia and Subcommittee No. 4 of the House Committee on the District of Columbia began joint hearings on S. 2185 and H.R. 11193, proposed National Capital Transportation Act of 1969, receiving testimony from James M. Beggs, Under Secretary of Transportation; Walter Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia; and Frederick Babson, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, June 11, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported, with amendments, H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items as follows:

Senators Stennis and Russell, on funds for projects in the lower Mississippi Valley;

Representative Alexander, on funds for St. Francis Basin, Arkansas;

Senator Schweiker, and Representative Whalley, on funds for Raytown Reservoir, Pa.;

Representatives Natcher and Snyder, on funds for projects in Kentucky;

Senators Yarborough and Tower, and Representatives White, Pickle, de la Garza, and Cabell, on funds for sundry projects in Texas; and

Senator Montoya, on funds for projects in New Mexico.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIDWAY MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the recent meeting at Midway Island from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

NOMINATION—DOT

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nomination of James A. Washington, Jr., to be General Counsel, Department of Transportation, with testimony from Joseph S. Greco, D.C. Public Service Commission; and Arthur E. Curtis, a D.C. attorney. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

TOY SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children.

TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, S. Res. 78, to establish a Select Committee on Technology and the Human Environment.

MEXICAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings on S. 740, to establish an Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs to assure that Federal programs are available to Spanish-Americans, with testimony from Senators Goldwater, Yarborough, and Montoya.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee resumed hearings on the effects of land and water management policies of the Federal Government on the Everglades National Park, Fla., witnesses heard were Anthony Wayne Smith, National Parks Association; Dr. Elvis Stahr, National Audubon Society; Riley S. Miles, Water Users Association of Florida; Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Gary Soucie, Sierra Club; Ben Thompson, National Recreation and Park Association; Ted Pankowski, Izaak Walton League; Joe Browder, National Audubon Association; and Nat Ratner, West Dade County Improvement Association, Fla.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education began hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, having as its witness Robert H. Finch, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 19.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, and what effect tighter governmental and private loan policies and inflation are having on the small businessman. Testimony was heard from Thomas F. Roeser, Director, and Abraham S. Venable, Deputy Director, both of the Office of Minority Enterprise, Department of Commerce; and Hilary Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, SBA.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from representatives of small business organizations.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 49 public bills, H.R. 12039–12087; six private bills, H.R. 12088–12093; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 773–775, H. Con. Res. 288, and H. Res. 437 and 438, were introduced. **Pages 15465–15466**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 589, expressing the support of Congress, and urging the support of Federal departments and agencies as well as other persons and organizations, both public and private, for the international biological program (H. Rept. 91–302);

H.R. 265, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, relating to construction-differential subsidies, amended (H. Rept. 91–303);

S. 1647, to authorize the release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile, amended (H. Rept. 91–304);

H.R. 11069, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas, amended (H. Rept. 91–305);

H.R. 2785, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the State of Tennessee certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park and certain lands comprising the Gatlinburg spur of the Foothills Parkway (H. Rept. 91–306);

H. Res. 437, providing for the consideration of H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking (H. Rept. 91–307); and

H. Res. 438, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7906, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce (H. Rept. 91–308). **Pages 15464–15465**

Late Reports: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file a report on H.R. 265, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, relating to construction-differential subsidies, by midnight tonight, and the Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. **Page 15410**

D.C. Public Property Use Limitations: By a record vote of 327 yeas to 51 nays, the House passed H.R. 1035, limiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Public Works by a voice vote.

Rejected an amendment to a committee amendment that would give the President discretion to waive the restrictions of the bill.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

Agreed to the amendment of the title.

H. Res. 436, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 15411–15426**

Presidential Message—National Advisory Council on Economic Opportunity: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the Second Annual Report of the National Advisory Council on Economic Opportunity—referred to the

Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 15426

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HONEY PROMOTION AND RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations concluded hearings on H.R. 9655, and related bills, Honey Promotion and Research Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hansen of Idaho, Langen, and Quie and public witnesses.

LEAD RELEASE—C–5A CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1647, to authorize the release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile.

The committee also heard testimony relating to the Air Force contract for C–5A aircraft from the Honorable Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States, and other GAO witnesses.

BRIEFING ON MIDWAY MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Met in afternoon executive session for briefing by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird on his recent visit with the President to Midway.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Further testimony was heard from Hon. John A. Hannah, accompanied by Hon. Herbert Salzman, Assistant Administrator for Private Resources, AID; and Hon. Paul Clark, Assistant Administrator for Program and Policy Coordination, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT, GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969; and H.R. 10954, Grant Consolidation Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert P. Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Hon. Farris Bryant, Chairman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 471, amended, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (reserve Blue Lake area, New Mexico, for Indians of Taos Pueblo).

TRUST TERRITORIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs met in executive session on administration of the Trust Territories of the Pacific Islands.

ASSISTANCE TO MEDICAL LIBRARIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11702, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

MOBILE TRADE FAIRS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 6972, to amend section 212(b) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended (to extend for an additional 1 year, mobile trade fairs). Following the open hearing, the committee met in executive session but deferred action on the bill.

POST OFFICE COST ASCERTAINMENT SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on the evaluation and analysis of the Post Office Department cost ascertainment system. Testimony was heard from Mr. David W. Brumbaugh, executive vice president, Time, Inc.; Dr. Paul Noble, president, Printing Industries of Metropolitan New York; and Mr. Chester L. Guthrie, president, GRC Management Systems Corp., Arlington, Va.

U.S. AND D.C. EMPLOYEES COURT LEAVE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service concluded hearings on H.R. 10247, to amend title 5, United States Code, to grant court leave to employees of the United States and the District of Columbia when called as witnesses in certain judicial proceedings on behalf of State and local governments. Testimony was heard from Mr. Anthony L. Mondello, General Counsel, U.S. Civil Service Commission, and representatives of employee union organizations.

POSTMASTER APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations concluded hearings on legislation pertaining to postmaster appointments. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M.

Blount and members of his staff and representatives of employee organizations.

CALIFORNIA DISASTER ACT

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6508, amended, California Disaster Act of 1969.

INTERSTATE TAXATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate and making H.R. 906, to regulate and prevent burdens upon commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of money earned outside of a State, as an amendment to H.R. 7906, Interstate Taxation Act. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rodino and Representatives MacGregor and Smith of Iowa.

PUBLIC HEALTH CIGARETTE SMOKING ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 3 hours of debate on H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers and Representatives Adams, Satterfield, and Eckhardt.

RADIOFREQUENCY SPECTRUM ALLOCATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies concluded hearings on allocation of radiofrequency spectrum and its impact on small business. Testifying before the committee today were FCC Chairman Rosel H. Hyde and Commissioners Robert T. Bartley, Robert E. Lee, Kenneth A. Cox, James J. Wadsworth, Nicholas Johnson, and R. Rex Lee; and public witnesses.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, Air Force; Barry Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installation and Logistics; and Dean Acheson, former Secretary of State.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on the District of Columbia and Subcommittee No. 4 of the House Committee on the District of Columbia continued joint hearings on S. 2185 and H.R. 11193, proposed National Capital Transportation Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; Carlton R. Sickles, Mrs. Gladys Spellman, and Lee M. Rhoades, all of whom represented the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; Francis J. Aluisi, Chairman, Prince Georges County Commissioners; Dr. Kenneth Haggerty, Arlington County Council; Charles Beatley, mayor of the city of Alexandria; William Shannon, president of the Yuma Street Citizens Association; and O. L. Weir, president, Washington Board of Trade.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Thursday, June 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15516–15670

Bills Introduced: 46 bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2360–2405; S.J. Res. 120–122; S. Con. Res. 31–32; and S. Res. 208–209.

Pages 15524–15526, 15569

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following bill was reported during adjournment on June 11, under prior authorization:

H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–228).

The following measures were reported today:

S. Res. 206, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Effect of Lumber Pricing and Production on the Nation's Housing Goals," with amendments (S. Rept. 91–229);

S. Res. 207, to print as a Senate document 1968 annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission (S. Rept. 91–230);

H.R. 2667, to revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park (S. Rept. 91–231);

S. Con. Res. 12, expressing the sense of the Congress in behalf of active participation in the Ninth International Congress of High-Speed Photography to be held in Denver in August of 1970 (S. Rept. 91–232);

S. Res. 204, requesting an additional $35,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations (no written report);

S. Res. 208, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of a list of American dead in Vietnam (no written report); and

S. Res. 209, authorizing Secretary of Senate, pending enactment of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, to make such transfers between appropriations or funds as may be necessary to provide for payment of Senate salaries for June 1969 (no written report). Page 15524

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15520

Bills Rereferred: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 2241, to authorize Secretary of HEW to make Indian hospital facilities available to non-Indians under certain conditions, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of S. 1298, to modernize practices of the Federal Government relating to inspection of persons, merchandise, and conveyances moving into, through, and out of the United States, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Commerce. Pages 15670, 15708

Veterans: Senate passed, without amendment, and cleared for President, H.R. 4622, to insure preservation of all veterans' disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years. Page 15517

Legislative Fund Transfers: Senate adopted S. Res. 209, authorizing Secretary of Senate, pending enactment of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, to make such transfers between appropriations or funds as may be necessary to provide for payment of Senate salaries for June 1969. Page 15675

Parks and Recreation: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, S. 1708, proposed Federal Lands for Parks and Recreation Act of 1969. This bill was returned to the calendar when Senate on motion took up other legislation. Pages 15675–15680, 15682–15686

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate adopted motion to take up H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969. This action had the effect of displacing and returning to the calendar S. 1708, which Senate had previously been considering. Page 15712

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment until noon Monday, June 16, to receive messages from the President and from the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, during this adjournment, to file reports, with any minority, individual, or supplemental views. Page 15743

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Robert H. McBride, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Mexico; Richard Funkhouser, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Gabon Republic; G. McMurtrie Godley, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Laos; J. William Middendorf II, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands; Lane Dwinell, of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and Thomas J. Houser, of Illinois, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps. Page 15745

Nominations: The following nominations were received during adjournment on June 11, under prior authorization: John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Spurgeon M. Keeny, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; five judicial; and numerous Navy. Pages 15744–15745

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE FUND TRANSFERS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee reported S. Res. 209, authorizing Secretary of the Senate, pending enactment of the second supplemental appropriations bill (H.R. 11400), to transfer funds as may be necessary to provide for payment of Senate salaries for June of 1969.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with further testimony from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Director of Defense Research and Engineering John S. Foster, Jr.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Appalachian Regional Commission.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items as follows:

Representative Taylor, on funds for TVA project in North Carolina;

Senator Sparkman and Representatives Flowers, Jack Edwards, Buchanan, Dickinson, and Bevill, on funds for various projects in Alabama;

Senator Nelson, who testified in connection with the water problem in the Florida Everglades;

Senators Hart and Metcalf, in behalf of projects for their respective States;

Representative Devine, on funds for Alum Creek Reservoir, Ohio; and

Representative Scott, on funds for Salem Church Reservoir, Va.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

The nomination of John N. Nassikas, of New Hampshire, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission;

S. Con. Res. 12, expressing the sense of the Congress in behalf of active participation in the Ninth International Congress on High-Speed Photography to be held in Denver in August of 1970;

H.R. 4152, authorizing $384.6 million for programs of the Maritime Administration for fiscal year 1970 (amended);

H.R. 4153, authorizing $142.8 million for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1970;

S. 2341, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies; and

S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children.

MEXICAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 740, to establish an Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs to help to assure that Federal programs are available to Spanish-Americans, with testimony from Manuel Diaz, commissioner of manpower and career development, New York City; Vicente T. Ximenes, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and Martin G. Castillo, Chairman, Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ANTITRUST—NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly held hearings on S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers, having as its witnesses Bruce B. Brugmann, editor and publisher, San Francisco Bay Guardian; Al Kihn, Mill Valley, Calif.; Henry W. Maier, mayor of Milwaukee; and Michael N. Khourie, San Francisco.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MEDICAL FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health began hearings on S. 2182, proposed Hospital and Medical Facilities Construction and Modernization Amendments of 1969. Witnesses heard were Senator Kennedy; Representative Ottinger; Dr. James E. Peavy, commissioner of health of Texas, and Dr. Robert N. Barr, Minnesota State Department of Health, both of the Association of State and Territorial Health Officers; Dr. Phillip Hampton, American Medical Association; Mrs. Jean McVicker, American Nurses Association; Sherwin L. Memel and Samuel Weems, Federation of American Hospitals, Inc.; and Paul A. Strachan, American Institute for Human Engineering, Inc.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 17.

COMMITTEE FUNDS, PRINTING, AND ZOO POLICE PAY

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

S. Res. 204, requesting an additional $35,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations;

S. Res. 206, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Effect of Lumber Pricing and Production on the Nation's Housing Goals" (amended);

S. Res. 207, to print as a Senate document 1968 annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission; and

H.R. 2667, to revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park.

Also, committee approved a supplemental report by the Architect of the Capitol and the Sergeant of Arms of the Senate on detailed design and costs of the speech-reinforcement system for the Senate Chamber.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, and what effect tighter governmental and private loan policies and inflation are having on the small businessman. Testimony was heard from John J. Holwerda, Chairman, National Advisory Council to SBA, Palo Alto, Calif., accompanied by Wallace M. Haselton, Council member, Augusta, Maine; Thomas H. Burress III, Black Economic Development Small Business Council, Philadelphia; and Douglas S. Dillman, president, Smaller Business Association of New England, Boston.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 17, on SBA procurement policies.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 12094–12127; one private bill, H.R. 12128; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 776–777 and H. Res. 439, were introduced.

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11249, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional funds for such center (H. Rept. 91–309);

H.R. 2690, to amend section 2(3), section 8c(2), and section 8c(6)(1) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, amended (H. Rept. 91–310);

H.R. 2777, to enable potato growers to finance a nationally coordinated research and promotion program to improve their competitive position and expand their markets for potatoes by increasing consumer acceptance of such potatoes and potato products and by improving the quality of potatoes and potato products that are made available to the consumer, amended (H. Rept. 91–311); and

H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C. (H. Rept. 91–312). Page 15778

Flag Day: The House recessed at 12:03 p.m. for presentation of the Flag Day program and reconvened at 12:33 p.m. Pages 15745–15746

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 18. Page 15751

Late Report: Committee on Agriculture received permission to file a report on H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C., by midnight tonight. Page 15755

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

QUITCLAIM RIGHTS OF LAND

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Departmental Operations met in executive session and approved the bill for full committee action.

NATIONAL HOUSING GOALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on national housing goals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from D.C. government witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, June 16.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Nooter, Acting Assistant Administrator for East Asia, AID.

Hearings continue Monday, June 16.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969; and H.R. 10954, Grant Consolidation Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National League of Cities, U.S. Conference of Mayors, and National Association of Counties.

Hearings continue Tuesday, June 17.

AID'S EXCESS PROPERTY UTILIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies concluded hearings on AID's program to utilize excess property. Testimony was heard from AID witnesses.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MINERAL RESOURCES BRIEFING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met for completion of briefing on mineral resources by Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources Hollis M. Dole, accompanied by representatives of the Office of Oil and Gas, the Oil Import Administration, and the Office of Minerals and Solid Fuels.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearing and heard testimony on private claims bills.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Further testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and members of his staff.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

VA HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals met in executive session and approved for full

committee action a subcommittee report on current conditions and recommendations for improvement of VA hospital system.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of the tax surcharge, investment tax credit, and certain excise taxes.

Committee to continue Monday, June 16.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with testimony from Robert P. Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Comptroller General Staats.

Monday, June 16, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15905–15943

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2406–2419; S.J. Res. 123; and S. Res. 210. Pages 15917, 15719

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 90, authorizing $175,000 to defray expenses for holding a diplomatic conference in the United States in 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty (S. Rept. 91–233);

S. 856, to provide for Federal Government recognition of and participation in international expositions proposed to be held in the United States (S. Rept. 91–234); and

S. 1173, authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity (S. Rept. 91–235). Page 15917

President's Message—Air Transportation: President submitted message urging enactment of legislative proposals submitted today by Secretary of Transportation to provide needed improvements in air transportation facilities and to provide for the resources therefor—referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Pages 15907–15808

Calendar Call: On call of calendar five measures were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Zoo police pay: H.R. 2667, to revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park;

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 204, requesting an additional $35,000 for expenses for the Committee on Appropriations;

Printing: S. Res. 207, to print as a Senate document 1968 annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission;

Photography: S. Con. Res. 12, expressing the sense of the Congress in behalf of active participation in the Ninth International Congress on High-Speed Photography to be held in Denver in August of 1970.

Resolution adopted with amendments:

Printing: S. Res. 206, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Effect of Lumber Pricing and Production on the Nation's Housing Goals." Pages 15905–15907

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate considered H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, but did not complete action thereon. The bill remains the Senate's unfinished business.

Pages 15943–15956, 15963–15968

Treaty Reported: Two separate but related agreements between the United States and Mexico, concerning radio broadcasting, signed in Mexico City on December 11, 1968 (Ex. B, 91st Cong., first sess.) were reported (Ex. Rept. No. 91–7). Page 15917

Nominations: Senate received, during its adjournment on June 13 under prior authority, the following nominations: Harold F. Faught, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Postmaster General; Ridgway B. Knight, of New York, to be Ambassador to Portugal; William F. Buckley, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Advisory Commission on Education; Melvin H. Evans, of the Virgin Islands, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, U.S. Army, for reappointment for 1 year as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; one judicial; one Navy; and two Air Force.

The Senate received the following nominations today: Howard A. Glickstein, of New York, to be Staff Director for the Commission on Civil Rights; Will E. Leonard, Jr., of Louisiana, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission; three Army; nine Navy; and numerous Air Force. Pages 15968–15971

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 13, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with further testimony from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Office of Emergency Preparedness.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Director of Defense Research and Engineering John S. Foster, Jr.

On Friday, June 13, subcommittee heard Dr. Foster begin his testimony.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Army officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony on funds for D.C. schools from Dr. William R. Manning, Superintendent of Schools; and Mrs. Anita Allen, Vice President, D.C. Board of Education, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 18.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, having as its witnesses Philip R. Manuel and Perman H. Clay, subcommittee staff investigators.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SAWTOOTH NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 853, to establish Sawtooth National Recreation Area in Idaho, having as its witness Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ANTITRUST—NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, June 13, Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers, receiving testimony from James N. Corbett, Jr., mayor of Tucson, Ariz.; Henry Hogan, publisher, Birmingham (Michigan) Eccentric, representing the National Newspaper Association; Louis Cohn and David Leonard, both of Tucson, Ariz.; William J. Farson, American Newspaper Guild; and Jack Maguire, of Chicago.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 20.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Economic Development, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1072, proposed Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. As approved by the subcommittee the bill would provide: (1) $294 million for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for Appalachian regional development, including extension of Appalachian development highway system, (2) $285 million for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for extension of authority of the five regional commissions, $100 million of which would be for regional development highway system, and (3) extend for 1 year title I of the Public Works and Economic Development Act providing public works grants through the Economic Development Administration.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 12129–12172; seven private bills, H.R. 12173–12179; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 778–781, were introduced.

Pages 15903–15905

Appreciation to House: Read a letter of thanks to the Members of the House of Representatives from former President Harry S. Truman for the resolution of Congress extending best wishes on the occasion of Mr. Truman's 85th birthday. Page 15822

Committee Appointment: The Speaker appointed Representative Brown of Ohio to the Joint Economic Committee. Page 15822

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Pages 15822, 15823

Presidential Message—Air Transportation: Received and read a message from the President wherein he proposes for air transportation a 10-year program costing $5 billion, to be financed largely by increased taxes on airline tickets and general aviation fuel—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 15825–15826

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Immigration and Nationality Act: H.R. 3666, to amend section 336(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 4246 and 4247.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass by voice votes the following bills:

Older Americans: H.R. 11235, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965, amended. Pages 15828–15843

Merchant marine construction-differential subsidies: H.R. 265, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, relating to construction-differential subsidies, amended. Pages 15843–15849

Padre Island National Seashore: H.R. 11069, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas, amended. Pages 15849–15851

Land conveyance: H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C. Page 15851

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

C–5A COST OVERRUN

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on the Air Force contract for C–5A aircraft and consideration of fiscal year 1970 procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert H. Charles, former Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Installations and Logistics.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

On Friday, June 13, the subcommittee also heard testimony from public witnesses.

REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Thursday, June 19.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, June 13, Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 257, to prohibit the intimidation, coercion, or annoyance of a person officiating at or attending a religious service or ceremony in a church in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 1783, amended, to incorporate the Paralyzed Veterans of America;

H.R. 4181, to amend title 12, District of Columbia Code, to provide a limitation of actions for actions arising out of death or injury caused by a defective or unsafe improvement to real property;

H.R. 4183, amended, to provide that the widow of a retired officer or member of the Metropolitan Police Department or the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who married such officer or member after his retirement may qualify for survivor benefits;

H.R. 4184, amended, to equalize the retirement benefits for officers and members of the Metropolitan Police force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who are retired for permanent total disability;

H.R. 6947, amended, to amend the act of October 13, 1964, to regulate the location of chanceries and other business offices of foreign governments in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 9548, to amend section 15–503 of the District of Columbia Code with respect to exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 9549, amended, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Regulate the Practice of Podiatry in the District of Columbia," approved May 23, 1918, as amended;

H.R. 9551, amended, to amend the act of July 11, 1947, to authorize members of the District of Columbia Fire Department, the U.S. Park Police force, and the White House Police force to participate in the Metropolitan Police Department Band;

H.R. 9552, amended, for the incorporation of the Merchant Marine War Veterans' Association; and

H.R. 9553, amended, to amend the District of Columbia Minimum Wage Act to authorize the computation of overtime compensation for hospital employees on the basis of a 14-day work period.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 11941, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from U.S. Commissioner of Education James Allen and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings in executive session on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Joseph A. Mendenhall, Acting Assistant Administrator for Vietnam, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AID OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information concluded hearings on AID operations. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Nooter, Acting Assistant Administrator for East Asia, AID; Frederick Simmons, Director of Southeast Asia Bureau, AID; and Alexander Love, Chief, Philippine Affairs, Bureau of East Asia, AID.

PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation held hearing on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics resumed hearings on the 1970 census questions. Testimony was heard from Hon. Maurice H. Stans, Secretary of Commerce, and Dr. Paul Cherington, Assistant Secretary for Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of income tax surcharge, investment tax credit, and certain excise taxes. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, authorized introduction in the Senate and House, respectively, of original bills (in lieu of S. 1884 and H.R. 10130) authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1970. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize $1,973,282,000 for operating expenses, and $481,002,000 for plant and capital equipment.

On Friday, June 13, committee also held an executive meeting for the consideration of this proposed legislation.

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: On Friday, June 13, Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," having as its witnesses Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States, and A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Mr. Fitzgerald will resume his testimony.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16044–16128

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2420–2428; S.J. Res. 124; and S. Res. 211. **Pages 16050–16051, 16069**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 123, to extend until August 1, 1969, time for filing of report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates (S. Rept. 91–236); and

S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–237). **Page 16050**

President's Message—Federal Pay: President submitted annual comparison of Federal salaries with those paid in private enterprise, with copy of Executive order establishing Federal salary rates to become effective on first pay period beginning on or after July 1, 1969—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **16146**

Senate Personnel Pay: President pro tempore filed order for printing in the Congressional Record report establishing revised rates of pay for officers and employees of the Senate effective July 1, 1969. **Page 16103**

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 782, to make further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969. **Page 16144**

Mortgage Interest Rates: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 123, to extend for 1 additional month, until August 1, 1969, time for filing of report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates. **Page 16152**

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc (except for those to title IV, "Limitation on Fiscal Year 1970 Budget Outlays," and to title V, "General Provisions," on which amendments action was deferred), and the adopted amendments were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and

Rejected: By 16 yeas to 80 nays, modified Williams (Delaware) amendment as a substitute for the committee amendments to title IV of the bill, establishing with certain exemptions limitation on fiscal year 1970 budget outlays.

The bill remains the Senate's unfinished business. **Pages 16128–16130, 16135**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of John N. Nassikas, of New Hampshire, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission, and of Will E. Leonard, Jr., of Louisiana, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission. **Page 16153**

Nominations: Senate received four judicial and six Air Force nominations in the rank of general. **Page 16153**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from George A. Lincoln, Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness; and James D. O'Connell, Director of Telecommunications Management, OEP.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the FTC and Office of Science and Technology.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for their Department from Secretary Stanley R. Resor and Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland, both of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony on funds for the Army.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to mark up S. 1192 and S. 2407, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Thursday, June 19.

NOMINATION, AND MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES REPORT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of James J. Needham, of New York, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, and S.J. Res. 123, to extend until August 1, 1969, time for filing of report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Needham, with testimony from Senators Javits, Jordan of North Carolina, and Goodell, the latter of whom submitted a letter.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee began hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witness Secretary of Transportation John A. Volpe.

Hearings continue tomorrow when FAA Administrator John H. Shaffer will testify.

D.C. CRIME—DRUG ABUSE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on problems of crime in the District of Columbia, with testimony today concerning drug abuse in the Baltimore area from the following Maryland witnesses: George Trubow, director, Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement; Charles Moylan, State's attorney for Baltimore; Donald D. Pomerleau, commissioner of police, Baltimore; Steven V. Sklar, Maryland State legislator; Dr. Albert Kurland, Maryland Department of Mental Hygiene; Paul Wolman, director, Maryland Department of Parole and Probation; and Dr. Richard Katon, assistant medical director of Man Alive program, Baltimore.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

RECOGNITION OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. Res. 205, expressing the sense of the Senate with regard to the recognition by the United States of foreign governments. Testimony was received from Senator Cranston; George H. Aldrich, Assistant Legal Adviser, Department of State; Adrian Fisher, dean, Georgetown Institute of Law; and Dr. Stephen Pan, Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association, New York City.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, with further testimony from Philip R. Manuel and Perman H. Clay, subcommittee staff investigators.

Testimony was also received from Capt. Daniel Myre, Michigan State Police; and Lawrence J. Kinel, Jr., sheriff's office, Jefferson Parish, La.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS—GUAM AND VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on the following two nominations:

Dr. Carlos Garcia Camacho, to be Governor of Guam, with testimony from Senator Fong and Antonio B. Won Pat, Guam's representative in Washington; and

Dr. Melvin H. Evans, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands, with testimony from Ron de Lugo, Virgin Islands representative in Washington, D.C.; John David Merwin, former Governor of the Virgin Islands; Henry Rohlsen, president, St. Croix Republican Club; Randall James, vice president, Virgin Islands Legislature; and Robert Ellison, a Virgin Islands attorney.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider these nominations and other pending business.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1368, to promote health and safety in the construction industries in all Federal and federally assisted construction projects.

Subcommittee also considered pending coal mine

safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Thursday, June 19.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 2182, authorizing funds for construction and modernization of hospital and other medical facilities, with testimony from John G. Veneman, Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Allen Jensen, special assistant, National Governors Conference, accompanied by Dr. Alfred C. Kraft, Department of Public Welfare of Pennsylvania; Dr. Eugene H. Guthrie, Maryland State Department of Health; and Dr. Ian T. Loudon, New York State Department of Health.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 19.

NOMINATION—POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Harold F. Faught, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Postmaster General for the Bureau of Research and Engineering, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

ADVERTISING ON FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings on S. 1442 and S. 561, bills designed to promote programs to control advertising along Federal-aid highways, with testimony from Senator Moss; Henry C. Helland, director, Utah State Highway Department; Dr. Larry Wimmer and S. John Francis, both of Brigham Young University; and Douglas T. Snarr, president, Snarr Outdoor Advertising, Salt Lake City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee held an executive business meeting but made no announcements.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 51 public bills, H.R. 12180–12230; six private bills, H.R. 12231–12236; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 782, H. Con. Res. 289 and 290, and H. Res. 440 and 441, were introduced. **Pages 16196, 16211–16212**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11702, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities, amended (H. Rept. 91–313);

H. Res. 440, providing for the consideration of S. 742, providing for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington (H. Rept. 91–314); and

H.R. 12167, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (H. Rept. 91–315).

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Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 1104 and 1531.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 5337.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 3377, 1808, 3560, 5107, 3373, 2037, 2209, and 4658.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 1999, 5419, 6375, 1462, 1707, 3165, 6389, S. 648, 1438, H.R. 1453, 1698, 3723, 3920, 4105, and 9488.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 5000. **Pages 16153–16157**

Continuing Appropriations: By a voice vote, the House passed H.J. Res. 782, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1969. **Pages 16157–16158**

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight.

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Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act: After completing all general debate on H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking, the first paragraph of the bill was read and open for amendment when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 437, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16158–16195

Presidential Message—International Exhibits: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the Sixth Annual Report on Special International Exhibitions conducted during fiscal year 1968—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. **Page 16195**

Presidential Message—Salary Comparisons: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the annual report of Federal salaries with salaries paid in private enterprise, as provided by section 5302 of title 5, United States Code—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed. **Pages 16195–16196**

Legislative Salary Adjustment: Read the Speaker's directive implementing the salary comparability policy in 1969 for officers and employees of the House of Representatives required by section 212 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967. **Page 16196**

Late Report: Joint Committee on Atomic Energy received permission to file a report on H.R. 12167, to au-

thorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, by midnight tonight.

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Minority Employees: Agreed to H. Res. 441, relating to the positions of certain minority employees in the House of Representatives. Pages 16196–16197

Referral: One Senate-passed measure, S. Con. Res. 12, expressing the sense of the Congress in behalf of active participation in the Ninth International Congress on High-Speed Photography to be held in Denver in August of 1970—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Pages 16210–16211

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit concluded hearing for discussion on pending Farmers Home Administration legislation. Testimony was heard from James V. Smith, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, USDA.

C–5A COST OVERRUN

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on the Air Force contract for C–5A aircraft and consideration of fiscal year 1970 procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from representatives of Lockheed Aircraft Corp.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on H.R. 2, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow at 9 a.m.

RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION TAX EXEMPTION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 concluded hearings on H.R. 2198, to exempt from taxation certain property in the District of Columbia owned by the Reserve Officers Association of the United States. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and Reserve Officers Association witnesses.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued mark-up of H.R. 11941, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Marshall Green, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

Hearings continue Thursday, June 19.

BRIEFING—DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, COSTA RICA, GUATEMALA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs received briefing by Representatives Culver and Morse on their recent study mission to the Dominican Republic, Costa Rica, and Guatemala.

BRIEFING—PORT-OF-SPAIN, TRINIDAD, AND TOBAGO

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs received briefing by the Honorable Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs on the ongoing Inter-American Economic and Social Council (IA–ECOSOC) meeting at Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, and Tobago.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations resumed hearings on Government procurement and contracting with reference to indemnification for catastrophic accidents. Testimony was heard from Prof. Albert Rosenthal, Columbia Law School, and representatives of the Department of Defense, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act; and H.R. 10954, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs. Testimony was heard from Hon. Farris Bryant, Chairman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, and Mr. Al Strozdas, city manager, Springfield, Ohio.

Hearings continue Thursday, June 19.

ACCOUNTS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

FEASIBILITY STUDIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on the following bills:

S. 574, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project (Corn Creek, Front Range, Upper Republican);

H.R. 5170, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior

to engage in a feasibility investigation of the Missouri River Basin project, Longs Peak division, Front Range unit, in Cache La Poudre River and St. Vrain Creek Basins and adjacent areas in the general vicinity of Boulder, Colo.;

H.R. 3701, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resources developments (Corn Creek unit, Wyoming);

H.R. 8830, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in a feasibility investigation for the modification of Buffalo Bill Dam;

H.R. 11378, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resource development proposals (Sioux Falls unit, MRB); and

H.R. 8796, to consent to the upper Niobrara River compact between the States of Wyoming and Nebraska. Testimony was heard from Representatives Reifel, Brotzman, Wyatt and Baring; Senator Hansen; and G. G. Stamm, Assistant Commissioner, Planning and Irrigation. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Evans, Ullman, and Martin.

REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on campus disorders at Georgetown University. Testimony was heard from Rev. Richard T. McSorley, S.J., faculty adviser to students, Georgetown University.

Hearings to continue on June 24.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT—CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session to consider H.R. 10105 and similar bills, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966; and H.R. 7621 and similar bills, Child Protection Act. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee to continue tomorrow.

WATER CARRIER MIXING RULE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session to consider H.R. 8298, H.R. 8376, H.R. 8509, and similar bills, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act regarding water carrier mixing rule.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission; Hon. Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Hon. Roger W. Jones, Assistant Director.

Hearings to continue on June 26.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics concluded hearings on the 1970 census questions. Testimony was heard from the Honorable Richard C. Van Dusen, Under Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Hon. Lewis H. Butler, Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

RECLAMATION PROJECT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on S. 742, to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall and Representatives Saylor and May.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT

Committee on Rules: Did not complete hearing on H.J. Res. 681, direct popular election of the President. Testimony was heard from Chairman Celler.

TAX DECISIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and approved decisions to extend excise taxes for another year on telephones and automobiles; continue the 10-percent income tax surcharge until the end of this year and reduce it to 5 percent from January to June 30 of next year; repeal the investment tax credit; and to provide for low-income allowances.

The committee will meet on Thursday, June 19, to order a bill reported.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee approved for reporting to the Senate and House, respectively, S. 2416 and H.R. 12167, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission.

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its hearings entitled "The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities," with further testimony from A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, Air Force, who testified and answered questions with respect to cost growth data on the C–5A-type cargo aircraft and the SRAM contracts.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16359–16422

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2429–2447; S. Con. Res. 33; and S. Res. 212. Pages 16362–16363

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 632 and 1932, private bills (S. Repts. 91–238 and 91–239);

S.J. Res. 88, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in the bankruptcy laws (S. Rept. 91–240);

S. Con. Res. 17, to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway (S. Rept. 91–241);

H.R. 4600, liberalizing the corporate charter of the National Education Association of the United States (S. Rept. 91–242);

H. Con. Res. 114, providing for commemoration of the 200th anniversary of Dartmouth College (S. Rept. 91–243);

S. 2416, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission (S. Rept. 91–244);

S. Con. Res. 33, S. 152, 1087, 1704, 690, 1128, 1677, H.R. 1437, 1939, 1960, 2005, 5136, 6607, 1632, and 2336, private measures (S. Repts. 91–245 to 91–259);

S. 853, to establish the Sawtooth National Recreation Area in Idaho (S. Rept. 91–260); and

S. Res. 212, requesting an additional $10,000 for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs during 91st Congress (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 16362

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Page 16445

Patent Cooperation Treaty: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 90, authorizing $175,000 to defray expenses for holding a diplomatic conference in the United States in 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty. Pages 16359–16360

International Expositions: S. 856, to provide for Federal Government recognition of and participation in international expositions proposed to be held in the United States was passed without amendment. Pages 16360–16361

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 80 yeas to 9 nays, committee amendment to title IV, "Limitation on Fiscal Year 1970 Budget Outlays," as amended. Prior to adoption of this amendment, Senate took the following action on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 52 yeas to 43 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Pell amendment No. 44 (for himself and others) to include among exemptions to this limitation certain educational assistance programs in the Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1967 (P.L. 90–247); modified Muskie amendment providing that whenever action or inaction by Congress on requests for appropriations and other budgetary proposals varies from President's recommendations, the Budget Director shall report to the President and to Congress his estimate of the effect thereof and the limitation on outlays shall be correspondingly adjusted, and the Budget Director shall report periodically to the President and Congress on the operation of this provision (restoring certain House language that had been stricken by the committee amendment); and Talmadge amendment to include among exemptions to limitations on 1970 budget outlays certain veterans' benefits and services (motion to reconsider tabled); and

Rejected: By 45 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Magnuson amendment to except health programs of Department of HEW from the stated required reservations to be made by President from expenditures in amounts sufficient to insure certain stated reductions in outlays.

By 60 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted the remaining undisposed-of committee amendment which was to title V of the bill (General Provisions), repealing the language of the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968 (P.L. 90–364) providing that only three out of four vacancies in the executive branch may be filled until the June 30, 1966, level of employment has been reached.

Senate also adopted (motion to reconsider tabled) Baker amendment (for himself and others), exempting from title IV of the bill, "Limitations on Fiscal Year 1970 Budget Outlays," expenditures by TVA out of the proceeds from its power operations.

Pending at adjournment was Javits amendment No. 40 (for himself and others) to increase by $47.5 million appropriations for Manpower Development and Training Act until September 30, 1969.

Pages 16421–16422, 16427, 16445–16458, 16465–16466

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of Harold F. Faught, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Postmaster General, and James J. Needham, of New York, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Page 16466

Nominations: Senate received the following four nominations to be Ambassador: John G. Hurd, of Texas, to Venezuela, Joseph Palmer 2d, of Maryland, to Libya, Adolph W. Schmidt, of Pennsylvania, to Canada, and Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to the Re-

public of Chad. One Army nomination in the rank of general was withdrawn. Page 16466

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION—SPACE COUNCIL

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Lt. Col. William A. Anders, of California, to be Executive Secretary of the National Aeronautical and Space Council. Prior to this action, in open hearings, the nominee was introduced to the committee by Senator Murphy.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for their respective D.C. bureaus or agencies from the following witnesses: Dr. William R. Manning, Superintendent of Schools; Paul P. Cooke, president, D.C. Teachers College, and Charles Horsky, Chairman, Board of Higher Education; Dr. Frank Farner, president, Federal City College; Dr. Cleveland L. Dennard, president, Washington Technical Institute; Joseph H. Cole, Director, Recreation Department; Nash Castro, Regional Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Dr. Theodore H. Reed, Director, National Zoological Park; and Stephen Gambaro, Assistant Director of Vocational Rehabilitation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, and Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the CCS and FCC.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony on behalf of funds for their Department from Army witnesses.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration an original bill in lieu of S. 1940 and S. 2390 to extend authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witnesses John H. Shaffer, Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration; J. Donald Reilly, Airport Operators Council International; John Woods, National Business Aircraft Association; and Marvin Lieske, Airtrom Industries, Inc., Seattle.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ATTORNEYS' FEES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 1653, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with regard to recovery of a reasonable attorney's fee in case of successful maintenance of an action for recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Donald E. Johnson, of Iowa, to be Administrator of Veterans' Affairs;

John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury;

K. Martin Worthy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant General Counsel in the Department of the Treasury (Chief Counsel for the Internal Revenue Service); and

William H. Harrison, of Wyoming, and William S. Whitehead, of Virginia, to be members of the Renegotiation Board.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider H.R. 9951, relating to collection of unemployment taxes.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, with further testimony from John E. Drass, Metropolitan Police Department; Philip R. Manuel, subcommittee staff investigator; Sergeant Stanley White, Oakland, Calif., Police Department; and Jean and Larry Powell, both of whom are former Black Panthers.

Hearings will continue on Tuesday, June 24.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

The nominations of Carlos C. Camacho, to be Governor of Guam; and Melvin Evans, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands;

S. 1613, to designate the dam commonly referred to as

the Glen Canyon Dam as the Dwight D. Eisenhower Dam;

S. 1076, to establish a 3-year pilot Youth Conservation Corps program in the Departments of the Interior and Agriculture (amended);

S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality (amended);

S. 38, granting consent of the Congress to the upper Niobrara River compact between Wyoming and Nebraska;

S. 621, to provide for the establishment of the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore in Wisconsin;

H.R. 11069, authorizing funds to satisfy judgment in connection with acquisition of lands for Padre Island National Seashore, Texas;

S. 853, to establish the Sawtooth National Recreation Area in Idaho (amended);

S. 912, to establish Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in Colorado; and

An original resolution (S. Res. 212), requesting an additional $10,000 for committee expenses.

Also, committee agreed to a proposed modification of the Alaska "land freeze" order (P.L.O. 4582), to permit the State of Alaska to select a 7.4-acre tract of land on Cold Bay for a fisheries management administrative site.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

S. 980, to provide U.S. Federal courts with jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the United States;

H. Con. Res. 114, providing for commemoration of the 200th anniversary of Dartmouth College;

S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district court judges in various States (amended);

S. Con. Res. 17, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway;

S.J. Res. 88, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in the bankruptcy laws;

H.R. 4297, extending for 1 year the date for final report of National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws, and authorize additional funds therefor;

H.R. 4600, liberalizing the corporate charter of the National Education Association of the United States;

S. 2173, relating to prescribing penalties for acts of violence or intimidation in the case of Indian tribes;

Sixteen private immigration bills: An original Senate concurrent resolution, suspension of deportation under section 244(a)(2) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (23 cases), S. 152, S. 690, S. 1087, S. 1128, S. 1677, S. 1704, H.R. 1437, H.R. 1632, H.R. 1939, H.R. 1960, H.R. 2005, H.R. 2336, H.R. 5136, H.R. 6607; and

Two private claims bills (S. 632 and S. 1932).

The nominations of—

Lincoln C. Almond, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Rhode Island;

Doroteo R. Baca, to be U.S. marshal for the district of New Mexico;

John L. Bowers, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Tennessee;

Royal K. Buttars, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Utah;

David J. Cannon, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Wisconsin;

Anthony J. P. Farris, to be U.S. attorney for the southern district of Texas;

Christian Hansen, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the district of Vermont;

J. Pat Madrid, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Arizona;

John C. Meiszner, to be U.S. marshal for the northern district of Illinois;

Edward J. Michaels, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Delaware;

Otis L. Packwood, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Montana;

Charles E. Robinson, to be U.S. marshal for the western district of Washington;

Gaetano A. Russo, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the district of Connecticut;

Dean C. Smith, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Washington;

George L. Tennyson, to be U.S. marshal for the district of South Dakota;

Thomas F. Turley, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the western district of Tennessee;

Seagal V. Wheatley, to be U.S. attorney for the western district of Texas;

George Harrold Carswell, to be U.S. circuit judge for the fifth circuit;

Donald E. Lane, to be associate judge, U.S. Court of Customs and Patent Appeals; and

David W. Williams, to be U.S. District Judge for the Central District of California.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 41 private immigration bills (S. 48, S. 191, S. 394, S. 646, S. 831, S. 1017, S. 1041, S. 1042, S. 1118, S. 1271, S. 1397, S. 1643, S. 1737, S. 1738, S. 1792, H.R. 5072, S. 168, S. 240, S. 270, S. 391, S. 392, S. 393, S. 453, S. 548, S. 616, S. 657, S. 659, S. 827, S. 905, S. 1038, S. 1040, S. 1158, S. 1408, S. 1839, S. 2084, S. 2086, S. 2100, S. 2194, S. 2195, S. 2196, S. 2198).

FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, and S. 1808, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act to

children employed in agriculture. Witnesses heard were Rev. Shirley S. Greene, National Council of Churches; Harry Graham, National Farmers Organization; and Marvin Braiterman, Commission on Social Action, American Hebrew Congregations.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ADVERTISING ON FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on S. 1442 and S. 561, bills designed to promote programs to control advertising along Federal-aid highways, with testimony from Senator Hansen; Douglas T. Snarr, Snarr Outdoor Advertising, Salt Lake City; Charles Cram, Kimball-Cram Sign Co., Salt Lake City; Grant Wilkins, Mountain States Advertising, Inc., Englewood, Colo.; J. B. Martin, United Advertising, Inc., Boulder, Colo.; and Paul Spooner, Jr., Roadside Business Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 24, when officials of the Department of Transportation will testify.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 12237–12286; three private bills, H.R. 12287–12289; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 783–786, H. Con. Res. 291, and H. Res. 442, were introduced. Pages 16357–16358

Lead Release: Pursuant to a unanimous consent request, the House passed by a voice vote S. 1647, to authorize the release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile (amended and returned to the Senate).

Pages 16273–16274

Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, June 19. Page 16274

Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking.

By a record vote of 138 yeas to 252 nays, and three "present," a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was rejected.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

By a teller vote of 87 yeas to 114 nays, rejected an amendment to a committee amendment that would cause the regulations which affect the advertising provisions in the bill to expire on July 1, 1972, in lieu of July 1, 1975;

Rejected an amendment that would call for the Surgeon General's warning regarding health hazards involved in cigarette smoking, to be used in all forms of advertising cigarettes;

Rejected, by a division vote of 35 yeas to 59 nays, an amendment that would prohibit cigarette advertising on any program designed to be viewed or heard by anyone under the age of 18;

Rejected, by a division vote of 42 yeas to 70 nays, an amendment that would cause the Surgeon General's warning regarding cigarette smoking to be placed on both the front and back of the cigarette package; rejected an amendment to this amendment that would call for the warning to be placed on one side of the package;

By a division vote of 37 yeas to 76 nays, rejected an amendment that would cause the average tar and nicotine content per cigarette to be printed on each package of cigarettes;

Rejected an amendment designed to prohibit the FCC from banning any cigarette advertising, but under existing authority, may regulate cigarette advertising;

Rejected, by a division vote of 37 yeas to 59 nays, an amendment that would permit the Surgeon General's health warning to be included in cigarette advertising;

By a division vote of 44 yeas to 79 nays, rejected an amendment that would assure States that prohibit sales of cigarettes to minors would be able to control cigarette advertising within the State by including within the advertising the language that cigarettes are not to be sold to minors; and

Rejected an amendment that would cause the Secretary of Agriculture to file a report to Congress relating to the financial assistance provided by the United States to the tobacco industry. Pages 16274–16301

Communication Rereferred: By unanimous consent, Executive Communication 863, relating to the future of air transportation, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, was rereferred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 16301

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, June 19. Page 16301

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FLUID MILK UTILIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7996, to permanently extend the class I dairymen's base plan and authorize use of different base periods for allocating fluid milk utilization among farmers.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on H.R. 2, the Federal Credit Union Act, so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the su-

pervision of federally chartered credit unions. Testimony was heard from credit union officials.

Committee to consider the bill in executive session tomorrow.

BRIEFING—THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for briefing by Hon. Leonard Unger, U.S. Ambassador to Thailand.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting with reference to indemnification for catastrophic accidents. Testimony was heard from representatives of National Security Industrial Association, Electronic Industries Association, American Insurance Association, and American Mutual Insurance Alliance; and General Accounting Office.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT—CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session to continue consideration of H.R. 10105 and similar bills, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966; and H.R. 7621 and similar bills, Child Protection Act. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee to continue tomorrow.

COMMUNICATIONS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held hearings on H.R. 4212, S. 1242, and related bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

U.S. FISHING FLEET IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation began hearings on H.R. 2359, to extend the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act and to increase the annual authorization for such act; and H.R. 4813, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended. Testimony was heard from Harold E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIME BRIEFINGS

Select Committee on Crime in United States: On Tuesday, June 17, committee began a series of briefings with testimony from Mr. Henry S. Ruth, Director, National Institute of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice, Enforcement Assistance Administration, Department of Justice.

Committee to continue briefings tomorrow.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16519–16576

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2448–2460; S.J. Res. 125; and S. Res. 213.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 11069, authorization of appropriations for Padre Island National Seashore (S. Rept. 91–261);

S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district court judges in various States, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–262);

S. 912, to establish Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in Colorado, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–263); and

S. Res. 213, to provide an additional $20,000 for expenses of Committee on Armed Services during 91st Congress (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 16526

Bill Referred: H.R. 6543, to extend public health protection with respect to cigarette smoking, was referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 16520

Calendar Call: On call of calendar five measures were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

National Education Association: H.R. 4600, liberalizing the corporate charter of the National Education Association of the United States.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Tariff—dependent children: H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on

crude chicory roots (committee amendment that was adopted that would repeal freeze on aid to families with dependent children). Senate later, after reconsideration, again passed the bill (motion to reconsider tabled), following adoption of a Harris amendment to add language respecting certain repatriation costs. Senate then insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long, Anderson, Gore, Harris, Williams (Delaware), Bennett, and Curtis.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Alien scientists: S. 1173, authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity; and

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

St. Lawrence Seaway: S. Con. Res. 17, to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway; and

Dartmouth College: H. Con. Res. 114, providing for commemoration of the 200th anniversary of Dartmouth College. Pages 16520–16523, 16603–16604

Second Supplemental Appropriations: By 87 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, after taking the following additional actions on motions and amendments thereto:

Adopted: Spong amendment No. 47 to increase by $360,000 funds for "Higher Educational Activities," which shall be considered as interest earned on a sum authorized to be appropriated in the D.C. Public Education Act for Federal City College and Washington Technical Institute; Byrd (West Virginia) amendment of a technical nature to the Muskie amendment adopted yesterday; and, by 89 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment No. 40 (for himself and others) to increase funds for the Neighborhood Youth Corps summer program under the Manpower Training and Development Act, as amended by adoption, by 73 yeas to 18 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), of Byrd (West Virginia) amendment thereto. As amended by Byrd amendment the increase in these funds total $2.5 million whereas the Javits amendment before it was amended would have increased the funds by $47.5 million.

The adoption of the Byrd amendment to the Javits amendment came after Senate took final action rejecting Javits motion to table the Byrd amendment. Prior to this, Senate had first voted, by 46 yeas to 44 nays, in favor of the Javits motion to table the Byrd amendment but reversed itself after later adopting, by 52 yeas to 40 nays, Allen motion to reconsider its vote by which it had adopted Javits motion to table the Byrd amendment.

Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd (West Virginia), Russell, Pastore, Holland, Ellender, Mundt, Young (North Dakota), and Smith. Pages 16576–16581, 16587–16600

Foreign Commitments: Senate began consideration of S. Res. 85, stating sense of Senate that a national commitment to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality. Pages 16600, 16615–16627

Treaty Ratified: By unanimous vote of 89 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification on Broadcast Agreements Between United States and Mexico, signed in Mexico City on December 11, 1968 (Ex. B, 91st Cong., first sess.). Pages 6581–16587, 16599–16600

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Eight civilian, including those of Carlos Garcia Camacho, of Guam, to be Governor of Guam; Melvin H. Evans, of the Virgin Islands, to be Governor of the Virgin Islands; John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Donald E. Johnson, of Iowa, to be Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; and William Henry Harrison, of Wyoming, and William S. Whitehead, of Virginia, both to be members of the Renegotiation Board; and 20 judicial. Pages 16628–16629

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Lewis M. Branscomb, of Colorado, to be Director of the National Bureau of Standards; and eight judicial nominations. Page 16628

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM, AND GREAT PLAINS CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, tentatively agreed to extend authorizations for the food stamp program through fiscal year 1972. Committee also tentatively agreed to report an original joint resolution increasing from $340 million to $750 million funds for this program for fiscal year 1970. Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider further this proposed legislation.

Also, committee approved for reporting, with amendments, S. 1790, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program for 10 years beginning in 1972.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the FPC and Selective Service System.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witness Maj. Gen. Henry A. Miley, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff (Logistics), Army, whose testimony related to proposed funds for procurement of equipment and missiles.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Army research and development.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for the Department of Public Health from its Director, Dr. Murray Grant.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of Public Welfare.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of J. Ronald Fox, of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations and Logistics); Spencer J. Schedler, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Financial Management); Haakon Lindjord, of Washington, to be Assistant Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness; and 5,958 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

The committee also approved an original resolution (S. Res. 213) requesting an additional $20,000 for committee expenses.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. Fox, Schedler, and Lindjord, who was introduced by Senator Jackson, were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witnesses John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman Civil Aeronautics Board; Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association of America; William T. Piper, Jr., chairman, Aviation Progress Committee, Washington, D.C.; and Karl G. Harr, Jr., president, Aerospace Industries Association, who submitted a statement.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 24.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN THE D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on S. 2336, relating to the parishes and congregations of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Oliver Gasch, chancellor, and James F. Bell, assistant chancellor, both of the diocese of the Washington Episcopal Church; and John Adams, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

UNEMPLOYMENT TAXES

Committee on Finance: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 9951, providing for collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year, and agreed to meet again on Tuesday, June 24, to vote on the bill and proposed amendments thereto.

FOREIGN POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on psychological aspects of foreign policy, having as its witness Dr. Karl Menninger, of the Menninger Foundation, Topeka, Kans.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, June 25.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, having as its witnesses Senator Spong; George D. Fischer, president, and Stanley J. McFarland, assistant secretary, both of the National Education Association; and Boardman Moore, president, and Thomas A. Dalton, both of the National School Boards Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on S. 2182, authorizing funds for construction and modernization of hospital and other medical facilities, with testimony from Senator Percy; Andrew J. Biemiller, Department of Legislation, AFL–CIO; Dr. Martin R. Steinberg, American Hospital Association; James Brindle, Group Health Association of America, Inc.; Fred J. Hughes, Association of American Medical Colleges, who was accompanied by his associates; and John K. Pickens, American Nursing Home Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OLDER AMERICANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Aging held hearings on S. 268, S. 2120, and H.R. 11235, proposed Older Americans Act Amendments of 1969, having as its witnesses John B. Martin, Commissioner, Administration on Aging; William C.

Fitch, National Council on the Aging, Inc.; Peter W. Hughes, American Association of Retired Persons-National Retired Teachers Association; William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens, Inc.; Robert B. Robinson, National Association of State Units on Aging; and Janet Sainer, Community Service Society of New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

S. 1685, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969 (amended);

S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act;

An original bill dealing with development of hydroelectric power at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin;

The nominations of Maj. Gen. Andrew P. Rollings, Jr., to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission, and Col. Charles R. Roberts, to be a member of the California Debris Commission; and

Two public building prospectuses, (1) proposal of the Internal Revenue Service for lease of building in Philadelphia, and (2) proposed alteration of post office and courthouse in Butte, Mont.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Edward D. Martin, Student American Medical Association; Richard Pohl, Harvard University Medical School; Charles Payton, University of California Medical School, San Francisco; and Henry Brodkin, Case-Western Reserve University Medical School, Cleveland.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 12290–12304 and 12307; two private bills, H.R. 12305 and 12306; and eight resolutions, H. Con. Res. 292 and H. Res. 443–449, were introduced. Page 16673

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12307, Independent Offices-Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–316);

H. Res. 446, providing for consideration of H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act (H. Rept. 91–317);

H. Res. 447, providing for consideration of H.R. 11249, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional funds for such center (H. Rept. 91–318);

H. Res. 448, providing for consideration of H.R. 12167, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission (H. Rept. 91–319); and

H. Res. 449, waiving points of order against NASA appropriations, Appalachia appropriations, and the NSF appropriations in H.R. 12307, Independent Offices-Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–320). Page 16673

Communication—Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Received and read a communication from the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct containing their conclusions and recommendations regarding irregularities in rollcalls taken on September 9, 10, and 16, 1968—referred to the Committee on House Administration. Page 16629

Late Reports: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report on the Independent Offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970, by midnight tonight. Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file a report on H.R. 12290, relating to Surcharge Extension and Investment Credit Repeal Act, by midnight Friday, June 20. Page 16630

Continuing Appropriations: By unanimous consent, it was made in order to consider, one day next week, a joint resolution making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Page 16630–16631

Yakima Reclamation Project: By a voice vote, the House passed S. 742, to amend the act of June 12, 1948 (62 Stat. 382), in order to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington.

Agreed to the committee amendment.

H. Res. 440, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Page 16631–16635

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 25. Page 16636

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 16636

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 16672

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the inde-

pendent offices and housing and urban development appropriation bill for fiscal year 1970.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee began executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from the Honorable Barry J. Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 2, the Federal Credit Union Act, so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions.

PRIME RATE INCREASE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on the prime rate increase. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on D.C. revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Robert S. Smith, Acting Assistant Administrator for African Affairs, AID.

Hearings continue Monday, June 23.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from William W. Thibony, colonel, U.S. Army, retired, formerly chairman ASPR Committee, and representatives of Electronic Industries Association.

Hearings continue Tuesday, June 24.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Continued hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969; and H.R. 10954, Grant Consolidation Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Comptroller General of the United States Elmer B. Staats and J. B. Lancaster, State auditor of Louisiana, representing the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers, and Treasurers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INDIAN CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on H.R. 4872, to provide for the apportionment of funds in payment of a judgment in favor of the Shoshone Tribe in consolidated dockets numbered 326–D, 326–E, 326–F, 326–G, 326–H, 366, and 367 before the Indian Claims Commission; and H.R. 5957, to provide for the disposition of the judgment in favor of the Shoshone Tribe and others in Indian Claims Commission dockets numbered as above.

WATER CARRIER MIXING RULE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8298, amended, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act regarding water carrier mixing rule.

NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT—NATIONAL COMMISSION ON PRODUCT SAFETY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10105, amended, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; and H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks.

COMMUNICATIONS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.R. 4212, H.R. 7737, and S. 1242, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearing and heard testimony on private claims bills.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 resumed hearings on H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Repre-

sentatives Conyers, Ryan, and Thompson of Georgia; Hon. A. F. Summer, attorney general, Mississippi; Tom Harris, associate general counsel, AFL–CIO; and a statement on behalf of Walter P. Reuther was presented by William H. Oliver, codirector, Fair Practices and Anti-Discrimination Department, UAW.

U.S. FISHING FLEET IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 2359, to extend the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act and to increase the annual authorization for such act; and H.R. 4813, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended.

Prior to the open hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session for briefing on the recently entered-into fishery agreement between the United States and Poland relative to the mid-Atlantic area.

Hearings were adjourned subject to the call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 12167, to authorize appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Representatives Holifield, Hosmer, and Price of Illinois.

APPROPRIATIONS—STANDARD REFERENCE DATA ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4284, authorizing appropriations for the Standard Reference Data Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Daddario and Mosher.

JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FUNDS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center. Testimony was heard from Representative Gray.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving points of order against NASA appropriation, Appalachia appropriation, and the National Science Foundation appropriation in H.R. 12307, Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development Appropriation Act, 1970. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Jonas, and Evins of Tennessee.

CRIME BRIEFINGS

Select Committee on Crime: Met in executive session for continuation of briefings on crime in the United States. Testimony was heard from Patrick V. Murphy, director, Public Order and Safety Studies, the Urban Institute, and Gerald M. Kaplan, senior staff member, the Urban Institute.

SURCHARGE CONTINUATION AND INVESTMENT CREDIT REPEAL ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12290, Surcharge Continuation and Investment Credit Repeal Act.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16711–16745

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2461–2463; and S.J. Res. 126.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 126, increasing from $340 million to $750 million funds for food stamp program for fiscal year 1970 (S. Rept. 91–264);

S. 38, granting consent of the Congress to the upper Niobrara River compact between Wyoming and Nebraska (S. Rept. 91–265);

H.R. 4297, extending for 1 year the date for final report of National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws, and authorizing additional funds therefor, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–266);

S. 2341, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies (S. Rept. 91–267). Page 16715

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 265, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies, was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 16715

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 17 bills, of which 16 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Six private bills, H.R. 1437, 1939, 1960, 2005, 5136, and 6607.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 1632 and 2336.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Bankruptcy laws: S.J. Res. 88, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in the bankruptcy laws; and

Private measures: Five private measures, S. 632, S. Con. Res. 33, S. 152, 1087, and 1704.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Three private bills, S. 690, 1128, and 1677.

Pages 16716–16720

Florissant Fossil Beds: S. 912, to establish Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in Colorado, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 16720–16723

Foreign Commitments: Senate continued to debate S. Res. 85, stating sense of Senate that a national commitment to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality. Pages 16745–16783

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Spencer J. Schedler, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; J. Ronald Fox, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; Haakon Lindjord, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; one judicial; and numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. Page 16783

Nomination: Nomination of John A. Calhoun, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia, was received. Page 16783

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee met in executive session to continue consideration of pending food stamp legislation, but did not complete action thereon and recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for Army research and development from Charles L. Poor, Deputy Assistant Secretary (R. & D.), and Lt. Gen. A. W. Betts, Chief of Research and Development, both of the Department of the Army.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 24, when Secretary of the Navy Chafee will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony on funds for the D.C. welfare program from Miss Winifred G. Thompson, Director, and Albert P. Russo, Deputy Director, Family and Children Services, both of the D.C. Department of Public Welfare; and Fred Taylor, For Love of Children (FLOC).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission; and Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 26, on funds for the Renegotiation Board and SEC.

FOREIGN POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on psychological aspects of foreign policy, having as its witness Dr. Margaret Mead, curator of ethnology, Museum of Natural History of New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following two bills:

S. 556, to provide for the apportionment of funds in payment of a judgment in favor of the Shoshone Tribe, with testimony from Senator McGee; Orme Lewis, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; Robert Harris, chairman, Shoshone Business Council, Wind River Reservation; and Marvin Sonosky, Reed Bowen, and John Boyden, all of whom are Indian attorneys; and

S. 1107, to grant to the Hopi Tribal Council powers necessary for the development of the Hopi Industrial Park, with testimony from Clarence Hamilton, chairman, and Logan Koopee, vice chairman, both of the Hopi Tribal Council; and John Boyden.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ANTITRUST—NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers, receiving testimony from Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice; John J. Pilch, International Typographical Union, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Morris Levin, D.C. attorney; and Thomas E. Harris, Assistant General Counsel, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, having as its witnesses Carl J. Megel, director of legislation, and David Selden, president, both of American Federation of Teachers; Mrs. Richard Miller, League of Women Voters; Rev. Rims Barber and Jake Ayers, Sr., both of Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party; and Mrs. Barbara D. McGarry, American Parents Committee.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 24.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, and what effect tighter governmental and private loan policies and inflation are having on the small businessman. Testimony was heard from George Bullen, National Federation of Independent Business; Walter Stults, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies; and Berkeley Burrell, National Business League.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 25, on SBA procurement policies.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, June 23.

PRIME RATE INCREASE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the prime rate increase. Testimony was heard from Senator Javits; Alfred Brittain, president, Bankers Trust; George Moore, chairman of board, First National City Bank of New York; and Robert A. Wallace, vice chairman of board, Exchange National Bank of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN AFFAIRS—CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing and approved for full committee action, H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in the judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians. The committee also held a hearing on H.R. 4869, to further the economic advancement and general welfare of the Hopi Indian Tribe of the State of Arizona. Testimony was heard from Representative Sisk on H.R. 671, and from Representative Steiger of Arizona on H.R. 4869.

D.C. REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Concluded hearings on D.C. revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 6750 and related bills, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from Russell E. Train, Under Secretary of the Interior, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, June 23.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Edward J. Driscoll, president, National Air Carrier Association; Lonnie Johnson, president, Mail Handlers Division, Laborers' International Union; and James LaPenta, director, Federal and Public Service Employees Division.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16803–16839

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2464–2467; and S. Res. 214. **Page 16823**

Judges: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 952, authorizing appointment of additional district court judges in various States. **Pages 16803–16811**

Foreign Commitments: Senate continued its debate of S. Res. 85, stating sense of Senate that a national commitment to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality. **Pages 16839–16848**

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 214, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Bates. **Pages 16823, 16858**

Confirmations: Two nominations to civilian positions were confirmed. **Page 16858**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Albert Bushong Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; William David McElroy, of Maryland, to be Director of the National Science Foundation; Luther I. Replogle, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Iceland; Kenneth Rush, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany; J. Fife Symington, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Trinidad and Tobago; Samuel Z. Westerfield, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Am-

bassador to Liberia; three judicial (including one to a D.C. court); and two Navy. Page 16858

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration, H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.

It was announced that the full committee will meet in executive session on Wednesday, June 25, to consider this bill.

ABM SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to hear Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Director of Central Intelligence Richard M. Helms testify in connection with intelligence and the antiballistic missile system.

EMPLOYEE-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on S. 2460, to provide for improved employee-management relations in the Federal service, with testimony from John F. Griner, president, American Federation of Government Employees, who was accompanied by associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 12308–12336; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 787–789 and H. Res. 450 and 451, were introduced. Pages 16800, 16801–16802

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12290, relating to surcharge extension and investment credit repeal (H. Rept. 91–321, filed on Friday, June 20); and

H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of California for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, landslides, and high waters, amended (H. Rept. 91–322). Page 16801

Condolence Resolution: The House, upon receiving notification of the death of Representative William H. Bates of the Sixth Congressional District of Massachusetts, adopted H. Res. 450, expressing the sympathy of the House. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed 57 Members as a funeral committee. Page 16800

Referrals: 11 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 16795

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Departments of the Army and Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIME RATE INCREASE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the prime rate increase. Testimony was heard from David Rockefeller, president, Chase Manhattan Bank; and representatives of AFL–CIO, U.S. Savings and Loan League, National Association of Mutual Savings Banks, and National Association of Home Builders.

On Saturday, June 21, the committee heard testimony from Senator Proxmire; Governor Mandel of Maryland; and Richard McLaren, Assistant Attorney General for Antitrust.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Gen. A. J. Goodpaster, USA, Commander in Chief, U.S. European Command.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PACIFIC TRUST TERRITORY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session with Secretary of Interior Hickel to discuss the Department's activities in connection with the Trust Territory of the Pacific and progress being made in developing legislation.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearing and approved for full committee action H.R. 11609, amended, to amend the act of September 9, 1963, authorizing the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park in the State of North Carolina.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 6750 and related bills, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Qual-

ity. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 26.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

RUSSIAN MILITARY CHALLENGE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began hearings to receive testimony on "The Economic Basis of the Russian Military Challenge to the United States." Witnesses heard were Merle Fainsod, professor of political science, Harvard University; Alex Inkeles, professor of sociology, Harvard University; and Thomas W. Wolfe, senior staff member, the RAND Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, June 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16905, 16964–17006

Bills Introduced: 12 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2468–2479. Pages 16965–16966

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 980, to provide U.S. Federal courts with jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the United States, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–268);

S. 1790, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program for 10 years beginning in 1972, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–269);

S. 1076, to establish a 3-year pilot Youth Conservation Corps program in the Departments of the Interior and Agriculture, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–270);

H.R. 4153, authorizing $142.8 million for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1970, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–271);

H.R. 4152, authorizing $384.6 million for programs of the Maritime Administration for fiscal year 1970, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–272); and

S. 1613, to designate the dam commonly referred to as the Glen Canyon Dam as the Dwight D. Eisenhower Dam (S. Rept. 91–273). Page 16965

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 790, making certain continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 on an interim basis, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 16965

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of S. 2306, to establish an international quarantine station for breeding animals imported from other countries, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 16965

Smithsonian Institution: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 11, to provide for the appointment of Robert Strange McNamara as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Page 16921

Niobrara River Compact: S. 38, granting consent of the Congress to the upper Niobrara River compact between Wyoming and Nebraska was passed without amendment. Page 16921

Criminal Law Reform: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 4297, extending for 1 year the date for final report of National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws, and authorizing additional funds therefor. Pages 16922–16923

Food Stamps: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S.J. Res. 126, increasing from $340 million to $750 million authorized funds for food stamp program for fiscal year 1970. Pages 16903, 16905–16920, 16923–16926

Foreign Commitments: Senate continued its debate of S. Res. 85, stating sense of Senate that a national commitment to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality. Pages 17006–17011

Confirmation: By 61 yeas to 28 nays, Senate confirmed nomination of Otto F. Otepka, of Maryland, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board, after having first rejected by 35 yeas to 56 nays, Young (Ohio) motion to recommit the nomination to the Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 16926–16964, 17013

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Luther Holcomb, of Texas, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Orville H. Lerch, of Pennsylvania, to be Alternate Federal Co-chairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission; and three judicial (including two to a D.C. court). Page 17013

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered

favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill, H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautical and Space Administration. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize $3,715,527,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY, POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and related independent agencies.

The full committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this bill and H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed executive consideration of S. 2407, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 122, providing temporary extension (60 days) of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949.

Also, committee continued consideration of a committee print extending authority to regulate exports under the Export Control Act but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Monday, July 14. Committee announced that it will hold additional hearings on Thursday, July 10, on section of this proposed legislation relating to cargo preferences.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee resumed hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witnesses John H. Reed, Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board, Department of Transportation; Capt. Joseph Meek, Delta Airlines, representing the Airline Pilots Association; and Francis M. McDermott, a transportation consultant, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ICC PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee began hearings to review with the Interstate Commerce Commission major policy matters that fall within its jurisdiction. Testimony was received from the following ICC officials: Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, George M. Stafford, Vice Chairman; and Commissioners Rupert L. Murphy, Paul J. Tierney, Donald L. Jackson, Laurence K. Walrath, John W. Bush, Wallace R. Burke, Kenneth H. Tuggle, Willard Deason, and Dale W. Hardin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNEMPLOYMENT TAX COLLECTIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported (with modified Williams amendment) H.R. 9951, providing for collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs began a series of hearings to study the full scope of U.S. Military Activities in Latin America, having as its witnesses Ralph Dungan, former Ambassador to Chile; Prof. George C. Lodge, Harvard Business School, and former Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Affairs; David Bronheim, former Deputy U.S. Coordinator of the Alliance for Progress; and Benjamin Stephansky, former Ambassador to Bolivia.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 8.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, with testimony from Benjamin Lashkoff, San Francisco Police Department; and Russell Meltzer and Justin Dyer, both of the Los Angeles Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PARKS, AND PARK POLICE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on the following bills:

S. 89 and H.R. 2785, authorizing conveyance to Tennessee of certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park, with testimony from Senator Gore; and George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and

S. 1686, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police, with testimony from George B. Hartzog, Jr.; and William Jack Finzell, Legislative Representative, U.S. Park Police.

Subcommittee approved these proposals for full committee consideration.

CRIMINAL COURT DEFENSE AID

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights began hearings on S. 1461, to provide adequate representation of defendants who are financially unable to obtain defense in criminal cases in U.S. courts. Testimony was received from Harvey M. Johnsen, senior circuit judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the 8th Circuit, who was accompanied by William E. Foley, Deputy Director, Administrative Office of the U.S.

Courts; Donald E. Santarelli, Associate Deputy Attorney General for Administration of Criminal Justice; Prof. Dallin Oaks, University of Chicago Law School; Mrs. Barbara Allen Bowman, Legal Aid Agency for the District of Columbia; and Terence F. MacCarthy, Federal Defender Program, Inc., Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM REFUGEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees held hearings to receive testimony on refugees, civilian casualties, and social welfare problems in Vietnam, having as its witnesses Dr. John Hannah, Director, Agency for International Development; and Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, with testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. Willis E. Dugan, Frank Morin, and William Erpenbach, who represented the American Personnel and Guidance Association; Dr. Don Dafoe, of the District of Columbia, and Dr. James Sensenbaugh, of Maryland, who represented the Council of Chief State School Officials; and Warren S. Richardson, Liberty Lobby.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' TRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on S. 338, to broaden the scope of the present flight-training provisions of the so-called cold war GI bill, and S. 2361, to provide special educational services to veterans, having as its witnesses Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; and James E. Allen, Jr., Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 1442 and S. 561, to promote programs to control advertising along Federal-aid highways; S. 2399, providing a formula for apportionment of State and community highway funds for fiscal year 1970 and thereafter; and to receive testimony on programs implementing requirements of the Highway Safety Act of 1966. Witnesses heard were John A. Volpe, Secretary of Transportation; Francis C. Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration; and Howard Pyle, president, National Safety Council, Chicago, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on S. 2399, and highway safety programs.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 53 public bills, H.R. 12337–12389; 11 private bills, H.R. 12390–12400; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 790–795, H. Con. Res. 293 and 294, and H. Res. 452–454, were introduced. Pages 17045, 17137–17139

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Improved Manpower Management in the Federal Government" (H. Rept. 91–323);

H.J. Res. 790, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–324);

H. Res. 453, providing for consideration of H.R. 12290, relating to surcharge extension and investment credit repeal (H. Rept. 91–325). Page 17137

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Accounts of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 17015

St. Lawrence Seaway: Agreed to S. Con. Res. 17, to recognize the 10th anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway (amended and returned to the Senate). Page 17015

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 17016

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 17016

Continuing Appropriations: By a voice vote, the House passed H.J. Res. 790, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1970. Pages 17015–17024

Mortgage Interest Rates: Passed by a voice vote and cleared for Presidential action S.J. Res. 123, to extend the time for the making of a final report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates. Page 17024

AEC Authorization: By a record vote of 406 yeas to 3 nays, the House passed H.R. 12167, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

H. Res. 448, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 17024–17045

Independent Offices-HUD Appropriations: By a record vote of 388 yeas to 6 nays, the House passed H.R. 12307, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations,

agencies, offices, and the Department of Housing and Urban Development for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and for other purposes.

Adopted the following amendments while in the Committee of the Whole;

Adopted by voice vote the McDade amendment which provides $5 million for expenses necessary to carry out the functions of the Secretary pursuant to title VIII of the Civil Rights Act and section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.

Adopted by voice vote the Scherle amendment which provides that no funds appropriated in the act shall be used to carry out a grant or loan to an institution of higher education unless the institution is in compliance with section 504 of Public Law 90–575.

Rejected the following amendments while in the Committee of the Whole:

Rejected an amendment that would have increased the limitation applicable to maximum payments required in any fiscal year by all contracts entered into under the rent supplement program to $100 million.

Rejected, by a division vote of 71 yeas to 96 nays, an amendment that would increase by $30 million the amount available for homeownership assistance payments.

Rejected, by a teller vote of 101 yeas to 111 nays, an amendment that would add $100 million for urban renewal programs.

Rejected an amendment which provided a mechanism allowing institutions of higher education receiving NSF funds to continue to receive those funds if the institution took action against individuals who contributed to a disorder.

Rejected, by a division vote of 84 yeas to 85 nays, a substitute amendment to the preceding amendment which would have stricken the provision from the bill that provided the institution should deny any payments for or to the individual who refused to obey rules and regulations of the institution.

Rejected, by a division vote of 31 yeas to 72 nays, an amendment that would add $33 million to the NSF funds for tuition, grants, and allowances.

Rejected, by a division vote of 48 yeas to 56 nays, an amendment that would provide $4,700,000 for study of aircraft noise reduction.

H. Res. 449, a rule waiving points of order against the provisions contained under the following headings: "Appalachian Region Development Programs," "Independent Offices—Appalachian Regional Commission," "National Aeronautics and Space Administration," and "National Science Foundation," was adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 17045–17090**

Supplemental Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate, appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Rooney of New York, Evins of Tennessee, Natcher, Flood, Bow, Jonas, Cederberg, and Davis of Wisconsin. **Page 17090**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

ASW ATLANTIC OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare concluded hearings on the ASW Atlantic operations, with testimony from Adm. Paul Masterton, Commanding Officer, ASW Forces Atlantic Fleet.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956.

Committee to continue on Thursday, June 26.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 9180, amended, to amend the act entitled "An act to regulate the employment of minors in the District of Columbia," approved May 29, 1928;

H.R. 10366, amended, to provide for the lease or conveyance of certain real property in the District of Columbia to the Jewish Historical Society of Greater Washington; and

H.R. 5967, amended, to amend the District of Columbia Traffic Act, 1925, to provide for the issuance of an additional congressional tag to Senators and Representatives.

The subcommittee also considered H.R. 2198, to exempt from taxation certain property in the District of Columbia owned by the Reserve Officers Association of the United States, but deferred action on it.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session to mark up H.R. 11941, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965; and H.R. 11785, educational media centers for handicapped children, but did not complete action.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Melvin Laird, Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National Tool, Die & Precision Machine Association; National Association of Wholesalers, and American Institute of Architects.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE AND RODENTICIDE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on administration by the Department of Agriculture of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act and related activities of other Federal agencies. Witnesses from the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare testified today.

PRINTING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Printing met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ACCOUNTS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LANDS—CALIFORNIA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 850, amended, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California; and H.R. 3687, amended, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Held hearings on Students for a Democratic Society at Kent State University at Kent, Ohio. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert White, president, Kent State University; Richard Edwards, assistant to Dr. White; Robert E. Matson, president for student affairs; and Lt. Jack Crawford, executive officer to chief of police, Kent State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES WORKING HOURS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Began hearings on H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles.

FISH AND WILDLIFE IN HUDSON RIVER

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation began hearings on the effects of the Hudson River Expressway proposal on fish and wildlife in the Hudson River. Testimony was heard from Representative Ottinger; James D. Braman, Assistant Secretary for Urban Systems, Department of Transportation; and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WAGE BOARD EMPLOYEES COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service began hearings on H.R. 7918, H.R. 8764, and related bills, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage board employees. Testimony was heard from John F. Griner, president, American Federation of Government Employees; and Mr. Nathan T. Wolkomir, president, National Federation of Federal Employees.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates held hearings on H.R. 10877 and related bills, to adjust the postal revenues and to afford protection to the public from offensive intrusion into their homes through the postal service of sexually oriented mail matter. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and members of his staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 4018, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969.

Committee to continue on Thursday, June 26.

SURCHARGE TAX AND INVESTMENT CREDIT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule with 4 hours of debate, waiving points of order against H.R. 12290, relating to the surcharge extension and investment credit repeal. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boggs, Griffiths, Bennett, Byrnes, Vanik, Utt, and Burke of Massachusetts.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

CRIME

Select Committee on Crime: Continued executive briefings on crime in the United States with testimony from Howard James, chief, Christian Science Monitor's Midwest News Bureau and 1968 Pulitzer Prize winner for national reporting for series entitled "Crisis in the Court"; and Robert Kutak, former administrative assistant to Senator Hruska and vice chairman of the Nebraska Governor's Commission on Crime.

Briefings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

RUSSIAN MILITARY CHALLENGE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued hearings to receive testimony on "The Economic Basis of the Russian Military Challenge to the United States." Witnesses heard were Abram Bergson, professor of economics, Harvard University; Joseph S. Berliner, professor of economics, Brandeis University; Holland Hunter, professor of economics, Haverford College; William R. Kintner, professor of political science, University of Pennsylvania; and David E. Mark, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17179–17214

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2480–2488; and S.J. Res. 127–128. Pages 17192, 17205

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 790, making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 until October 31, 1969 (S. Rept. 91–274);

S.J. Res. 122, providing 60-day extension of authority conferred by Export Control Act (S. Rept. 91–275);

S. 621, to provide for the establishment of the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore in Wisconsin, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–276);

H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–277);

H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–278);

H.R. 4229, providing a temporary extension of existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, with committee amendments to continue for 1 month existing rates of withholding of income tax (S. Rept. 91–279); and

S. 1685, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969, with amendment, and with separate views (S. Rept. 91–280). Page 17191

Bill Referred: H.R. 12307, independent offices-Department of Housing and Urban Development appropriations for fiscal year 1970, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 17191

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 12167, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 17191

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 790, making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 until October 31, 1969. Pages 17207–17208

Tariff—Income Tax Withholding: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled), H.R. 4229, providing a temporary extension of existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, after adopting committee amendments to continue for 1 month the existing rates of withholding of income tax (including withholding of surcharge tax) pending enactment of the tax bill. Pages 17208–17211

Foreign Commitments: By 70 yeas to 16 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted, as modified, S. Res. 85, defining a national commitment to mean use of U.S. Armed Forces on foreign territory, or a promise to assist a foreign country by use of U.S. Armed Forces or financial resources, and stating sense of Senate that a national commitment results only from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches by means of a treaty, statute, or concurrent resolution of both Houses of Congress providing therefor. By unanimous consent, the resolution had been modified by acceptance of Cooper language to its text, and was then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment. The resolution before its modification would have stated sense of Senate that a national commitment to a foreign power results from affirmative action by the executive and legislative branches through means of a treaty, convention, or other legislative instrumentality.

Prior to adoption of modified S. Res. 85, Senate rejected, by 36 yeas to 50 nays, Mundt-Dodd amendment No. 49 (in the nature of a substitute for the resolution), defining national commitment to mean a promise to a foreign country to use U.S. Armed Forces in hostilities and stating sense of Senate that in future situations no such commitment shall be made without legislative action, and that armed forces shall not be used on foreign territory without legislative action except to repel attack on United States or to meet threat to national security or to protect U.S. citizens and property. Pages 17214–17246

Merchant Marine: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 265, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies.

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Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed.

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Nominations: One civilian nomination was received.

Minority report was filed as part 2 of Ex. Rept. 91–5 on the report filed May 23, favorably reporting nomination of Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE, TREASURY-POST OFFICE, AND CONTINUING

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following three measures:

H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies: as approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $7,636,797,650, an increase of $830,142,650 over the House-passed figure of $6,806,655,000;

H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies: as approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $8,787,208,000, an increase of $7,863,000 over the House-passed total of $8,779,345,000; and

H.J. Res. 790, making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 until October 31, 1969.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued executive consideration of S. 2407, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witnesses George W. Kriske, Air Traffic Control Association, Washington, D.C.; F. Lee Bailey, Professional Air Traffic Controller Organization, Jamaica, N.Y.; and Austin Brough, American Association of Airport Executives, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ICC PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued hearings to review with the Interstate Commerce Commission major policy matters that fall within its jurisdiction, with further testimony from Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman; George M. Stafford, Vice Chairman; and Commissioners Rupert L. Murphy, Paul J. Tierney, Donald L. Jackson, Laurence K. Walrath, John W. Bush, Wallace R. Burke, Kenneth H. Tuggle, Willard Deason, and Dale W. Hardin, all of the ICC.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

WITHHOLDING RATES, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 4229, providing a temporary extension of existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid (with an amendment which would extend through July 31, 1969, the present tax withholding rates).

Also, committee held open hearings on the nomination of Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts, to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations. Mr. Gilbert was introduced to the committee by Senator Brooke.

PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive additional testimony from Peace Corps Director Joseph H. Blatchford, on S. 2041, authorizing $101.1 million for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, having as its witnesses Philip R. Manuel and Frederick Miller, subcommittee staff members; Justin Dyer, Los Angeles Police Department; and Lt. Earl Halveland, St. Louis Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIMINAL COURT DEFENSE AID

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights continued hearings on S. 1461, to provide adequate representation of defendants who are financially unable to obtain defense in criminal cases in U.S. courts, with testimony from Judge James M. Carter, U.S. Circuit Court, Ninth Circuit; Judge Walter E. Craig, U.S. District Court, Phoenix; Maynard J. Toll, National Legal Aid and Defender Association, Los Angeles, accompanied by Robert J. Kutak, appearing on behalf of William F. Gossett, president, American Bar Association; Tom Karas, Federal defender, Federal Criminal Defense, Phoenix; James F. Hewitt, attorney in charge, Federal Criminal Defense Office, San Francisco; and Harry D. Steward, Defenders, Inc., San Diego.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM REFUGEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees continued hearings to receive testimony on refugees, civilian casualties, and social welfare problems

in Vietnam, having as its witnesses Dr. John Levinson, of Wilmington, Del.; Dr. Thomas Durant, assistant director, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; John Pemberton, American Civil Liberties Union, and Bishop James Armstrong, who represented the U.S. Study Team on Political and Religious Freedom in Vietnam; and Johannes Hoeber and Malcolm Phelps, both of the Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, with testimony from Very Rev. Msgr. James D. Donohue, Division of Elementary and Secondary Education, United States Catholic Conference; Dr. Clyde E. Weinhold, president, and James R. Dorland, both of the National Association for Public School Adult Education; and Dr. Mary Mulvey, supervisor of adult education, Providence School Department, Rhode Island.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' TRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on S. 338, to broaden the scope of the present flight-training provisions of the so-called cold war GI bill, and S. 2361, to provide special educational services to veterans, having as its witnesses Senator Kennedy; Joseph Cannon, veterans' affairs program, National Urban League; Dr. Paul Cook, president, D.C. Teachers College, and former national chairman of the American Veterans Committee, accompanied by Irving Panzer, AVC; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Donald W. White, Webster College, St. Louis; Ralph E. Rossignulo, AMVETS; C. W. Dalbey, Iowa State Department of Public Instruction, Des Moines, representing American Vocational Association; and Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union, who presented the statement of Edwin Christianson, vice president, NFU.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on S. 2399, providing a formula for apportionment of State and community highway funds for fiscal year 1970 and thereafter, and on programs implementing requirements of the Highway Safety Act of 1966. Witnesses heard were John T. Hanna, director, Highway Safety Division, State of Virginia; Washington State Senator Nat Washington, National Legislative Committee on Transportation and Highway Safety; D. K. Kelly, New Mexico Traffic Safety Commission; Daniel J. Hanson, American Road Builders' Association; and Dean Van Gordon, Division of Highway Safety Coordination, State of Wisconsin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee resumed its series of hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, and what effect tighter governmental and private loan policies and inflation are having on the small businessman. Testimony was received today from Richard B. Blankship, Deputy Administrator; William F. Murfin, Assistant Administrator for Procurement and Management Assistance; Leonard Cole, Office of Business Development; and P. Herbert Pierce, Director, Office of Procurement Assistance, all of the Small Business Administration, who testified and answered questions with regard to procurement aspects of SBA policies and programs.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 12401–12444; six private bills, H.R. 12445–12450; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 796 and 797, H. Con. Res. 295, and H. Res. 455 and 456, were introduced. **Pages 17324, 17393–17394**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 471, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (48 Stat. 108), amended (H. Rept. 91–326);

H. Res. 357, providing for an additional clerk for all House Members, amended (H. Rept. 91–327); and

H. Res. 455, providing for concurring in Senate amendments to H.R. 4229 (H. Rept. 91–328).

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Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and the Subcommittee on Elections of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Pages 17288, 17289**

Clerk Hire: By a record vote of 204 yeas to 195 nays, the House agreed to H. Res. 357, providing for an additional clerk for all House Members. Agreed to a committee amendment. **Paegs 17289–17290**

Suspension of Duty—Chicory Roots: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots, and agreed to a conference asked by the

Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Watts, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Utt. Page 17293

Interstate Taxation: By a record vote of 311 yeas to 87 nays, the House passed H.R. 7906, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Adopted an amendment that provides that no State or political subdivisions shall impose any tax on earned income outside the State.

Adopted a technical amendment.

Rejected an amendment designed to change the definition of "Excluded Corporation" from $1 million to $500,000.

Rejected an amendment that would delay the effective date of the bill for 2 years.

H. Res. 438, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17290–17323

Late Report: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a conference report on H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, by midnight Friday, June 27.

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Late Report: Permission was granted to conferees to file a conference report on H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots, by midnight Thursday, June 26.

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Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 17392–17393

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military procurement authorization (AAAFSS-Cheyenne). Testimony was heard from Charles L. Poor, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army (R. & D.); Cyrus Vance, former Deputy Secretary of Defense and former Secretary of the Army; Alfred B. Fitt, former Assistant Secretary of Defense, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; and Robert E. Jordan III, General Counsel, Department of the Army.

On Tuesday, June 24, Subcommittee on Military Construction, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 10918, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to the city of Portsmouth, State of Virginia, certain lands situated within the Crawford urban renewal project (VA–53) in the city of Portsmouth, in exchange for certain lands situated within the proposed Southside neighborhood development project. The subcommittee also considered H.R. 10420, to permit certain real property in the State of Maryland to be used for public purposes generally.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on H.R. 11476, miners' compensation. Testimony was heard from Dr. Raymond Moore, Assistant to Administrator, Environmental Control Administration; Dr. Marcus Key, acting director, Bureau of Occupational Safety and Health, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Gen. Theodore J. Conway, USA, U.S. Commander in Chief, Middle East, Africa South of the Sahara, and Southern Asia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Mr. Gilbert Cuneo, Public Contract Law Section, American Bar Association, and representatives of Western Electronic Manufacturers Association.

Hearings continue Friday, June 27.

MEMBERS' CLERK HIRE—PRINTING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 357, providing for an additional clerk for all House Members;

H. Con. Res. 66, providing for the printing as a House document of certain maps and indicia relating to Vietnam and the Asian Continent;

H. Con. Res. 208, authorizing the printing of 3,000 additional copies of parts 1, 2, and 3 of the publication entitled "Subversive Influences in Riots, Looting, and Burning";

H. Con. Res. 209, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the committee print "The Analysis and Evaluation of Public Expenditures: The PPB System";

H. Con. Res. 291, amended, to provide for the printing of inaugural addresses from President George Washington to President Richard M. Nixon;

H. Con. Res. 294, concurrent resolution authorizing the printing as a House document of a representative sampling of the public speeches of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower;

H. Res. 409, amended, authorizing reprinting of "Panel on Science and Technology Tenth Meeting—Science and Technology and the Cities," proceedings before the Committee on Science and Astronautics;

H. Res. 410, authorizing reprinting of "Technical Information for Congress"; and

S. Con. Res. 21, providing for additional printing of 1,000 copies of part 1 and 700 copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Thermal Pollution."

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians;

H.R. 11609, amended, to amend the act of September 9, 1963, authorizing the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park in the State of North Carolina; and

H.R. 3687, amended, and S. 714, amended, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California.

H.J. Res. 247 was reconsidered, and H.R. 850 was passed over.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on Students for a Democratic Society at Kent State University at Kent, Ohio. Testimony was heard from Chester Arthur Williams, director of safety and public service, Kent University; and two of his assistants—Donald Lester Schwartzmiller, security officer, and Thomas Francis Kelley, investigator, Kent State Police Department. Committee staff investigator Neil Wetterman also testified.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES' WORKING HOURS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 8449 and related bills, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Promote the Safety of Employees and Travelers Upon Railroads by Limiting the Hours of Service of Employees Thereon," approved March 4, 1907. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

FISH AND WILDLIFE IN HUDSON RIVER

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on the effects of the Hudson River Expressway proposal on fish and wildlife in the Hudson River. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WAGE BOARD EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on H.R. 7918, H.R. 8764, and related bills, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage board employees. Testimony was heard from Kenneth Lyons, president, National Association of Government Employees.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, to adjust the postal revenues and to afford protection to the public from offensive intrusion into their homes through the postal service of sexually oriented mail matter. Further testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and staff.

TARIFF SUSPENSION—HEPTANOIC ACID

Committee on Rules: Held hearing and granted a rule to take bill from Speaker's table and agree to the Senate amendment on H.R. 4229, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boggs, Byrnes, and Gibbons.

CRIME BRIEFINGS

Select Committee on Crime: Continued executive briefings on crime in the United States. Testifying today were John Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, and former chief of police of Charlotte, N.C.; and Ralph Salerno, retired New York City police sergeant knowledgeable on the subject of organized crime.

VETERANS' EDUCATION ALLOWANCES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training concluded hearings on legislation to increase education allowances for veterans. Testimony was heard from representatives of Veterans' Administration; Disabled American Veterans; American Veterans' Committee; and AMVETS.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17475–17543

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2489–2505; and S.J. Res. 129.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 9951, providing for collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–281); and

H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautical and Space Administration, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–282). Page 17493

Great Plains Program: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1790, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program for 10 years beginning in 1972. Pages 17477–17481

Youth Conservation Corps: S. 1076, to establish a 3-year pilot Youth Conservation Corps program in the Departments of the Interior and Agriculture, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 17481–17482

Export Control: Senate passed without amendment, S.J. Res. 122, extension of authority conferred by Export Control Act. Page 17482

Private Bill: S. 1932, private bill, was passed without amendment. Pages 17482–17487

Merchant Marine: H.R. 265, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies, was cleared for President's signature, when it was passed without amendment. S. 2341, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Page 17487

Apostle Islands Lakeshore: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 621, to provide for the establishment of the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore in Wisconsin. Pages 17490–17492

St. Lawrence Seaway: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. Con. Res. 17, to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway. This completed legislative action on the resolution. Page 17487

AEC Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 12167, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, after adopting modified Proxmire amendment to reduce by $6,232,000 authorizations for "Operating expenses." S. 2416, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Pages 17543–17549

Parks and Recreation: Senate resumed consideration of and passed S. 1708, proposed Parks and Recreation Act of 1969, with committee amendment as amended. The committee amendment was amended by adoption of two Proxmire amendments thereto: (1) to provide that a proposed conveyance shall not become effective for 60 days after submission to Congress, neither House of Congress having recommended disapproval of it during that period; and (2) providing that where property to be conveyed includes valuable improvements constructed by the Federal Government, the improvement shall be appraised separately for its recreational potential (as modified). Motion to reconsider was tabled. Pages 17549–17550, 17558–17560

Legislative Program: Majority leader announced that on Monday, June 30, it is the intention to consider H.R. 11582, Treasury-Post Office and Executive Office appropriations. It is hoped, also, that on Monday H.R. 11612, Agriculture appropriations can be laid before the Senate.

It is anticipated that next week Senate will consider S. 1613, to change the designation of Glen Canyon Dam to Eisenhower Dam; S. 1689, regulating hazardous substances; S. 853, Sawtooth National Recreation Area; H.R. 4153, authorizations for procurement of Coast Guard vessels; and H.R. 4152, maritime programs authorization bill. Pages 17551–17552, 17560

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies. Page 17560

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Williams (Delaware) submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of offering an amendment to H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies. Page 17558

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of Senate until Monday, June 30, to receive and refer messages from the President and the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, during this same period, to file reports, with any individual, minority, or supplemental views. Page 17560

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Charles H. Meacham, of Alaska, to be Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; and seven judicial. Page 17579

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Joseph A. Greenwald, of Illinois, to be the representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development; one judicial; and numerous Army and Marine Corps. Pages 17572–17579

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman, Renegotiation Board; and Hamer H. Budge, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued executive consideration of S. 2407, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

CONSUMER CREDIT INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions began hearings on S. 1754, to protect consumers against excessive charges for life, health, and accident insurance in consumer credit transactions. Testimony was received from Representative William Gannon, Iowa State Legislature; Henry Miller, Executive Life Insurance Co.; James Hunt, former insurance commissioner of Vermont; Prof. William Willier, director, National Consumer Law Center, Boston College of Law; and Harry Blyth, professor of business administration, Ohio University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States, having as its witness Karl G. Haar, Jr., president, Aerospace Industries Association.

Subcommittee announced that hearings will resume on July 23, 24, and 29.

PRACTICE OF PSYCHOLOGY IN D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on S. 1626, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Thomas Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia; Dr. Bernard I. Levy, D.C. Psychological Association; Dr. Kenneth B. Little, American Psychological Association; Dr. Oscar Legault, Washington Psychoanalytic Society; Dr. Frank S. Bacon, president, D.C. Medical Society; Dr. Malcolm L. Meltzer, graduate training program in clinical psychology, George Washington University; and Dr. Isaiah M. Zimmerman, psychologist in private practice in the District of Columbia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

John A. Calhoun, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia;

Joseph J. Jova, of Florida, to be U.S. representative on the Council of the Organization of American States;

John C. Pritzlaff, Jr., of Arizona, to be Ambassador to Malta;

Adolph W. Schmidt, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Canada;

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad; and

Philip H. Trezise, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, having as its witnesses Robert J. Beatson, subcommittee staff investigator; Sgt. Thomas Courtney, New York Police Department; Lt. Glenn Reichert, Denver Police Department; and Detective Lt. William R. McCoy, Detroit Police Department.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 30.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, with testimony from Robert Kunzig, Administrator, Hart T. Mankin, General Counsel, and other officials of the General Services Administration; Joseph Brennan, who presented the statement of W. A. Boyle, president, United Mine Workers of America; and Stanley Preisir, representing the American Trial Lawyers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIMINAL COURT DEFENSE AID

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights continued hearings on S. 1461, to provide adequate representation of defendants who are financially unable to obtain defense in criminal cases in U.S. courts, with testimony from Daniel J. Freed, former Director, Office of Criminal Justice, Department of Justice; Chief Judge William H. Hastie, U.S. Circuit Court for the Third Circuit; Charles L. Decker, National Defender project, Washington, D.C.; and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ANTITRUST MATTERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly met in executive session and considered,

but took no final action on the following pending bills: (1) S. 1494, providing for governmental and civil proceedings for violations of section 3 of the Robinson-Patman Act; (2) S. 1967, to provide for fair competitive practices in the termination of franchise agreements; and (3) S. 1520, to give certain newspaper arrangements exemptions from the antitrust laws.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, with testimony from numerous witnesses representing various school systems throughout the country, and representatives of the Research Council of the Great Cities Program for School Improvement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' TRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on S. 338, to broaden the scope of the present flight-training provisions of the so-called cold war GI bill, and S. 2361, to provide special educational services to veterans, having as its witnesses William H. Cox, admissions director for veterans, Pennsylvania State University; Jack Fowler, president, National Association of Collegiate Veterans, Inc.; Charles E. Mattingly and E. H. Golembieski, both of the American Legion; Dr. Archie L. McPherran, California Community College; William Flaherty, Disabled American Veterans; Ralph A. Bruksos, Sales Training, Inc., Seattle; and Col. Robert F. Perkins, USAF, retired, director of veterans' affairs, Strayer Junior College.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor concluded executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation and ordered favorably reported to the full committee a committee print on coal mine health and safety.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on S. 2399, providing a formula for apportionment of State and community highway funds for fiscal year 1970 and thereafter, and on programs implementing requirements of the Highway Safety Act of 1966. Witnesses heard were Patrick Healy, representing National League of Cities and U.S. Conference of Mayors; Carlton C. Robinson, Institute of Traffic Engineers; J. Sam Winters, National Highway Safety Advisory Committee; William L. Mainland, county supervisor, Oakland County, Mich.; and Boyd H. Gibbons, Jr., Governor's highway safety coordinator, State of Arizona.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 1.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1072, proposed Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969. As approved by the committee the bill would provide: (1) $294 million for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for Appalachian regional development, including extension of Appalachian development highway system, (2) $285 million for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for extension of authority of the five regional commissions, not more than $100 million of which could be used for regional development transportation system, and (3) 1-year extension of title I of the Public Works and Economic Development Act providing public works grants through the Economic Development Administration.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 7, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 12451–12467; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 798 and H. Res. 457, were introduced. Pages 17474–17475

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 247, relating to the administration of the national park system (H. Rept. 91–329); and

Conference report on H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots (H. Rept. 91–330). Pages 17473–17474

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 17457

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FLUID MILK UTILIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and agreed to defer action on H.R. 7996, to permanently extend the class I dairymen's base plan and authorize use of different base periods for allocating fluid milk utilization among farmers.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

INTEREST IN ADVANCE ON LOANS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 255, to authorize banks, savings and loan associations, and other regulated lenders in the District of Columbia to charge or deduct interest in advance on loans to be repaid in installments.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 11476, miners' compensation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Saylor and Kee and Dr. Andrew Henderson of West Virginia.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Adm. John S. McCain, Jr., USN, Commander in Chief, Pacific.

Hearings continue Monday, June 30.

BRIEFING ON COLOMBIA AND GUATEMALA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for briefing with Marvin Weissman, AID Mission Director, Colombia, and Deane R. Hinton, AID Mission Director, Guatemala.

FEDERAL UTILIZATION OF ACCIDENT AND INJURY DATA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held hearings on the adequacy of arrangements by Federal departments and agencies for collecting and utilizing accident and injury data. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 574, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project (Corn Creek, Front Range, Upper Republican); and S. 38, in lieu of H.R. 8796 and 8831, to consent to the Upper Niobrara River compact between the States of Wyoming and Nebraska.

INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE MISCELLANY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks;

H.R. 10105, amended, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; and

H.R. 12085, amended, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles.

The committee also considered H.R. 8298, water carrier mixing rule, and authorized the chairman to write a letter to the Interstate Commerce Commission requesting an additional 6-month delay in compliance with order WC–5.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearing and heard testimony on private claims bills.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Hon. John N. Mitchell, Attorney General of the United States, and Clarence Mitchell, director, Washington bureau, NAACP.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 1, when Attorney General Mitchell will resume his testimony.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 6750, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from Charles C. Johnson, Administrator, Conservation Protection and Environmental Health Service, HEW, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from James H. Rademacher, president, National Association of Letter Carriers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4018, amended, the Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969, including consideration of the regional commissions established under title V of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965.

The committee also approved a public building prospectus revision for Philadelphia, Pa.

CRIME BRIEFINGS

Select Committee on Crime: Continued executive briefings on crime in the United States. Testimony was heard

from Charles Rogovin, Administrator, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, and Associate Administrator Richard W. Velde.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 7.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2407, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. It was announced that the committee, by a vote of 10 yeas to 7 nays, approved funds authorizing construction of the anti-ballistic-missile system. The chairman announced that the bill will not be considered by the Senate until after the Fourth of July weekend recess.

Committee also approved for reporting 603 nominations in the Navy and Air Force.

CONSUMER CREDIT INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 1754, to protect consumers against excessive charges for life, health, and accident insurance in consumer credit transactions, with testimony from Senator Hart; Robert N. Tyler, Old Republic Life Insurance Co.; Ron Roberts, American National Insurance Co.; R. Donald Quackenbush and J. Edward Day, Group Bankers National Life Insurance Co.; and B. Finley Vinson, American Bankers Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 30.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, with testimony from Alex Radin, American Public Power Association; Edward Berlin, representing the Consumer Federation of America; and Dr. Arthur A. Brown, A. D. Little, Inc., Cambridge, Mass.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 30.

HIRING OF ALASKAN NATIVES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings to receive testimony on progress in the hiring of Alaskan natives by the Federal Government. Testimony was received from the following Federal Government representatives: James Pool, Civil Service Commission; William Valdes and Stuart Broad, both of the Department of Defense; Harold Gronroos, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Ed Shelton, both of the Department of the Interior; Leo Werts and Vincent Macoluso, both of the Department of Labor; and Richard Lally, Department of Transportation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, with testimony from Neil V. Sullivan, commissioner of education of Massachusetts; William Kottmeyer, superintendent, board of education, St. Louis; James Hazlett, superintendent of public schools, Kansas City, Mo.; John Letson, superintendent of schools, Atlanta, Ga.; and Robert C. Embry, Department of Housing and Community Development, Baltimore.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 12468–12493; four private bills, H.R. 12494–12497; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 799, were introduced. **Pages 17659–17660**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions (H. Rept. 91–331); and

H.J. Res. 780, to provide for a temporary extension of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949 (H. Rept. 91–332). **Page 17659**

Member Sworn: Representative Melcher presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker. Page 17622

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 17622

Export Control Act: By a voice vote, the House passed S.J. Res. 122 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 780), to provide for a temporary extension of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949. Page 17622

Heptanoic Acid—Income Tax: By a voice vote, the House agreed to H. Res. 455, providing for concurring in the Senate amendments to H.R. 4229, thus clearing H.R. 4229, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, and to continue for 1 month the existing rates of withholding of income tax. Pages 17623–17628

Crude Chicory Roots: By a record vote of 269 yeas to 65 nays, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots. House receded and concurred in Senate amendments (repealing the freeze on aid to families with dependent children), and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 17628–17632

Cleared for the President: H.R. 4297, to amend the act of November 8, 1966, by concurring to the Senate amendment thereto. Page 17632

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 2. Page 17633

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted that the Clerk of the House and the Speaker of the House be authorized to receive messages and sign enrolled bills. Page 17633

Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 17659

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, June 30.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6778, amended, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations concluded hearings on Government procurement and contracting. Testimony was heard from Karl Harr, president, Aerospace Industries Association, and F. Trowbridge vom Baur, former General Counsel, Department of the Navy.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 6750, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology; Ned Bayley, Director, Science and Education, Department of Agriculture; Helmut K. Buechner, Senior Scientist, Office of Ecology, Smithsonian Institution; and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17695–17748

Bills Introduced: 13 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2506–2518. Pages 17713–17714

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 5833, providing 3-year extension of existing suspension of duty on certain copy shoe lathes and suspending for 2 years operation of certain social security legislation so as to correct medicaid abuses, with amendment (after Senate recommitted bill to Committee on Finance with instructions to report it back forthwith with a modification of the original committee amendment on medicaid—no written report). Pages 17702–17704

Bill Referred: H.R. 7906, providing a system for taxation by States of interstate commerce, was referred to Committee on Finance. Page 17695

Great Plains Program: H.R. 10595, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program for 10 years beginning in 1972, was passed with amendment to substitute for its text the language of S. 1790, companion bill, as it had been passed on June 26. These actions were taken after Committee on Agricul-

ture and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 10595. S. 1790 was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 19695–17696

Contract Claims: S. 980, to provide U.S. Federal courts with jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the United States, was passed with committee amendments. Page 17697

Tariff—Medicaid: Senate passed with committee amendment, H.R. 5833, providing 3-year extension of existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes and suspending for 2 years operation of certain social security legislation so as to correct medicaid abuses.

This action was taken after the bill was recommitted to Committee on Finance with instructions to report it back forthwith with a modification of the original committee amendment on medicaid. This modified amendment provides (1) a 2-year suspension, rather than an indefinite suspension, of provisions of the law requiring States to constantly expand the benefits of medicaid so that such services will be provided to all indigent residents; (2) would require States to maintain the non-Federal expenditures level in their medicaid programs; and (3) would require a State desiring to cut back such services to make certification of the effective controls it is exercising on cost of such programs. Pages 17702–17704

Tariff—Dependent Children: Senate adopted conference report on, and cleared for White House, H.R. 8644, to make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots and to repeal the freeze on aid to families with dependent children.

Pages 17704–17705

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, was passed after adopting the following amendments: all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Yarborough amendment providing $3.145 million for multiple-trip business deliveries of mail and $4.169 million for special delivery services; and a Yarborough amendment of a technical, corrective nature.

Williams (Delaware) point of order was sustained against a Yarborough amendment specifying that of the original funds in the bill, $3.145 million shall be for multiple-trip business deliveries of mail and $4.169 million shall be for special delivery services.

Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Yarborough, Byrd (West Virginia), Montoya, McGee, Randolph, Boggs, Allott, and Fong.

Pages 17748–17755

Padre Island Seashore: By 57 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment H.R. 11069, authorizing funds to satisfy judgment in connection with acquisition of lands for Padre Island National Seashore, Tex. Pages 17755–17758

Eisenhower Dam: S. 1613, to designate the dam commonly referred to as the Glen Canyon Dam as the Dwight D. Eisenhower Dam, was passed without amendment. Pages 17758–17759

Coast Guard Authorizations: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 4153, authorizing $142.8 million for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal 1970.

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Hazardous Toys: S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children, was passed with committee amendments.

Pages 17759–17761

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate made its unfinished business, H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.

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Confirmation: Senate confirmed nomination of Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, U.S. Army, to be Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Page 17773

Nominations: During adjournment on Friday, June 27, and pursuant to prior authority, Senate received three civilian nominations, including those of Roderic L. O'Connor, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, and David W. Oberlin, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Corporation.

Today Senate received two civilian nominations, including that of Clarence E. Larson, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, and 14 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued executive consideration of pending food stamp legislation, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

CONSUMER CREDIT INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 1754, to protect consumers against excessive charges for life, health, and accident insurance in consumer credit transactions, with testimony from John Glenn, actuary, Atlanta, Ga.; Kenneth Jones, CUNA Mutual Insurance Co.; Charles V. Walsh, Beneficial Finance Co.; Richard

L. Barker, Household Finance Corp.; and Emmett S. Harrington, CPA, Haskins & Sells.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, with testimony from James G. Richardson, professor of finance, University of Florida, Gainesville; John R. Kelly, director of public utilities, Gainesville; and Maurice Ferre, city commissioner, Miami.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 9.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, having as its witnesses Lt. Lawrence Bearse, Jersey City, N.J., Police Department; and Lt. William L. Olsen, and Sgt. Joseph Grubisik, both of the Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ROGUE RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 804, authorizing construction of the Merlin division, Rogue River Basin project, Oregon, with testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Dellenback; James R. Smith, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power Development; E. D. Potts, Oregon State Senator, Josephine County; Commissioners Kenneth E. Jackson and Joel L. Barker, Josephine County, Oreg.; and Lyle Van Gorden, also of Josephine County, Oreg.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INSURANCE COMPANY BANKRUPTCIES

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony concerning the failure in recent years of several auto insurance companies, with testimony today concerning the recent bankruptcy of the State Fire & Casualty Co., which was put into receivership in the State of Florida. Witnesses heard were Warren S. Shantz, Division of Supervision and Regulation, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Norman Michigan, Committee on Valuation of Securities, National Association of Insurance Commissioners, New York City; Broward Williams, insurance commissioner of Florida; and Carey Matthews, former vice president, State Fire & Casualty Co., and chairman of Florida Legislative Insurance Committee, Miami.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 2.

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NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Luther Holcomb, of Texas, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, with testimony from Representative Purcell.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this nomination and other pending business.

VACCINATION ASSISTANCE ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on legislative proposals to continue programs to eradicate infectious disease in the United States. Testimony was received from Dr. William Stewart, Surgeon General of the United States, accompanied by Dr. David Senser, Director, National Communicable Disease Center; Dr. Robert Anderson, American Thoracic Society, and National Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, New York; Dr. Charles A. Pigford, director, Department of Public Health, Houston; Dr. Virginia Apgar, National Foundation—March of Dimes, New York; Dr. Murray Grant, Director of Public Health, District of Columbia, representing Association of State and Territorial Health Officers; and Dr. William Fleming, American Social Health Association, and chairman, Department of Preventive Medicine, University of North Carolina Medical School.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 12498–12541; six private bills, H.R. 12542–12547; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 800 and 801, H. Con. Res. 296 and 297, and H. Res. 458, were introduced. **Pages 17882, 17905–17906**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–333);

H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians (H. Rept. 91–334);

H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks (H. Rept. 91–335); and

H.R. 4018, to provide for the renewal and extension of

certain sections of the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, amended (H. Rept. 91–336).

Pages 17773–17905

Surcharge Tax: By a record vote of 210 yeas to 205 nays, with two voting present, the House passed H.R. 12290, to continue the income tax surcharge and the excise taxes on automobiles and communication services for temporary periods, to terminate the investment credit, to provide a low-income allowance for individuals.

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means with instructions designed to eliminate the excise tax on automobiles, was rejected by a voice vote.

H. Res. 453, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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Adjournment Resolution: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 296, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Wednesday, July 2, 1969, they stand adjourned until 12 o'clock meridian, Monday, July 7, 1969. Page 17882

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted that the Clerk of the House and the Speaker of the House, notwithstanding the Fourth of July recess, be authorized to receive messages and sign enrolled bills. Page 17882

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Representative Miller of California and Department of Defense and Department of the Navy witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIME RATE INCREASE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the prime rate increase. Testimony was heard from William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Federal Reserve Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Mr. Martin will resume his testimony.

D.C. OPTOMETRY ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued markup of H.R. 2388, to amend the act of May 28, 1924, to revise existing law relating to the examination, licensure, registration, and regulation of optometrists and the practice of optometry in the District of Columbia. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Gen. George R. Mather, USA, Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs began hearings on H.R. 9477, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation. Testimony was heard from Representative Ullman and Assistant Secretary of the Interior Loesch.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session to consider H.R. 7621, H.R. 7509, and related bills, Child Protection Act. No announcements were made.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Blackburn; Thomas Costin, Jr., president, National Association of Postmasters of the United States; and Reed Larson, executive vice president, National Right To Work Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, July 1, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17984–18029

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2519–2527; and S.J. Res. 130.

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Bill Referred: H.R. 12290, to continue income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications for temporary periods, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, was referred to Committee on Finance. Page 17984

Chief Justice Warren Retirement: During a period designated for this purpose, Senators spoke in tribute to retiring Chief Justice Earl Warren. Page 17986

Fourth of July Adjournment: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 296, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Wednesday, July 2, they stand adjourned until noon Monday, July 7. Page 18006

Senate Authorizations: During adjournment of Senate following conclusion of business on Wednesday, July 2, until noon Monday, July 7, Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive and refer messages from the President and the House of Representatives.

All committees were authorized, during this period, to file reports, together with any minority, individual, or supplemental views. Page 18006

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies. All of the committee amendments were adopted with the following exceptions, and on each of those adopted a motion to reconsider was tabled. The committee amendments that were not acted on but were put over for consideration on Monday, July 7, include two on page 4 of the bill respecting plant and animal disease and pest control; one on page 19, covering expenses to carry out the special milk program; and one on page 20 respecting milk for children in nonprofit high schools and lower level schools, child-care centers, summer camps, and similar nonprofit institutions for care and training of children; and one on page 23, eliminating House language that would limit to $20,000 payments to any producer in any price support program. Pages 18029–18054

Saline Water: S. 1011, authorizing $27 million for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 18058–18061

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nine Navy nominations in the rank of admiral and numerous Air Force nominations, including six in the rank of general. Page 18061

Nominations: Five judicial nominations were received. Page 18061

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original bill extending and revising the food stamp program, and authorizing funds therefor through fiscal year 1972.

Committee also approved 16 watershed projects.

CONSUMER CREDIT INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 1754, to protect consumers against excessive charges for life, health, and accident insurance in consumer credit transactions, with testimony from Richard D. Barger, insurance commissioner of California, representing the National Association of Insurance Commissioners; and Newton I. Steers, insurance commissioner of Maryland.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1092, to provide for the inspection of fishery facilities and products, and S. 1091, providing financial assistance to the commercial fishing industry in meeting requirements set forth in S. 1092. Testimony was received from Representative Pepper; Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen of America (AFL–CIO); Edward Dunkelberger, representing National Canners Association; H. R. Robinson, American Shrimp Canners Association, New Orleans; and Edward Berlin, Consumer Federation of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—DOT

Committee on Commerce: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting the nomination of James A. Washington, Jr., to be General Counsel, Department of Transportation.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1458, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the District of Columbia except as an incident to the practice of law;

S. 545, removing existing statutory limit on funds which may be authorized for the D.C. Bail Agency; and

S. 2185, authorizing funds for Federal contribution for a transit development program in the National Capital area.

Committee also considered, but took no action on, S. 1972, and other pending D.C. home rule legislation, and announced that it will meet again on Thursday, July 10, for its further consideration.

MEDICARE AND MEDICAID

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings to examine the operation and status of the medicare and medicaid programs, with testimony concerning programs of their department from the following officials of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare: John Veneman, Under Secretary; Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Arthur E. Hess, Deputy Commissioner, and Thomas M. Tierney, Bureau of Health Insurance, all of the Social Security Administration; Francis L. Land,

Commissioner, Medical Services Administration; and James F. Kelly, Comptroller.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from these witnesses, and representatives of the GAO and Internal Revenue Service.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

David D. Newsom, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs;

John Richardson, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs; Kenneth Rush, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany; and John R. Stevenson, of New York, to be Legal Adviser of the Department of State, with testimony from Senator Javits;

Luther I. Replogle, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Iceland, with testimony from Senators Percy and Dirksen, the latter of whom submitted a letter;

J. Fife Symington, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Trinidad and Tobago, with testimony from Senators Tydings and Mathias;

Samuel Z. Westerfield, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Liberia; and

Spurgeon M. Keeny, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider these and other nominations, and other pending committee business.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Continuing its hearing on militant organizations and campus disorders, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations had as its witnesses Edward Callan, Association of Student Governments; Al Capp, cartoonist; Paul E. Kamerick and John J. Walsh, of the subcommittee's staff; and Kenneth Pitzer, president, and Richard W. Lyman, vice president and provost, both of Stanford University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVACY—QUESTIONNAIRES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights continued hearings on S. 1791, to protect the constitutional rights of individuals to ignore unwarranted governmental requests for personal information, having as its witnesses Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; and Thomas Monahan, professor of sociology, Villanova University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

The nomination of Luther Holcomb, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission;

A list of Public Health Service nominations;

H.R. 3689, ceding to Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center at Fort Harrison, Mont.;

S. 2068, to amend the Labor Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day care centers (with amendments); and

S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider pending coal mine safety legislation.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded hearings on S. 2399, providing a formula for apportionment of State and community highway funds for fiscal year 1970 and thereafter, and on programs implementing requirements of the Highway Safety Act of 1966, after receiving testimony from George F. Kachlein, Jr., American Automobile Association; Dr. William Haddon, Jr., president, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety; Quinn Tamm, International Association of Chiefs of Police; Walter J. Addison, Highway Safety Coordinator, State of Maryland; Donald L. Schaffer, Allstate Insurance Co.; Joseph R. Murphy, National Legislative Committee on Transportation and Highway Safety; State Senator Lee Weissenborn, chairman, Subcommittee on Traffic Safety, Committee on Transportation, Florida Senate; and Thomas J. Kalman, chairman, Pennsylvania Commission on Interstate Cooperation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 12548–12568; one private bill, H.R. 12569; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 802 and 803 and H. Res. 459–464, were introduced.

Pages 17948, 17982–17983

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 66, 208, 209, 291, amended, 294, H. Res. 409, amended, 410, and S. Con. Res. 21; for titles of the above resolutions, see "Printing Resolutions" below (H. Repts. 91–337 to 91–344, respectively);

H. Res. 461, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 247, relating to the administration of the national park system (H. Rept. 91–345);

H. Res. 462, providing for the consideration of H.R. 471, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (H. Rept. 91–346);

H. Res. 463, providing for the consideration of H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of California for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, landslides, and high waters (H. Rept. 91–347); and

H. Res. 464, providing for the consideration of H.R. 11702, to amend the Public Health Services Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities (H. Rept. 91–348). Pages 17982–17983

Saline Water Conversion Program Authorization: Agreed to the conference report on S. 1011, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program for fiscal year 1970, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Page 17945

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 17945

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 17945

AEC Authorization: House agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12167, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, thereby clearing the measure for the President. Pages 17945–17946

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 1010 (in lieu of H.R. 1999).

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1462 and H.R. 3920.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 5419, 1707, and 1698.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 3165, 6389, S. 648, 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 4105, and 9488. Page 17946

Clerk Authorization: Agreed to H. Res. 459, authorizing the Clerk of the House to supply to the U.S. attorney for the Northern District of Illinois certain copies of papers and documents. Page 17948

Printing Resolutions: By voice votes, the House adopted the following printing resolutions:

H. Con. Res. 66, providing for the printing as a House document of certain maps and indicia relating to Vietnam and the Asian Continent;

H. Con. Res. 208, authorizing the printing of additional copies of parts 1, 2, and 3 of the publication entitled "Subversive Influences in Riots, Looting, and Burning";

H. Con. Res. 209, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the committee print "The Analysis and Evaluation of Public Expenditures: The PPB System";

H. Con. Res. 291, to provide for the printing of inaugural addresses from President George Washington to President Richard M. Nixon, amended;

H. Con. Res. 294, authorizing the printing as a House document of a representative sampling of the public speeches of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower;

H. Res. 409, authorizing reprinting of "Panel on Science and Technology Tenth Meeting—Science and Technology and the Cities, Proceedings Before the Committee on Science and Astronautics," amended;

H. Res. 410, authorizing reprinting of "Technical Information for Congress"; and

S. Con. Res. 21, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2, thermal pollution, 1968 hearings. Pages 17948–17950

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 17982

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued executive hearings on the fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization request. Testimony was heard from Representatives Collins and Wright and Department of Defense witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PRIME RATE INCREASE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the prime interest rate increase, with further testimony from William McChesney Martin, Chairman, Federal Reserve Board.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from Wilbur Thompson, Wayne State Research Center, Detroit, Mich.

INTERSTATE COMPACT ON JUVENILES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 concluded hearings on H.R. 8868, to authorize the District of Columbia to enter into the interstate compact

on juveniles. Testimony was heard from David Miller, Special Assistant to the Attorney General; Judge Alfred D. Noyes, Juvenile Court, Montgomery County; Michael Sindler, Assistant Corporation Counsel; James M. Dean, Deputy Administrator, Maryland State Department of Juvenile Services; and Luther J. Glass, legal consultant, Department of Welfare and Institutions, Virginia.

PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session for markup of H.R. 11941, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965. The committee referred the bill back to the Special Subcommittee on Education. H.R. 11785, educational media centers for handicapped children, which was also scheduled for markup, was not considered by the committee.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Robert H. Warren, USAF, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs), for military assistance and sales.

IA–ECOSOC MEETING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for briefing with Hon. John S. Monagan, congressional adviser to the U.S. delegation to the Sixth Inter-American Social and Economic Council (IA–ECOSOC), and Hon. Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, for briefing on the recent meeting of the IA–ECOSOC held in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Committee on House Administration: Special Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

INDIAN FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded hearings on H.R. 9477, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 concluded hearings on H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 for an additional 5 years. Further testimony was heard from Hon. John N. Mitchell, Attorney General of the United States.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 6750, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality.

The committee also considered legislation pertaining to the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act and will continue consideration tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Dr. Leo S. Packer, former Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Research and Engineering; and a representative of the National Star Route Mail Carriers' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARKS ADMINISTRATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.J. Res. 247, National Parks Administration Act. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall and Representative Saylor.

LANDS TRANSFER FROM CARSON NATIONAL FOREST

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 471, transfer of lands out of the Carson National Forest. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall and Representative Saylor.

CALIFORNIA DISASTER RELIEF ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making committee substitute in order as original bill for amendment, on H.R. 6508, California Disaster Relief Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Jones of Alabama, Anderson, Johnson of California, and Don Clausen.

MEDICAL LIBRARY ASSISTANCE EXTENSION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making committee substitute in order as original bill for amendment, on H.R. 11702, Medical Library Assistance Extension Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Rogers of Florida.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through June 30, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	72	94	..
Time in session	275 hrs., 05′	242 hrs., 23′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	7,382	5,508	12,890
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	5,402
Public bills enacted into law	14	22	36
Private bills enacted into law	8	6	14
Bills in conference	..	2	..
Bills through conference	..	1	..
Measures passed, total	301	305	..
Senate bills	125	18	..
House bills	43	154	..
Senate joint resolutions	19	7	..
House joint resolutions	4	4	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	6	..
House concurrent resolutions	13	16	..
Simple resolutions	88	100	188
Measures reported, total	*361	*315	..
Senate bills	134	15	..
House bills	51	202	..
Senate joint resolutions	21	2	..
House joint resolutions	4	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	13	7	..
Simple resolutions	129	79	208
Special reports	8	20	..
Conference reports	..	1	..
Reported measures not acted on	18	49	..
Measures introduced, total	2,894	14,103	16,997
Bills	2,518	12,547	15,065
Joint resolutions	129	801	930
Concurrent resolutions	33	297	330
Simple resolutions	214	458	672
Quorum calls	8	53	..
Yea-and-nay votes	43	44	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 282 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 336 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through June 30, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 9,641, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,576
Unconfirmed	2,064
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 6,737, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,108
Unconfirmed	629
Navy nominations, totaling 17,319, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	17,307
Unconfirmed	12
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 6,286, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,206
Unconfirmed	80
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,490, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,238
Unconfirmed	234
Withdrawn	18
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	43,101
Total confirmed	39,611
Total unconfirmed	3,019
Total withdrawn	471

Wednesday, July 2, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18185–18282

Bills Introduced: 18 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2528–2545. Pages 18235–18236

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service (S. Rept. 91–283);

H.R. 3689, ceding to Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center at Fort Harrison, Mont. (S. Rept. 91–284);

S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–285); and

S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act (S. Rept. 91–286). Page 18235

Measures Referred: Five House-passed bills and five House-adopted concurrent resolutions were appropriately referred. Page 18185

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Javits filed notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies. Page 18242

Sawtooth Recreation Area: Senate passed S. 853, to establish the Sawtooth National Recreation Area in Idaho, after adopting committee amendments en bloc and amendments by Senator Church providing that prospecting, exploration, development, and mining shall be carried out so as to protect scenic and esthetic values and avoid pollution. Pages 18230–18234

Air Carriers: Senate passed S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute), which had first been amended by adoption of two amendments offered by Senator Byrd (West Virginia) on behalf of Senator Magnuson (1) providing that any person owning beneficially 10 percent or more of the voting securities or capital of an air carrier shall be presumed to be in control thereof; and (2) of a technical corrective nature. Pages 18242–18245

Confirmations: Senate confirmed numerous civilian nominations, including that of Luther Holcomb, of Texas, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. Page 18283

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW; Kenneth Franzheim II, of Texas, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; Eileen R. Donovan, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Barbados; and numerous Marine Corps. Pages 18282–18283

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 1092, to provide for the inspection of fishery facilities and products, and S. 1091, providing financial assistance to the commercial fishing industry in meeting requirements set forth in S. 1092. Testimony was received from Ronald DeLucien, Florida Finest Seafood, Inc.; Ralph Nader, attorney, Washington, D.C.; J. Ray Duggan, president, and Paul Jacobs, chairman of the board, National Fisheries Institute; Mrs. Elizabeth M. Wallace, Oyster Institute of North America, Sayville, N.Y.; Lowell Wakefield, Alaska King Crab Institute, Wakefield, Alaska; William R. Neblett, National Shrimp Congress, Key West, Fla.; J. V. Colson, Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission, accompanied by James C. Farrelly, Louisiana Shrimp Association, New Orleans; Mrs. Sarah Newman, National Consumers League, Washington, D.C.; and H. R. Bassett, Chesapeake Seafood Packers Association, Salisbury, Md.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 10.

MEDICARE AND MEDICAID

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings to examine the operation and status of the medicare and medicaid programs, with testimony from Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Arthur E. Hess, Deputy Commissioner, and Thomas M. Tierney, Bureau of Health Insurance, all of the Social Security Administration; Melvin Blumenthal, General Counsel, and Francis L. Land, Commissioner, Medical Services Administration, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Randolph W. Thrower, Commissioner, and William H. Smith, Deputy Commissioner, both of the Internal Revenue Service; and Robert Iffert and James Rother, both of the General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS, AND RECOGNITION OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 205, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding recognition of foreign governments by the United States; and the following nominations:

John A. Calhoun, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia;

Joseph J. Jova, of Florida, to be U.S. representative on the Council of the Organization of American States;

David D. Newsom, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs;

John C. Pritzlaff, Jr., of Arizona, to be Ambassador to Malta;

Luther I. Replogle, of Illinois to be Ambassador to Iceland;

John Richardson, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs;

Kenneth Rush, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany;

Adolph W. Schmidt, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Canada;

John R. Stevenson, of New York, to be Legal Adviser of the Department of State;

J. Fife Symington, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Trinidad and Tobago;

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad;

Philip H. Trezise, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs;

Samuel Z. Westerfield, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Liberia;

William F. Buckley, Jr., of Connecticut, to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Information;

Ridgway B. Knight, of New York, to be Ambassador to Portugal; and

Joseph Palmer II, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Libya.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus riots, having as its witnesses Richard W. Lyman, vice president and provost, Stanford University; William R. Rambo, Charles A. Anderson, and Rudolph K. Brunsvold, all of the Electronics Laboratory, Stanford Research Institute, California; and Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 8.

INSURANCE COMPANY BANKRUPTCIES

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings concerning the failure in recent years of several auto insurance companies, with testimony today concerning the bankruptcy of the State Fire & Casualty Co., which was put into receivership in the State of Florida. Witnesses heard were Raymond Karlinsky, B & R Excess Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.; S. Mort Zimmerman, Capital Bancshares, Dallas; Benjamin Dobson, former president of State Fire & Casualty Co.; and Emil Tucker and George Henry, Mar-Bal Enterprises, New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to consider pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Monday, July 7.

POSTMASTER APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported, without amendment, S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 12570–12592; four private bills, H.R. 12593–12596; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 804 and 805, H. Con. Res. 298, and H. Res. 465–469, were introduced. Pages 18318–18319

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 9. Pages 18308–18309

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open legislative session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 574, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project; and S. 38, to consent to the Upper Niobrara River compact between the States of Wyoming and Nebraska. The committee also considered H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California, but took no final action on it.

U.S. FISHING FLEET IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4813, H.R. 2359, and H.R. 12323, to extend, amend, and increase the annual authorization of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee to continue consideration Tuesday, July 8.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Starr Thomas, Esq., vice president, law, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, representing the Association of American Railroads; and a representative of National Newspaper Association.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 8.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

Monday, July 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18410–18454

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2548–2560; and S.J. Res. 131–132.

(The last bill introduced when the Senate was last in session on July 2 was S. 2545. S. 2546–2547 are original bills that were reported during adjournment thereafter and under prior authority, as indicated below under "Bills Reported"). **Pages 18411–18412**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

During adjournment on July 3 and under prior authority, the following bills were reported:

S. 545, removing existing statutory limit on funds which may be authorized for the D.C. Bail Agency, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–287);

S. 1458, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the District of Columbia except as an incident to the practice of law (S. Rept. 91–288);

S. 2185, authorizing funds for Federal contribution for a transit development program in the National Capital area, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–289);

An original bill (S. 2546), fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement (S. Rept. 91–290); and

S. 1072, proposed Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–291).

The following report was submitted during adjournment prior to convening today under prior authority:

An original bill (S. 2547), extending and revising the food stamp program, and authorizing funds therefor through fiscal year 1972 (S. Rept. 91–292).

After Senate met today, the following bill was reported: S. 2068, to amend the Labor Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day care centers, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–293). **Pages 18410–18411**

Agriculture Appropriations: By 88 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, after adopting the following additional amendments (which include all remaining committee amendments):

By 53 yeas to 34 nays, committee amendment to eliminate House language that would limit to $20,000 payments to any producer in any price support program (motion to reconsider tabled); two committee amendments en bloc respecting funds for plant and animal disease and pest control (motion to reconsider tabled); committee amendments en bloc respecting special milk program and milk for children in nonprofit institutions devoted to the care and training of children (motion to reconsider tabled); modified Javits amendments en bloc (for himself and others) to increase from $10 million to $15 million funds for special food service programs for children, to remain available until September 30, 1971 (motion to reconsider tabled); Pastore amendment to eliminate proviso directing Secretary of Agriculture to consider certain stated factors in determining eligibility for food programs to relieve hunger (motion to reconsider tabled); Hart amendment barring use of funds for purchase or application of chemical pesticides in certain circumstances, except in small quantities for testing; and Mundt amendment to increase from $2 million to $3 million funds for mutual and self-help housing.

Senate rejected, by 26 yeas to 65 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Goodell motion to suspend the rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to bar use of funds to make price support or acreage diversion payments which would result in total such payments to any producer in excess of $10,000 for each of the 1970 crops of cotton, wheat, and feed grains, and providing that the so-called snap-back provision of the Agricultural Act of 1949 shall not apply to the 1970 crop of cotton. Prior to this action a point of order against the amendment was sustained.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Holland, Russell, Stennis, Ellender, Hruska, Young (North Dakota), and Mundt. **Pages 18454–18488**

Military Procurement: Senate made its unfinished business S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Senator Stennis announced that at some point during consideration of the bill, it is his intention to move for a closed-door session for discussion of classified information. The majority leader announced he concurs in this intention and also expressed his hope that Members will be in full attendance so far as possible while the bill is considered because of its extreme importance

and also stated his hope that consideration of the bill will be completed by the end of the month. Page 18489

Stockpiling: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that after approval of the Journal on Tuesday, July 8, Senate will consider House amendment to S. 1647, authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile, with debate limitation of 30 minutes, equally divided, for consideration of the House amendment and all amendments thereto. Page 18491

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for his agency from Donald E. Johnson, Administrator, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow when HUD Secretary Romney will testify.

NOMINATION—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Thursday, July 3, committee held hearings on the nomination of W. Byron Sorrell, to be an associate judge of the D.C. court of general sessions, with testimony from Belford Lawson, chairman, Judicial Selection Committee, and Jacob Stein, former president, both of the D.C. Bar Association; and Bruce Terris, chairman, Democratic Central Committee of the District of Columbia.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency resumed its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young adult offenders, having as its witnesses Representative Podell; David Rothenberg, executive secretary, the Fortune Society, New York City, a group of ex-convicts working for prison reform in the United States, who was accompanied by five former inmates of New York juvenile institutions who are now on parole; and Dr. Sol Chanales, president, Urban Resources, Inc., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee resumed executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Wednesday, July 9.

FULL OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Evaluation and Planning of Social Programs began hearings on S. 5, proposed Full Opportunity Act, having as its witness Wilbur Cohen, dean, School of Education, University of Michigan, and former Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 12597–12619; four private bills, H.R. 12620–12623; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 806 and 807, were introduced. Pages 18409–18410

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles, amended (H. Rept. 91–349). Page 18409

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Annual report discontinuance: H.R. 4246, to discontinue the annual report to Congress as to the administrative settlement of personal property claims of military personnel and civilian employees. Pages 18382–18383

Claims: H.R. 4247, to amend section 2734 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary concerned to make partial payments on certain claims which are certified to Congress, amended. Pages 18383–18385

Land conveyance: H.R. 2785, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the State of Tennessee certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park and certain lands comprising the Gatlinburg spur of the Foothills Parkway. Pages 18385–18386

Indian land: H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians. Page 18386

Automotive Products Trade Act: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the third annual report on the implementation of the Automotive Products Trade Act of 1965—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 18392

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 853, to establish the Sawtooth National Recreation Area in Idaho, was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 18408

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and the fiscal year 1970

military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18564–18588

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2561–2569. **Page 18568**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2173, respecting powers of self-government of Indian tribes and extending until July 1, 1973, submission to Congress by Secretary of Interior of a model code to govern administration of justice by Courts of Indian Offenses on Indian reservations, which shall be applicable to an Indian tribe only after adoption by its tribal council (S. Rept. 91–294). **Page 18568**

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 18539**

President's Message—Unemployment Insurance: President transmitted message urging enactment of legislation to strengthen the unemployment insurance system—referred to Committee on Finance.

Pages 18537–18539

Calendar Call: On call of calendar eight bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Public lands—Fort Harrison, Mont.: H.R. 3689, ceding to Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the real property comprising the Veterans' Administration Center at Fort Harrison, Mont.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Postal appointees: S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service;

Air pollution: S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act; and

D.C.: S. 1458, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the District of Columbia except as an incident to the practice of law.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 545, removing existing statutory limit on funds which may be authorized for the D.C. Bail Agency;

D.C.: S. 2185, authorizing funds for Federal contribution for a transit development program in the National Capital area;

Appalachian regional development: S. 1072, proposed Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969; and

Disaster aid: S. 1685, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969. **Pages 18539–18559**

Stockpiling—Lead: By 58 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted House amendment to S. 1647, authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile. This action had the effect of eliminating Senate language requiring disposal of the lead to the highest responsible bidder. Adoption of the House amendment cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 18539, 18560–18564

Military Procurement: Senate began consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Senator Stennis indicated he will move at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 9, that Senate go into closed-door session for discussion of classified information under the general provisions of the bill and that another closed-door session will be moved at a later time for discussion of classified information respecting antiballistic missiles.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that routine morning business on July 9 will close by 12:15 p.m., following which there will be a live quorum call so that a motion may be made at 12:30 p.m. that Senate go into closed-door session. **Pages 18589–18599**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Philip H. Trezise, of Michigan, John Richardson, Jr., of New York, and David D. Newsom, of California, each to be an Assistant Secretary of State; John R. Stevenson, of New York, to be Legal Adviser of the Department of State; 10 to be Ambassadors as follows—John C. Pritzlaff, Jr., of Arizona, to Malta, Ridgway B. Knight, of New York, to Portugal; Joseph Palmer 2d, of Maryland, to the Kingdom of Libya, Adolph W. Schmidt, of Pennsylvania, to Canada, Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to the Republic of Chad, John A. Calhoun, of California, to the Republic of Tunisia, Luther I. Replogle, of Illinois, to Iceland, Kenneth Rush, of New York, to the Federal Republic of Germany, J. Fife Symington, Jr., of Maryland, to Trinidad and Tobago, and Samuel Z. Westerfield, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to Liberia; Joseph J. Jova, of Florida, to be U.S. representative on the Council of the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador; William F. Buckley, Jr., of Connecticut, to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Information; and one judicial (to a D.C. court). **Page 18603**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Philippines; J. Raymond Ylitalo, of South

Dakota, to be Ambassador to Paraguay; one judicial; one Navy in the rank of admiral; and numerous Air Force.

Pages 18599–18603

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for his Department from HUD Secretary George W. Romney, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on proposed funds for civil defense.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Commissioner Walter E. Washington and Assistant to the Commissioner Thomas W. Fletcher, on funds for the executive offices; T. F. Airis, Director, Department of Highways and Traffic; William D. Heath, Director, Department of Motor Vehicles; and Executive Director of the Motor Vehicle Parking Agency; Norman E. Jackson, Director, Department of Sanitary Engineering; and Norman E. Jackson and D. P. Herman, Budget Officer, both on funds for the Washington Aqueduct.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee began hearings on pending small business legislation (S. 915, 1212, 1213, 1750, 1763, 1782, 2385, 2408, 2540, and S. Res. 176). Testimony was received from Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, Small Business Administration; John M. Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement; and Eldon D. Carter, attorney at law, Glen Burnie, Md.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of George H. Goodrich, of Maryland, to be an Associate Judge of the D.C. Court of General Sessions, with testimony from Judge John H. Pratt, U.S. District Court for the D.C.; George Monk, President, and Belford V. Lawson, Jr., Judicial Selection Committee, both of the D.C. Bar Association; F. Elwood Davis, former president of the Washington Board of Trade; and Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communication services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury David M. Kennedy; and Director of the Bureau of the Budget Robert P. Mayo, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs resumed its series of hearings to study the full scope of U.S. Military Activities in Latin America, having as its witnesses Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; and G. Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witness J. C. Helms, graduate student at Harvard University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, reconsidered and ordered favorably reported with additional amendments, S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality.

Committee also approved for reporting S. 1686, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to establish age limits for appointees to the U.S. Park Police (amended); and H.R. 2785, authorizing conveyance to Tennessee of certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Joseph Rogers, Jr., to be U.S. Attorney for the District of South Carolina, with testimony from Clarence Mitchell, NAACP; and Rev. Alonzo Holman, and Billie Fleming, both of South Carolina; and on the nomination of William L. Martin, Jr., to be U.S. Marshal for the middle district of Georgia, with testimony from John H. Holloman III, Chief Counsel to the committee; Representative Chisholm; and Clarence Mitchell.

Mr. Rogers was introduced to the committee by Senator Thurmond. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young adult offenders, having as its witnesses Dr. Sam Sheppard, physician and

surgeon of Gahanna, Ohio, and author of a book entitled "Endure and Conquer," and who told of his experiences while confined in the Ohio State prison system for 10 years; and Dale Huffman, of the Dayton Daily News, Ohio, and author of articles on the Ohio prison system.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 10.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Education Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed elementary and secondary education amendments, having as its witnesses Robert A. Aleshire, National Association for Community Development; Oliver Ramsey, Education Committee, New York Council Against Poverty; Frederick S. Kline, Society for Excellence in Education, Detroit; and Dorothy A. Bennett, Berkeley Unified School District, California.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 10.

FULL OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Evaluation and Planning of Social Programs continued hearings on S. 5, proposed Full Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Whitney Young, National Urban League; Dr. Harvey Perloff, UCLA; and Dr. Mancur Olson, University of Maryland.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 10.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERGRADES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Civil Service Subcommittee held hearings on S. 542, to establish rates of compensation for certain positions in the Smithsonian Institution, and S. 2325, to provide for additional positions in civil service grades GS 16–18. Testimony was received from S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; and Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 56 public bills, H.R. 12624–12679; nine private bills, H.R. 12680–12688; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 808–811, H. Con. Res. 299, and H. Res. 470–477, were introduced. Pages 18608, 18712–18714

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, amended (H. Rept. 91–350);

H. Res. 472, providing for the establishment of a committee on the House restaurant (H. Rept. 91–351);

H. Res. 473, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4018, to provide for the renewal and extension of certain sections of the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 91–352);

H. Res. 474, providing for the consideration of H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended (H. Rept. 91–353);

H. Res. 475, providing for consideration of H.R. 10878, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation (H. Rept. 91–354);

H. Res. 476, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes (H. Rept. 91–355);

Conference report on H.R. 11400, Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1969 (H. Rept. 91–356); and

H.R. 11609, to amend the act of September 9, 1963, authorizing the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, in the State of North Carolina, amended (H. Rept. 91–357).

Pages 18604–18607

Late Report: Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Page 18604

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: House disagreed to amendments of the Senate to H.R. 11582, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Steed, Passman, Addabbo, Cohelan, Mahon, Conte, Robison, Edwards of Alabama, and Bow. Page 18607

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 18608

Committee Size: Agreed to H. Res. 470, increasing the membership of the Committee on Agriculture. Page 18608

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 471, electing Representative Melcher to the Committee on Agriculture. Page 18608

Coast Guard Authorization: Agreed to the Senate amendment on H.R. 4153, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard, thus clearing the measure for Presidential action. Page 18608

Presidential Message—Unemployment Insurance: Received and read a message from the President containing recommendations and legislative proposals to strengthen the unemployment insurance system—re-

ferred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 18608–18610

Recess: House went into recess at 1:45 p.m. and reconvened at 1:51 p.m. Page 18615

John F. Kennedy Center Act: By a record vote of 210 yeas to 162 nays, the House passed H.R. 11249, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional funds for such center.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Public Works by a record vote of 162 yeas to 217 nays.

H. Res. 447, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a division vote of 75 yeas to 47 nays. Pages 18611–18632

California Assistance: Agreed to H. Res. 463, providing for consideration of H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of California for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, landslides, and high waters. Pages 18615–18616

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit began hearings on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Steiger of Arizona, Alexander, Teague of California, Roudebush, Adair, Stubblefield, departmental and one public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives O'Neal of Georgia, Skubitz, and Watts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. PROPERTY CONVEYANCE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 concluded hearings on H.R. 11971 and H.R. 12092, to authorize and direct the District of Columbia to convey certain real property to the Washington International School, Inc. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to consider coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue consideration tomorrow.

LEARNING DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education began hearings on H.R. 8660 and H.R. 9065, the Learning Disabilities Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, accompanied by Hon. Maurice J. Williams, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments held a hearing on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bingham and Cohelan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OBSCENE MATERIAL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on advertising of obscene materials through the mail. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Blount and members of his staff.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES' WORKING HOURS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Promote the Safety of Employees and Travelers Upon Railroads by Limiting the Hours of Service of Employees Thereon," approved March 4, 1907. Testimony was heard from Rex Manion, vice president, operations and maintenance department, Association of American Railroads; D. C. Hastings, vice president, transportation and maintenance, Seaboard Coastline Railroad; S. B. Burton, assistant general manager, operating and maintenance departments, Southern Pacific Railroad; and A. M. Schofield, assistant vice president, operations and planning, Penn Central.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

U.S. FISHING FLEET IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee ac-

tion H.R. 4813, amended, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Norman J. Philion, vice president, Air Transport Association of America, and Fred O'Dwyer, president, National Association of Postal Supervisors.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23 of the United States Code relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from Representative McClure and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 10878, National Science Foundation authorization. Testimony was heard from Representative Daddario.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, making in order the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment, on H.R. 4018, Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cramer and Jones of Alabama.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSE RESTAURANT

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported a substitute for H. Res. 137, establishing a committee on the House restaurant. Testimony was heard from Representative Kluczynski.

STATE TAXATION OF NATIONAL BANKS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 7491, State taxation of national banks. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patman and Widnall.

ACQUISITION OF CONTROL OF AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making in order the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment, on H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended.

NSLI TRUST FUNDS FOR HOUSING LOANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and voted to defer action for 60 days on H.R. 9476, concerning use of National Service Life Insurance trust funds for housing loans.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

URANIUM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings to receive testimony concerning the future ownership of the Government's uranium enrichment facilities, having as its witnesses Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, who was accompanied by members of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from GAO witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18856–18893

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2570–2577. Page 18865

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1686, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to establish age limits for appointees to the U.S. Park Police, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–295); and

S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–296). Page 18865

Bill Referred: H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center was referred to the Committee on Public Works. Page 18865

Military Procurement: Senate continued its debate on S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Senate rescinded its order of yesterday that routine morning business today would close at 12:15 p.m., to be followed by a live quorum call.

By unanimous consent, Senate agreed to meet at 11 a.m. tomorrow and on Friday, July 11.

Pages 18893–18925

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 11400, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, concurring in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 6, 7, 8 (operation and maintenance for Marine Corps, Army National Guard, and Air National Guard), 40 (Manpower Administration, Department of Labor), 42 (funds for annual interest grants, Higher Educational Facilities Act), and 90 (to title IV—limitation on fiscal year 1970 budget outlays). These actions cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 18925–18941

Postal Appointees: Senate adopted Yarborough motion that Senate reconsider its action of July 8 in passing S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service. Secretary of Senate was authorized to request the House to return the papers on the bill.

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Confirmation: Senate confirmed one judicial nomination to a D.C. court. Page 18942

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for their agencies from John E. Davis, Director of Civil Defense, Department of Defense; and Irving J. Lewis, Deputy Administrator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration, Department of HEW, on emergency health funds.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for NASA.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from John A. Eaton, Personnel Officer, on funds for wage board employees; Comer S. Coppie, Deputy Budget Officer, on funds for repayment of loans and interest, and Federal obligations; Wiley Branton, Chairman, Commission on the Criminal Code of the District of Columbia; Frederick A. Babson, Jackson Graham, and Mrs. Gladys Spellman, all on funds for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; and Kenneth Back, Director of D.C. Finance and Revenue, and Jay Martin, Capital Cigar & Tobacco Co., who testified on new revenue estimates and status of revenue legislation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, receiving testimony from Dr. Ed Wenk, Executive Director, National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SMALL BUSINESS LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee continued hearings on pending small business legislation (S. 915, 1212, 1213, 1750, 1763, 1782, 2385, 2408, 2540, 2560, and S. Res. 176). Testimony was received from George Williams, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies; T. Carl Wedel, Kensington Equities Corp., New York City; Henry Kauffman, Solomon Bros. & Hutzler, New York City; R. C. Miller, Commissary Food, Inc., Cleveland; Frank Hahn, Zimmerman Beef Co., and Arrow Packing Co., Atlanta; and Stanley Rubel, publisher, SBIC Venture Capital Services, Chicago.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GAS PIPELINE SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings to determine what progress has been made by the Department of Transportation in implementing the Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was received from William C. Jennings, Acting Director, Office of Pipeline Safety, Department of Transportation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communication services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, with testimony from William Graham Claytor, president, Southern Railroad; Paul D. Seghers, president, Institute on U.S. Taxation of Foreign Income, Inc.; Thomas J. Ryan, National Constructors Association; J. R. Gulan, National Federation of Independent Business; Brice O'Brien, National Coal Association; Marvin L. McLain, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 11.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of William J. Casey, of New York, to be a member of the General Advisory Committee of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency;

Eileen R. Donovan, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Barbados; Joseph A. Greenwald, of Illinois, to be U.S. representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development; and Roderic L. O'Connor, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witnesses James M. Nabrit, Jr., former president of Howard University, Washington, D.C.; Orlando H. White and Rev. J. Kenneth Morris, both of whom are officials of Voorhees College, Denmark, S.C.; and Walter S. Fialkewicz, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SURPLUS PROPERTY

Committee on Government Operations: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Surplus Property held hearings on pending legislation dealing with surplus property matters (S. 406, 1366, 1632, 1718, 2114, 2170, and 2210). Testimony was received from Senators Proxmire, Moss, Hansen, and Stevens; Representative Wold; Lane Dwinell, Assistant Administrator for Administration, Agency for International Development; Mitchell Melich, Solicitor, and Raymond C. Coulter, Deputy Solicitor, both of the Department of the Interior; and Lewis Tuttle, Office of Personal Property Disposal, and William P. Wolf, Office of Real Property Disposal, both of the General Services Administration.

Written statements were submitted for inclusion in the Record for Senators McGee and Inouye.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded its series of hearings on S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, after receiving testimony from Andrew Biemiller, AFL–CIO; and Bess Myerson Grant, Commissioner of Consumer Affairs of New York, who were accompanied by their associates.

MINING AND MINERALS POLICY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy so as to promote efficient use of mineral resources. Testimony was received from Hollis M. Dole, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Mineral Resources; Charles Kendall, General Counsel, and William Lawrence, Chief, Materials Policy Division, both of the Office of Emergency Preparedness; S. David Freeman, Director, Energy Policy Staff, Office of Science and Technology; Dr. George R. Hill, dean of the College of Mines and Mineral Industries, University of Utah; Dr. Elburt F. Osborn, Pennsylvania State University; John B. Rigg, Colorado Mining Association; Edward H. Peplow, Jr., Arizona Mining Association; Prof. Eugene P. Pfleider, School of Mineral and Metallurgical Research, University of Minnesota; Dr. James D. Forrester, dean, College of Mines, University of Arizona; and the following representatives of the American Mining Congress: Cris Dobbins, president; Andrew Fletcher, honorary chairman; James Boyd, Cooper Range Co. (Research, Development and Manpower); David Swan, Kennecott Copper Corp. (Environmental Quality); Charles F. Barber, American Smelting & Refining Co. (Public Lands); Lindsay F. Johnson, The New Jersey Zinc Co. (Stockpile); Fred W. Peel, Miller & Chevalier (Tax Policy and Mine Finance); and Donald J. Donahue, American Metal Climax, Inc. (Foreign Trade).

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

VOTING RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee began hearings on proposed amendments to the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (S. 818, 2456, 2507, and title IV of S. 2029), having as its witnesses Senator Mathias; and Mrs. Frankie Freeman, member, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW, and Hubert B. Heffner, of California, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Science and Technology, with testimony in their behalf from Senators Murphy and Cranston.

Committee also held hearings on the nomination of William D. McElroy, of Maryland, to be Director of the National Science Foundation, with testimony from Senator Mathias.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider these nominations and other pending business.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERGRADES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Civil Service Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 542, to establish rates of compensation for certain positions in the Smithsonian Institution, and S. 2325, to provide for additional positions in civil service grades GS 16–18. Testimony was received from Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Roger W. Jones, Special Assistant to the Director, Bureau of the Budget; L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; and C. O. Henderson, president, National Federation of Professional Organizations.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SENATE RESTAURANT

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on the Senate Restaurant held an executive meeting, but made no announcements.

SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed its hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, with testimony concerning school lunches and child nutrition from the following witnesses: Miss Jean Fairfax, former chairman, Committee on School Lunch Participation; Curtis Harris, associate State coordinator of Virginia Council on Human Rights; James Borough, supervisor, School Lunch Section, Michigan; Gloria Atchison, Barbara Quarles, and Ernestine Cooper, all of whom are Detroit citizens; and William Simmons, deputy superintendent, Detroit Public Schools; Fred Martin, assistant to the superintendent of Detroit Public Schools; and Howard Briggs, director of the Detroit school lunch program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly held hearings on the subject of "The Role of Giant Corporations in the American and World Economies: Auto Industry 1969." Testimony was received from Raphael Cohen, Metropolitan Independent Dodge-Chrysler Dealers Association, Ridgewood, N.J.; Alexander Hammond, a lawyer of New York City; and Thomas C. Mann, Automobile Manufacturers Association, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 12689–12715; and five private bills, H.R. 12716–12720, were introduced. Page 18855

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 574, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resource developments, amended (H. Rept. 91–358); and

S. 38, to consent to the Upper Niobrara River compact between the States of Wyoming and Nebraska (H. Rept. 91–359). Pages 18854–18855

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight Thursday, July 10, on the Department of Interior and Related Agencies Appropriation Act for fiscal year 1970. Page 18788

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 348 yeas to 49 nays, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11400, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action.

Receded and concurred in Senate amendments numbered 4, 11, 13, 16, 27, 29, 31, 33, 38, 39, 43, 46, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 60, 62, 87, 91, and 92.

Receded and concurred with amendment to Senate amendments numbered 6, 7, 8, 40, 42, and 90. Pages 18790–18805

California Assistance: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of California for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, landslides, and high waters.

Agreed to the committee substitute. Pages 18805–18814

Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 18854

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit concluded hearings on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kee, Lloyd, Long of Louisiana, and Jones of Tennessee and departmental witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Passman, Whitten, Lujan, and Wold.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Further testimony was heard from Department of the Air Force witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow with Navy witnesses.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued executive consideration of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Tuesday, July 15.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 11476 and related bills, miners' compensation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Flood and Ken Hechler, who was accompanied by a group of disabled coal miners.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LEARNING DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 8660

and H.R. 9065, the Learning Disabilities Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Erlenborn, Halpern, Fish, and Don Clausen and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Maurice J. Williams, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

U.S. RELATIONS WITH RUMANIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for briefing on current U.S. relations with Rumania with Emory C. Swank, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs, and George R. Kaplan, Rumanian Country Desk Officer, Department of State.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Representatives Foley and Moorhead.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 15.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources held hearings on H.R. 11952, to reorganize the executive branch of the Government by transferring functions of various agencies relating to evaluation of the effect of certain activities upon the environment to the Environmental Quality Council. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Science Adviser to the President.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES' WORKING HOURS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "an act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907. Testimony was heard from J. P. Hiltz, chairman, National Railroad Conference; Thomas M. Goodfellow, president, Association of American Railroads; Reginald M. Whitman, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration; and P. Howard Croft, president, American Shortline Railroad Association.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Paul Oberkotter, president, and Charles W. L. Foreman, vice president, United Parcel Service; James F. Pinkney, Esq., chief counsel, public affairs, American Trucking Associations, Inc., accompanied by W. W. Callam, chairman of the board, Central Freight Lines, Inc., Waco, Tex.; and Mr. H. H. Arnold, president, Dieckbrader Express, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System, and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23 of the United States Code relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11542, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of the United States.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE ALLOWANCES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11959, amended, to amend chapters 31, 34, and 35 of title 38, United States Code, in order to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans and persons under such chapters.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

URANIUM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony concerning the future ownership of the Government's uranium enrichment facilities, having as its witnesses Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; and Gregory J. Ahart, Dean Crowther, and Roger Sperry, all of the Civil Division of the General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INDUSTRIALIZED HOUSING

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs held hearings to supplement studies on the subject of industrialized housing, having as its witnesses Harold B. Finger, Assistant Secretary for Research and Technology, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and Charles L. Biederman, technical services, Levitt & Sons Corp., New York City.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 23.

Thursday, July 10, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19014–19052

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2578–2592; S.J. Res. 133–135; and S. Con. Res. 34. Pages 19022, 19030–19033

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2785, authorizing conveyance to Tennessee of certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park (S. Rept. 91–297);

S. 267, private bill (S. Rept. 91–298);

S. 2462, extending for 1 year authorizations for and the time for filing report by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (S. Rept. 91–299);

S.J. Res. 85, to designate the period of August 26–September 1, 1969, as National Archery Week (S. Rept. 91–300);

S. 571, 2019, H.R. 1828, S. 1963, 1645, 1798, 1527, 1526, H.R. 2890, 2536, 2224, 1948, 3166, 3167, 3172, 3376, 10060, and S. 1110, private bills (S. Rept. 91–301 to 91–318).

Pages 19021–19022

Environmental Quality: Senate passed with committee amendments, S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality. Motion to reconsider passage of the bill was tabled. Pages 19008–19013

Disaster Relief: Senate took from desk and passed H.R. 6508, proposed California Disaster Relief Act, after amending the bill by substituting for its text, the language of S. 1685, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969, as it had passed the Senate, amended, on July 8.

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Postal Appointees: Pursuant to Senate request of Wednesday, July 9, that House return S. 1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service, the bill was today returned by House. Page 19075

Military Procurement: Senate continued its debate of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. Pages 19052–19075

Nominations: Senate received numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service nominations, including that of Leonard C. Meeker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Romania. Senate also received numerous Army nominations. Pages 19075–19077

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for his agency from Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Members of Congress and public witnesses will be heard.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on cargo preference provision of the proposed export expansion and regulation bill, with testimony from Philip H. Trezise, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Kenneth N. Davis, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Paul Hall, Seafarers International Union; Herbert E. Harris, American Farm Bureau Federation; Glen D. Hofer, National Association of Wheat Growers, accompanied by Roswell Garst, National Corn Growers Association, and Elbert Harp, Grain Sorghum Producers Association; Henry H. Wilson, Jr., Chicago Board of Trade; Daniel G. Amstutz, Grain and Feed Dealers National Association; Alfred Maskin, American Maritime Association; Earl W. Clark, Labor-Management Maritime Committee; and Dr. N. R. Danielian, International Economic Policy Association.

Committee will meet in executive session on Monday,

July 14, to continue consideration of this proposed legislation.

NOMINATION—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of William S. Thompson, to be associate judge of the D.C. court of general sessions, with testimony from the following witnesses: Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia; Gilbert Hahn, Jr., Chairman, Sterling Tucker, Vice Chairman, and Polly Shackleton, all of the D.C. Council; Jacob A. Stein, immediate past president, and Belford V. Lawson, Jr., chairman of the Judicial Selection Committee, both of the D.C. Bar Association; Jeremiah C. Waterman, D.C. Republican Committee; George Monk and James W. Cobb, both of the Washington Bar Association; Charles S. Rhyne, former president of the American Bar Association; and Fred H. Evans, a D.C. citizen.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Veterans' Legislation held hearings on several pending bills relating to dependency and indemnity compensation and insurance (S. 1471, 1479, 1650, 2003, 2186, and 2533). Testimony was received from Senator Cranston; Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; William J. Driver, former Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; Terrell Wertz, National Legislative Commission, accompanied by Edward H. Golembieski, National Rehabilitation Commission of American Legion; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; Charles L. Huber, Disabled American Veterans; Irvin P. Schloss, Blinded Veterans Association; Col. James Chapman, Retired Officers Association; and a statement from Veterans of World War I.

SURPLUS PROPERTY

Committee on Government Operations: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Surplus Property continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with surplus property matters (S. 406, 1366, 1632, 1718, 2114, 2170, and 2210). Testimony was received from Paul H. Riley, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Supply and Services; Allen Dean, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Administration; Sol Elson, Office of Surplus Property Utilization, Department of HEW; and Weldon Flint, National Association of State Agencies for Surplus Property.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witnesses Dr. Lewis Dowdy, president, and Dr. Jesse Marshall, dean of students, both of A. & T. State College, Greensboro, N.C.; Chief Paul Calhoun and Lt. F. N. Ford, both of the Greensboro Police Department; and Walter S. Fialkewicz, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 15.

OIL AND GAS LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels met in executive session to consider S. 1219, to terminate drilling for oil and gas in the Santa Barbara Channel off the coast of California, and to suspend all other such drilling off the California coast until completion of a study of such operations, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported:

S.J. Res. 85, to designate the period of August 26–September 1, 1969, as National Archery Week;

S. 2462, extending for 1 year authorizations for and the time for filing report by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission;

Nineteen private immigration bills (S. 571, 1110, 1526, 1527, 1645, 1798, 92, 1963, 2019, H.R. 1828, 1948, 3172, 10060, 2224, 2536, 2890, 3166, 3167, and 3376); one private claim bill (S. 267); and

The following nominations:

William E. Amos, of Maryland, to be a member of the Board of Parole;

Charles H. Anderson, to be U.S. attorney, middle district of Tennessee;

Wade H. Ballard III, to be U.S. attorney, southern district of West Virginia;

Frank M. Dulan, to be U.S. marshal, northern district of New York;

Leigh B. Hanes, Jr., to be U.S. attorney, western district of Virginia;

Melvin A. Hove, to be U.S. marshal, northern district of Iowa;

William F. Howland, Jr., of Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Parole;

Evan LeRoy Hultman, to be U.S. attorney, northern district of Iowa;

Isaac George Hylton, to be U.S. marshal, eastern district of Virginia;

William L. Martin, Jr., to be U.S. marshal, middle district of Georgia;

Joseph O. Rogers, Jr., to be U.S. attorney, district of South Carolina;

Robert J. Roth, to be U.S. attorney, district of Kansas;

Henry A. Schwarz, to be U.S. attorney, eastern district of Illinois;

R. Jackson B. Smith, Jr., to be U.S. attorney, southern district of Georgia;

James M. Sullivan, Jr., to be U.S. attorney, northern district of New York;

George E. Tobin, to be U.S. marshal, northern district of California;

Robert G. Wagner, to be U.S. marshal, northern district of Ohio;

Donald E. Walter, to be U.S. attorney, western district of Louisiana;

Charles S. White-Spunner, to be U.S. attorney, southern district of Alabama;

Charles R. Wilcox, to be U.S. marshal, district of Wyoming;

James E. Williams, to be U.S. marshal, district of South Carolina;

Bethel B. Larey, to be U.S. attorney, western district of Arkansas;

Farley E. Mogan, to be U.S. marshal, district of Oregon;

John O. Olson, to be U.S. attorney, western district of Wisconsin;

Gerald S. Levin, to be U.S. district judge, northern district of California; and

H. Emory Widener, Jr., to be U.S. district judge, western district of Virginia.

Committee also approved annual reports of its Subcommittees on Antitrust and Monopoly and Revision and Codification.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 50 private immigration bills (S. 128, 166, 213, 243, 259, 925, 1027, 1156, 1161, 1163, 1183, 1414, 1542, 2051, 2179, 2180, 2397, 284, 906, 907, 908, 1138, 1139, 1154, 1199, 1272, 1273, 1274, 1410, 1427, 1502, 1543, 1551, 1552, 1554, 1555, 1670, 1671, 1700, 1723, 1837, 1838, 1843, 1954, 2123, 2159, 2423, H.R. 3040, 3044, and 2464).

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration, with two amendments by Senator Dirksen, S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the following nominations:

Ozell M. Trask, of Arizona, to be U.S. circuit judge, Ninth Circuit, with testimony from Senators Fannin and Goldwater;

Eugene A. Wright, of Washington, to be U.S. circuit judge, Ninth Circuit, with testimony from Senator Jackson;

Gerald S. Levin, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of California, with testimony from Senator Murphy; and

H. Emory Widener, to be U.S. district judge for the western district of Virginia, with testimony from Senator Byrd (Virginia) and Representative Wampler.

VOTING RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed amendments to the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (S. 818, 2456, 2507, and title IV of S. 2029), having as its witnesses Clarence Mitchell, NAACP; and Warren Richardson, Liberty Lobby.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Attorney General Mitchell.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young adult offenders, having as its witnesses Ellis MacDougall, commissioner, Department of Corrections of Connecticut; Rev. Curtis Harris, Virginia Council on Human Relations; Rev. Leonard Smalls, committee on prison reforms, Council of Black Clergy, Philadelphia; and Barbara Woodford, organizer of Pennsylvania program for women and girl offenders.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW; Hubert B. Heffner, of California, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Science and Technology; and William D. McElroy, of Maryland, to be Director of the National Science Foundation.

Committee also ordered favorably reported H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the construction industries in all Federal and federally-assisted construction projects (with a substitute amendment embodying language of a modified version of S. 1368, companion bill).

Committee also considered, but did not conclude action on, H.R. 11235, proposed Older Americans Act Amendments, and will meet again tomorrow for its further consideration.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Education Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed elementary and secondary education amendments, with testimony from the following witnesses:

Association for Children With Learning Disabilities—Dr. Samuel Kirk, professor of special education, University of Arizona, and chairman, professional advisory board; ACLD; Dr. Hyman Gardsbane, vice president, ACLD, Shreveport, La.; and Robert A. Jackson, national board member, ACLD;

Council for Exceptional Children—William C. Geer, executive secretary, and Frederick J. Weintraub, assistant executive secretary; and

Panel on the Gifted—William G. Vassar, consultant, gifted and talented children, Connecticut Department of Education; Dr. Joseph French, professor of special education and educational psychology, Pennsylvania State University; Dr. Marvin Gold, director of Lincoln School, Simpsonville, Ky.; and Dr. William Rogge, research professor, Department of Education, University of Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FULL OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Evaluation and Planning of Social Programs continued hearings on S. 5, proposed Full Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Dr. Talcott Parsons, Harvard University; Maurice Mann, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; Lewis Butler, Assistant Secretary of HEW; Francis Keppel, General Learning Corp.; and Dr. Donald Michaels, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 18.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement held hearings on S. 2326, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress, with testimony from Senator McGee; James H. Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers; Thomas G. Walters, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; Patrick Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks; John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Herbert F. Alfrey, National Association of Rural Letter Carriers; and Dr. Nathan T. Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, with further testimony concerning school lunches and child nutrition from the following witnesses: Senator Tydings; Rodney Leonard, former Administrator, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Rodney Ashby, Administrator, School Food Service Division, State of Utah; and Josephine Martin, school lunch director for Georgia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued hearings on the subject of "The Role of Giant Corporations in the American and World Economies: Auto Industry 1969." Testimony was received from Yura Arkus-Duntov, Equity Funding Corp., New York City; David Housman, Automatic Radio Manufacturing Co., Inc., Melrose, Mass.; Richard Luntz, R S L Corporate, Cleveland; and Thomas C. Mann, Automobile Manufacturers Association, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 12721–12781; three private bills, H.R. 12782–12784; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 812 and 813 and H. Res. 478, were introduced. **Pages 19143–19145**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11959, to amend chapters 31, 34, and 35 of title 38, United States Code, in order to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans and persons under such chapters, amended (H. Rept. 91–360); and

H.R. 12781, Department of Interior and Related Agencies Appropriation Act for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–361). **Pages 19142–19143**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Government Procurement of the Committee on Small Business and the Subcommittee on Roads of the Committee on Public Works received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 19078**

Late Reports: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file a report by midnight Saturday, July 12, on H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act, to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality; and the Committee on the District of Columbia received permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday, July 11. **Pages 19078, 19080**

House Restaurant Committee: Agreed to H. Res. 472, creating a select committee to be known as the "Committee on the House Restaurant."

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed as members of the committee Representatives Kluczynski, chairman, Steed, Cabell, Collier, and Thomson of Wisconsin. **Page 19080**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 19081**

Medical Library Assistance Act: By a record vote of 370 yeas to 3 nays, the House passed H.R. 11702, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

H. Res. 464, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 19081–19090

Standard Reference Data Act Authorization: By a record vote of 367 yeas to 2 nays, the House passed H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act.

Agreed to the committee amendment.

H. Res. 446, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 19081–19082, 19090–19095

Senate Bill Returned: Pursuant to a request by the Secretary of the Senate, the Clerk of the House was directed to return to the Senate, with accompanying papers, S. 1583, to provide that appointments and promotions in the Post Office Department, including the postal field service, be made on the basis of merit and fitness. House Committee on Post Office and Civil Service was discharged from further consideration of the bill.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 16. Pages 19096

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved for full committee action a number of watershed projects.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Department of the Interior and related agencies Appropriation Act for fiscal year 1970.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from the Department of the Navy witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved a number of real estate projects. Testimony was heard from Representative Meeds and Army, Navy and Air Force witnesses.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from Ralph Widner, Executive Director, Appalachian Regional Commission.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 255, to deduct interest in advance on installment loans;

H.R. 257, to prohibit the intimidation, coercion, or annoyance of a person officiating at or attending a religious service or ceremony in a church in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 1783, amended, to incorporate the Paralyzed Veterans of America;

H.R. 4181, to amend title 12, District of Columbia Code, to provide a limitation of actions for actions arising out of death or injury caused by a defective or unsafe improvement to real property;

H.R. 4183, amended, to provide that the widow of a retired officer or member of the Metropolitan Police Department or the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who married such officer or member after his retirement may qualify for survivor benefits;

H.R. 4184, amended, to equalize the retirement benefits for officers and members of the Metropolitan Police force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who are retired for permanent total disability;

H.R. 5967, to amend the District of Columbia Traffic Act, 1925, to provide for the issuance of an additional congressional tag to Senators and Representatives;

H.R. 6947, amended, to amend the Act of October 13, 1964, to regulate the location of chanceries and other business offices of foreign governments in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 8868, to authorize the District of Columbia to enter into the Interstate Compact on Juveniles;

H.R. 9548, to amend section 15–503 of the District of Columbia Code with respect to exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 9549, amended, to amend the Act entitled "An Act To Regulate the Practice of Podiatry in the District of Columbia", approved May 23, 1918, as amended;

H.R. 9551, amended, to amend the act of July 11, 1947, to authorize members of the District of Columbia Fire Department, the United States Park Police force, and the White House Police force to participate in the Metropolitan Police Department Band;

H.R. 9553, to amend the District of Columbia Minimum Wage Act to authorize the computation of overtime compensation for hospital employees on the basis of a 14-day work period;

H.R. 12671, to amend the act of May 29, 1928, to facilitate and encourage the employment of minors in the District of Columbia between the ages of 14 and

16 during the summer and other school vacation periods;

H.R. 12677, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to lease to the Jewish Historical Society of Greater Washington the former synagogue of the Adas Israel Congregation and real property of the District of Columbia for the purpose of establishing a Jewish Historical Museum; and

H.R. 12720, amended, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the District of Columbia to the Washington International School, Inc.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 11476, Miners' Compensation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 15.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Mikva; John Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Department of Justice and Dr. Morton Miller, Acting Associate Director for Special and Collaborative Programs, National Institute of Mental Health, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LEARNING DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 8660 and H.R. 9065, the Learning Disabilities Act. Testimony was heard from Richard Nathan, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Joseph Palmer, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

IDAHO RECREATION AREA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearings on H.R. 5999, to establish the Sawtooth National Recreation Area in the State of Idaho. Testimony was heard from Representatives McClure and Hansen of Idaho; Senators Church and Jordan of Idaho and departmental witnesses.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUITIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 11607, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the continued payment of supplemental annuities in accordance with present law. Testimony was heard from Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board and public witnesses.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony and acted on private claims bills.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

MERCHANT MARINE AND FISHERIES MISCELLANY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 11363, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law;

H.R. 12549, amended, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality;

H.R. 4813, amended, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended; and

H.R. 7517, amended, to amend the Canal Zone Code to provide cost-of-living adjustments in cash relief payments to certain former employees of the Canal Zone Government.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Lawrence F. O'Brien, former Postmaster General and Thruston B. Morton, cochairman, Citizens Committee for Postal Reform.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSITION CLASSIFICATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23 of the United States Code relating to vehicle width limitations

on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from Representatives Schwengel and McCarthy and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 15.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development began hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 17.

AID-FINANCED GOODS FOR SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement resumed hearings designed to broaden American small business participation in the procurement of goods and services financed with AID funds. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE ALLOWANCES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11959, amended, to amend chapters 31, 34, and 35 of title 38, United States Code, in order to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans and persons under such chapters.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continue executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to consider interest equalization proposal tomorrow.

Friday, July 11, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19238–19287

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2593–2602; and S.J. Res. 136.

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Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 19238–19239

Indians: Senate passed without amendment S. 2173, respecting powers of self-government of Indian tribes and extending until July 1, 1973, submission to Congress by Secretary of Interior of a model code to govern administration of justice by Courts of Indian Offenses on Indian reservations, which shall be applicable to an Indian tribe only after adoption by its tribal council.

Pages 19239–19240

Park Police: S. 1686, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to establish age limits for appointees to the U.S. Park Police, was passed with committee amendment.

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Military Procurement: Senate continued its debate of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Senate agreed that its next meeting will be at noon Monday, July 14, and that it will meet at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 15. Pages 19287–19307, 19313–19316

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: five civilian, including those of Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and William David McElroy, of Maryland, to be Director of the National Science Foundation; and 19 judicial. Page 19316

Nominations: Five judicial nominations were received.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Senators Percy and Javits, on funds for HUD items; Senator Boggs, on funds for GSA building in Wilmington, Del.; Mayor Joseph L. Alioto, of San Francisco, representing the National League of Cities; and numerous public witnesses, including representatives of the American Legion, American Public Power Association, National Association of Home Builders, American Institute of Architects, National Association of Real Estate Brokers, Airport Operators Council, and others.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 14, on funds for the GSA.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, subcommittee received testimony from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 16, when additional public witnesses will testify.

SMALL BUSINESS LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee held hearings to receive additional testimony on S. 1750, to authorize assistance to small business concerns in financing structural, operational, or other

changes to meet standards required by Federal or State law, with testimony from Dr. H. J. Steinmetz, Assistant Administrator for Consumer Protection, Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Wilfred J. Garvin, Assistant Administrator for Planning, Research, and Analysis, Small Business Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, with testimony from Representatives Vanik and Eckhardt; Eugene A. Gulledge, National Association of Home Builders; Thomas M. Goodfellow, Association of American Railroads; Frank Barnett, Union Pacific Railroad; Andrew J. Biemiller, Department of Legislation, AFL–CIO; Charles I. Derr, Machinery and Allied Products Institute; Peter Nevitt, GATX-Armco-Boothe, and Boothe Computer Corp.; and Roscoe L. Egger, Jr., Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 14.

WILDERNESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1142, to classify as wilderness national forest lands adjacent to the Eagle Cap Wilderness Area known as the Minam River Canyon and adjoining area, in Oregon, with testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, U.S. Forest Service; Dr. Lyle Hamm, representing Save the Minam League and two Izaak Walton League chapters, accompanied by Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Glen Parsons, regional forester, for Boise Cascade Corp.; Larry Williams, Sierra Club; and John L. Hall, Wilderness Society.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 2093, to remove the Marion Lake area from the Mount Jefferson Wilderness in Oregon, with testimony from Edward P. Cliff; Larry Williams; Mrs. Louise T. Bush and Mrs. Verna C. Parmley, Committee for the Exclusion of Marion Lake and Its Shorelines From the Mount Jefferson Wilderness; and John L. Hall.

VOTING RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed amendments to the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (S. 818, 2456, 2507, and title IV of S. 2029), having as its witnesses Attorney General John N. Mitchell; and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JUVENILE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its hearings on conditions in institutions for juveniles and young adult offenders, having as its witnesses Curtis M. Graves, a Texas State representative; John O. Boone, Director, Project on Administration of Justice, Southern Regional Commission; and Milton G. Rector, National Council on Crime and Delinquency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OLDER AMERICANS, AND MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported, with amendments, H.R. 11235, proposed Older Americans Act Amendments of 1969.

Committee also continued consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Monday, July 14.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Indian Education Subcommittee met in executive session for the consideration of language for inclusion in its final report but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement continued hearings on S. 2326, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress, with testimony from Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Roger W. Jones, Special Assistant to the Director, Bureau of the Budget; C. Del Dorson, Retirement Federation of Civil Service Employees; Alan J. Whitney, National Association of Government Employees; C. O. Henderson, National Federation of Professional Organizations; Lonnie Johnson, Mail Handlers' Division of the Laborers' International Union of North America; Ray Vanderhorst, National Association of ASCS County Office Employees; L. V. Murphy, Federal Professional Association; Chester W. Parrish, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees; and Paul E. Treusch, Federal Bar Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its hearings to study the food, medical, and other basic needs of the people of the United States, with testimony from S. Stephen Rosenfeld, Lawyer's Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, and other Boston witnesses; Dr. Clinton L. Earhart, deputy superintendent of schools, State of Maryland; Dr. Ray Hepner, School of Medicine, University of Maryland; Eleanor Snyder, chief nutritionist, Baltimore City Health Department; and Joseph M. Clark, Maryland Food Committee.

AUTO INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued hearings on the subject of "The Role of Giant Corporations in the American and World Economies: Auto Industry, 1969." Testimony was received from Alan S. Boyd, president, Illinois Central Railroad; Douglas F. Dowd, professor of economics, Cornell University; Neil H. Jacoby, professor, Graduate School of Business, UCLA; and Mark B. Schupack, associate professor of economics, Brown University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy (R&D) witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, July 14.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Judge Timothy Murphy, court of general sessions; Robert Horan, Commonwealth attorney for Fairfax County; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, July 14.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Ernest Gruening and Mrs. Virginia Gray, executive secretary, Citizens Committee for UNICEF.

Hearings continue Monday, July 14.

NATIONAL MONUMENT—COLORADO

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearings on H.R. 6223 and H.R. 5953, to provide for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in the State of Colorado. Testimony was heard from Representative Evans and departmental and public witnesses.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Cullen, president, National Association of Special Delivery Messengers.

Hearings continue Monday, July 14.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider interest equalization proposal.

Committee to resume consideration of tax reform, Monday, July 14.

Monday, July 14, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19355–19420

Bills Introduced: 22 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2603–2624; and S.J. Res. 137.

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Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 7215, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service (S. Rept. 91–319). Page 19376

President's Message—Drug Abuse: President transmitted message outlining and recommending 10 steps aimed at the growing menace of narcotic addiction and drug abuse—jointly referred to Committees on Finance and Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 19353–19355

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 21 bills, of which 19 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: 10 private bills, H.R. 1828, 2890, 2536, 2224, 1948, 3166, 3167, 3172, 3376, and 10060.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

American Revolution Bicentennial Commission: S. 2462, extending for 1 year authorizations for and the time for filing report by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission;

National Archery Week: S.J. Res. 85, to designate the period of August 26–September 1, 1969, as National Archery Week; and

Private bills: Eight private bills, S. 267, 571, 2019, 1963, 1798, 1645, 1527, and 1526.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: One private bill, S. 1110.

Pages 19355–19358

Military Procurement: Senate continued its debate of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. Pages 19420–19436

Nominations: Numerous civilian nominations were received. Page 19464

Nominations Rereferred: Nominations of David W. Oberlin, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, and of five others to be members of its Advisory Board, were reported by Committee on Public Works and were then, by unanimous consent, rereferred to Committee on Commerce. Page 19376

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for his agency from Robert L. Kunzig, Administrator, General Services Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Appalachian Regional Commission and Office of Science and Technology.

EXPORTS, MEDAL, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original bill entitled "Export Expansion and Regulation Act of 1969."

Committee also approved H.R. 7215, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service; and the nomination of Nicholas Constanzo, of New York, to be Superintendent of the U.S. Assay Office at New York.

FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 1092, to provide for the inspection of fishery facilities and products, and S. 1091, providing financial assistance to the commercial fishing industry in meeting requirements set forth in S. 1092, after receiving testimony from Mrs. Virginia Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Charles C. Johnson, Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, HEW; and Charles H. Meachum, Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, accompanied by Harold E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, both of the Department of the Interior.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, with testimony from Senator McGovern; Representative Reuss; W. P. Gullander, president, National Association of Manufacturers; Joseph V. Ferguson, Air Products & Chemicals, Inc.; Edwin A. Locke, Jr., president, American Paper Institute; and Albert Lannon, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on S. 2347, authorizing funds for the foreign aid program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, having as its witnesses Secretary of State William P. Rogers and John A. Hannah, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of Defense Laird will testify on military aspects of the bill.

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held hearings to receive a report from Comptroller General Elmer B. Staats on proposals submitted last year in hearings before the subcommittee which would induce more competition into the Defense procurement process.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NONJUDICIAL ACTIVITIES OF JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers held hearings on nonjudicial activities of Supreme Court Judges and other Federal judges, and on S. 1097 and S. 2109, bills designed to define more clearly and limit nonjudicial activities of judges. Witnesses heard were Senator Griffin; Simon H. Rifkind, a New York City attorney and former U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York; and Prof. L. Ray Patterson, Vanderbilt University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

KENNEDY CULTURAL CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings on H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, with testimony from Representative Gray; Roger L. Stevens, chairman, board of trustees, accompanied by Ralph E. Becker, general counsel, both of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts; and Robert B. Foster, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, GSA.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 12785–12826; two private bills, H.R. 12827 and 12828; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 814 and H. Res. 479–482, were introduced. Pages 19351–19353

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 257, to prohibit the intimidation, coercion, or annoyance of a person officiating at or attending a religious service or ceremony in a church in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–362);

H.R. 4183, to provide that the widow of a retired officer or member of the Metropolitan Police Department or the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who married such officer or member after his retirement may qualify for survivor benefits, amended (H. Rept. 91–363);

H.R. 4184, to equalize the retirement benefits for officers and members of the Metropolitan Police force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who are retired for permanent total disability, amended (H. Rept. 91–364);

H.R. 6947, to amend the act of October 13, 1964, to regulate the location of chanceries and other business offices of foreign governments in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 91–365);

H.R. 9548, to amend section 15–503 of the District of Columbia Code with respect to exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–366);

H.R. 9549, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Regulate the Practice of Podiatry in the District of Columbia," approved May 23, 1918, as amended (H. Rept. 91–367);

H.R. 9551, amended, to amend the act of July 11, 1947, to authorize members of the District of Columbia Fire Department, the U.S. Park Police force, and the White House Police force to participate in the Metropolitan Police Department Band (H. Rept. 91–368);

H.R. 9553, to amend the District of Columbia Minimum Wage Act to authorize the computation of overtime compensation for hospital employees on the basis of a 14-day work period (H. Rept. 91–369);

H.R. 4181, to amend title 12, District of Columbia Code, to provide a limitation of actions for actions arising out of death or injury caused by a defective or unsafe improvement to real property (H. Rept. 91–370); and

H.R. 1783, to incorporate the Paralyzed Veterans of America, amended (H. Rept. 91–371). (House reports 91–362 to 91–371 were filed on July 10.)

H.R. 5967, to amend the District of Columbia Traffic Act, 1925, to provide for the issuance of an additional congressional tag to Senators and Representatives (H. Rept. 91–372);

H.R. 8868, to authorize the District of Columbia to enter into the interstate compact on juveniles (H. Rept. 91–373);

H.R. 12677, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to lease to the Jewish Historical Society of Greater Washington the former synagogue of the Adas Israel Congregation and real property of the District of Columbia for the purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum (H. Rept. 91–374);

H.R. 255, to authorize banks, savings and loan associations, and other regulated lenders in the District of Columbia to charge or deduct interest in advance on loans to be repaid in installments, amended (H. Rept. 91–375);

H.R. 12671, to amend the act of May 29, 1928, to facilitate and encourage the employment of minors in the District of Columbia between the ages of 14 and 16 during the summer and other school vacation periods (H. Rept. 91–376);

H.R. 12720, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property in the District of Columbia to the Washington International School, Inc., amended (H. Rept. 91–377); and

H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality (H. Rept. 91–378). (House reports 91–372 to 91–378 were filed on Friday, July 11.)

H.R. 11651, to amend the National School Lunch Act, as amended, to provide funds and authorities to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of providing free or reduced-price meals to needy children not now being reached (H. Rept. 91–379).

Pages 19142, 19351

D.C. Bills Postponed: Chairman of the District of Columbia Committee announced the postponement of the following D.C. bills scheduled for consideration today: H.R. 9951, 1783, 6947, 9553, 255, 8868, 5967, and 12671; for titles of the above listed bills see "Bills Reported" above.

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Presidential Message—Drug Abuse: Received and read a message from the President wherein he outlines plans and legislative proposals to combat drug abuse—referred to the Committee of the Whole House and ordered printed.

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D.C. Legislation: Consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up and passed by voice votes:

Church picketing: H.R. 257, to prohibit the intimidation, coercion, or annoyance of a person officiating at or attending a religious service or ceremony in a church in the District of Columbia.

Police and firemen widow's pension: H.R. 4183, to provide that the widow of a retired officer or member of the Metropolitan Police Department or the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who married such officer or member after his retirement may qualify for survivor benefits, amended.

Disabled police and firemen retirement: H.R. 4184, to equalize the retirement benefits for officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia who are retired for permanent total disability, amended.

Podiatry Act: H.R. 9549, to amend the act entitled "an act to regulate the practice of podiatry in the District of Columbia," approved May 23, 1918, as amended.

Statute of limitations—property improvements: H.R.

4181, to amend title 12, District of Columbia Code, to provide a limitation of actions for actions arising out of death or injury caused by a defective or unsafe improvement to real property.

Wage attachment exemptions: H.R. 9548, to amend section 15–503 of the District of Columbia Code with respect to exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia.

Property conveyance—Jewish Historical Society: H.R. 12677, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to lease to the Jewish Historical Society of Greater Washington the former synagogue of the Adas Israel Congregation and real property of the District of Columbia for the purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum.

Property conveyance—Washington International School, Inc.: H.R. 12720, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the District of Columbia to the Washington International School, Inc.

Pages 19329–19336

Referrals: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 19350

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses.

ROTC PROBLEM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 resumed executive consideration of the problem of ROTC. Testimony was heard from Assistant Secretary of Army William H. Brehm and Assistant Secretary of Defense Roger T. Kelley, Manpower and Reserve Affairs.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 21.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Lane Dwinell, Assistant Administrator for Administration, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 126, H.R. 12081, and H.R. 12240, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Indian River County, Fla. Testimony was heard from Representatives Rogers and Frey, of Florida, and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7621, Child Protection Act of 1969.

RADIOTELEPHONE REQUIREMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation began hearings on H.R. 6971 and H.R. 5189, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Charles P. Murphy, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, USCG.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from John B. Babcock, president, and Robert A. Saltzstein, general counsel, American Business Press; and Mr. Robert McKenna, president, Chilton Co., Philadelphia.

Hearings continue Wednesday, July 16.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

Tuesday, July 15, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19497–19520

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2625–2635. Page 19504

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the construction industries in all Federal and federally assisted construction projects (S. Rept. 91–320). Page 19504

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to Committee on the District of Columbia.

Pages 19508–19509

Medals: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature H.R. 7215, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service. Page 19497

Military Procurement: Senate continued on S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

The majority leader announced that following the approval of the Journal on Thursday, July 17, it is the intention of Senator Symington to move that Senate go into closed session for the discussion of classified material. There will be a live quorum call as soon as the request for closed session is made and granted. It is hoped that the closed session will be completed on Thursday. There will be no routine morning business that day.

Pages 19520–19523, 19538–19545, 19582–19583

Confirmations: One civilian and one judicial nomination were confirmed. Page 19583

Nominations: Two Air Force nominations were received. Page 19583

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for their respective agencies from John B. Waters, Federal Cochairman, Appalachian Regional Commission; and Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 21, with testimony on funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Council and National Science Foundation.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with testimony on behalf of funds for the Library of Congress from Librarian L. Quincy Mumford.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 17, when GAO witnesses will be heard.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs began hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation. Today's witness was Secretary of Housing and Urban Development George Romney.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 17.

D.C. COURT REORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings jointly with Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of the Committee on the Judiciary, on pending legislation proposing certain reorganization in the D.C. courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, 1711, and 2601). Witnesses heard were Richard Kleindienst, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; and Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals, with testimony from Don Magdanz, National Livestock Feeders Association; Rev. William T. Hogan, professor of economics, Fordham University; Herbert B. Cohn, American Electric Power Service Corp. and Edison Electric Institute; Harry A. Poth, Jr., Minnesota Power & Light Co.; John M. Randolph, Computer Lessors Association, Inc.; John W. Scott, master, National Grange; John Huffaker, Philadelphia Bar Association; E. A. Trigg, Alcan Aluminum Corp.; George W. James, Air Transport Association; and J. W. Henderson, Jr., Railway Progress Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on S. 2347, authorizing funds for the foreign aid program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, with testimony on military assistance aspects of the bill from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird, who was accompanied by Lt. Gen. Robert H. Warren, Director of Military Assistance.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 18, when public witnesses will testify.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witnesses Roger Heyns, chancellor of the University of California at Berkeley; William C. Hanley, city manager of Berkeley, Calif.; Capt. John E. Drass, Metropolitan Police Department; and Fred Miller, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings on S. 860 and S. 2045, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs, having as its witness Virginia H. Knauer, Special Assistant of the President for Consumer Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NAVAJO INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 203, providing for acquisition of additional lands for the Colorado-New Mexico Navajo Indian irrigation project. Witnesses heard were Senator Montoya; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; Steve E. Reynolds, New Mexico State Engineer, Santa Fe; W. D. Brewer, Federal Cochairman, Four Corners Regional Commission; Norman L. Bowman, director of resources division, the Navajo Tribe; Carl L. Todacheene, member, Navajo Tribal Council; and Ned A. Hatathli, president, Navajo Community College, Many Farms, Ariz.

NIGERIAN CIVIL WAR

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees held hearings to receive testimony concerning massive relief problems resulting from the Nigerian Civil War. Witnesses heard were Elliot Richardson, Under Secretary of State; C. Clyde Ferguson, Jr., Special Coordinator in Relief to the civilian victims of the Nigerian Civil War, Department of State; and Edward Kinney, Jan VanHoogstraten, and Hyman Bookbinder, all of whom represented Joint Church Aid, Inc., the international consortium of private voluntary agencies sponsoring airlift into Biafra.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NONJUDICIAL ACTIVITIES OF JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued hearings on nonjudicial activities of Supreme Court Judges and other Federal judges, and on S. 1097 and S. 2109, bills designed to define more clearly and limit nonjudicial activities of judges. Witnesses heard were Judge David T. Lewis, U.S. Circuit Court, Tenth Circuit; Dean Adrian Fisher, Georgetown University Law Center; and Prof. Delmar Karlen, the Institute of Judicial Administration, Inc., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION—STUDENT TEACHER CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on proposed elementary and secondary education amendments, with testimony today on S. 1363, proposed Student Teacher Corps Act, from the following witnesses: Mary Conway Kohler, National Commission on Resources for Youth; Mrs. Louise C. Johnson, Department of Pupil Personnel Services, D.C. Public Schools; Dr. Harris Wofford, State University of New York at Old Westbury; Dr. Carl Megel, American Federation of Teachers; Allen Toothaker, Tutorial Assistance Center, National Student Association; and Earl Avery, director, UCLA tutorial project.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Migratory Labor Subcommittee held hearings on the union and community organization efforts of migrant and seasonal farmworkers, with special attention to the effects that the increased purchase of grapes by the Department of Defense has on the grape boycott. Witnesses heard were Dolores Huerta, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, Delano, Calif.; Dale Babione, Defense Supply Agency; and William Kircher, director of organization, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts; and the nominations of Brig. Gen. Willard Roper, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission, and Orville H. Lerch, of Pennsylvania, to be alternate Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission.

Committee also approved a prospectus for proposed lease of a courthouse and office building at Shreveport, La.

Prior to approval of the nomination of Mr. Lerch, committee, in open session, received favoring testimony from Senators Scott and Schweiker and Representative Saylor.

Committee also continued consideration of S. 7, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee began a series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, receiving testimony from Ralph Nader, an attorney of Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 17.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee resumed its hearings on financial assistance programs and policies of the Small Business Administration, with testimony today concerning such programs as they affect minority enterprise. Testimony was received from Thomas F. Roeser, Assistant to the Secretary of Commerce for Minority Business Enterprise, and Abraham S. Venable, Deputy Director; Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr.,

Administrator, SBA; and Norman D. Denny, president, Lincoln National Bank, Philadelphia.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 56 public bills, H.R. 12829–12884; six private bills, H.R. 12885–12890; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 815–817, H. Con. Res. 300–302, and H. Res. 483, were introduced. Pages 19585, 19659–19660

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7517, to amend the Canal Zone Code to provide cost-of-living adjustments in cash relief payments of certain former employees of the Canal Zone Government, amended (H. Rept. 91–380); and

H. Res. 483, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions (H. Rept. 91–381).

Pages 19658–19659

Baseball: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 300, extending the congratulations of the Congress of the United States to organized baseball upon the occasion of its centennial year. Page 19585

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor received permission to sit during general debate of the House today.

Page 19585

Private Calendar: Passed the following bill on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 648.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, 1691, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 3165, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 4105, and 9488.

Dispensed with further call of the Private Calendar after calendar number 109. Pages 19585–19586

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight.

Page 19586

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, July 17. Page 19586

Appalachian Regional Development Act: By a record vote of 273 yeas to 103 nays, the House passed H.R. 4018, to provide for the renewal and extension of certain sections of the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

Agreed to an amendment that authorizes the President to make a study, and determine which counties in the States of New York, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, and Maine will be included in the Appalachian region, and report the results to Congress by June 30, 1970.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 1072, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 4018, as passed.

House insisted on its amendments to S.1072 and asked for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Jones of Alabama, Blatnik, Wright, Edmondson, Cramer, Harsha, and Cleveland.

H. Res. 473, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 19586–19610

California Assistance: House disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of Cailfornia for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, and high waters, and asked for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Jones of Alabama, Johnson of California, Wright, Edmondson, Cramer, Don Clausen, and Denney. Pages 19610–19611

Referrals: 11 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 19658

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Began hearings on bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program and the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

Hearings continue Monday, July 21.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses.

Hearings continue Thursday, July 17.

NATIONAL CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session to consider H.R. 11193, to authorize a Federal contribution for the effectuation of a transit development program for the National Capital region, and to further the objectives of the National Capital Transportation Act of 1965, but did not complete action on it.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 11476 and

related bills, miners' compensation. Testimony was heard from Representative Dent and public witnesses.

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR TALENTED CHILDREN

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 4807 and related bills, to provide for educational assistance for gifted and talented children. Testimony was heard from Representative Erlenborn and departmental and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Samuel de Palma, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs.

Hearings continue Thursday, July 17.

AID PROGRAM FOR AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session on AID program for Africa with Robert S. Smith, Acting Assistant Administrator for African Affairs, AID.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from George B. Kistiakowsky, professor of chemistry, Harvard University, and Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr., the Brookings Institution.

REA POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources concluded hearings on REA political activities. Testimony was heard from David A. Hamil, Administrator, REA; and Robert D. Partridge, general manager, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

ACCOUNTS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded hearings on S. 826 and H.R. 4275, H.R. 149, H.R. 585, and H.R. 9545, to designate as wilderness certain lands in national wildlife refuges in Michigan, Wisconsin, and Maine. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kyros, Ruppe, and Kastenmeier and departmental and public witnesses.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7621, Child Protection Act of 1969.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

RADIOTELEPHONE REQUIREMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 6971 and H.R. 5189, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States. Further testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Charles P. Murphy, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, USCG; and the committee also heard William McNeal, American Waterways, Inc.

PENDING PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from Francis S. Filbey, president, and Patrick J. Nilan, legislative director, United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL–CIO, accompanied by Walter Froh, staff economist.

1970 CENSUS QUESTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 12825, to amend title 13, United States Code, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System, and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from George Kachlein, executive vice president, and Charles Brady, director, highways, AAA; and Joseph Coupal, director of highways, Iowa State Highway Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION AGENCY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Patman.

DIRECT POPULAR ELECTION OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Committee on Rules: Did not complete hearings on H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President. Testimony was heard from Chairman Celler and Representative McCulloch.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, July 16, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19792–19820

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2636–2640; and S. Con. Res. 35. **Pages 19807, 19810**

Military Procurement: Senate transacted routine morning business only today.

S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, remains its unfinished business, and it is anticipated that consideration of the bill on Thursday, July 17, will be held in closed session. **Page 19820**

Majority leader announced that committees will not be authorized to meet during the proposed closed session of Senate on July 17.

Confirmations: Two civilian nominations were confirmed. **Page 19820**

Nominations: Three Army nominations in the rank of general were received. **Page 19820**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from several public witnesses.

D.C. COURT REORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued hearings jointly with Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of the Committee on the Judiciary, on pending legislation proposing certain reorganization in the D.C. courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, 1711, and 2601). Witnesses heard were Chief Judge David Bazelon, U.S. Court of Appeals for D.C. Circuit; Judge George Hart, Jr., U.S. District Court for D.C.; Chief Judge Harold Greene, D.C. court of general sessions; Chief Judge Andrew Hood, D.C. Court of Appeals; Chief Judge Edward Curran, U.S. District Court for D.C.; Robert Stearns, Clerk, U.S. District Court; and Joseph Burton, Clerk, D.C. court of general sessions.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIRV TESTING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. Res. 210, calling on the President to suspend certain strategic weapons tests, and S. Res. 211, seeking agreement with the U.S.S.R. on limiting offensive and defensive strategic weapons and the suspension of test flights of reentry vehicles, with testimony from Dr. J. P. Ruina, professor of engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. Herbert York, professor of physics, University of California, San Diego; and Dr. Gordon J. F. MacDonald, vice chancellor for research and graduate affairs, University of California, Santa Barbara.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witness Herbert Ellingwood, legal affairs secretary to Gov. Ronald Reagan of California.

NONJUDICIAL ACTIVITIES OF JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued hearings on nonjudicial activities of Supreme Court Judges and other Federal judges, and on S. 1097 and S. 2109, bills designed to define more clearly and limit nonjudicial activities of judges. Witnesses heard were Senator Fannin; Representative Bennett; former Secretary of State Dean Acheson, of the law firm of Covington & Burling, Washington, D.C.; and Alexander M. Bickel, professor of law and legal history, Yale University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Education Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed elementary and secondary education amendments, with testimony from the following witnesses: Irvin Schloss, American Foundation for the Blind; Mrs. Charles Hymes, past president, National Council of Jewish Women; Lincoln D. Lynch, superintendent of schools of Middleborough, Mass., and Miss Joanne McHenry, San Ramon Valley Unified School District, Danville, Calif., both representing the American Library Association; and Dr. Roger T. Lennon, Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 18.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Migratory Labor Subcommittee continued hearings on the union and community organization efforts of migrant and seasonal farmworkers, having as its witnesses the Reverend Willis Goodwin, John's Island, S.C.; Marvin Davies, director of the Florida NAACP; and Tomas Atencio, Dixon, N. Mex., and Rev. Ed Krueger, Rio Grande Valley, Tex., both of whom are community organizers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director, and Dr. Jerome Levine, Chief of Psychopharmacology Research, both of the National Institute of Mental Health; and Prof. Bernard Barber, Department of Sociology, Barnard College, Columbia University, New York City.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 29.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 12891–12902; and three private bills, H.R. 12903–12905, were introduced. Pages 19791–19792

The House met briefly and conducted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill for fiscal year 1970 military construction authorization.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 12667, to amend the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, so as to make it an unfair labor practice to employ aliens whose principal dwelling places are in a foreign country during a labor dispute. Testimony was heard from William L. Kircher, director of organization, AFL–CIO; Arnold Mayer, legislative representative, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen, AFL–CIO; and Mrs. Dolores Huerta, director of negotiations, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Chester Parrish, president, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees and representatives of Transportation Association of America; National Association of Manufacturers; and American Retail Federation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PENDING PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from Carl Sadler, legislative director, and Mr. James Lynch, assistant legislative director, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL–CIO.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System, and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kyl and Biaggi and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Thursday, July 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19848–19904

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2641–2651; and S. Res. 215.

Pages 19878, 19887

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals (S. Rept. 91–321). Page 19878

Military Procurement: In closed session, pursuant to rule XXXV, Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate adjourns on Friday, July 18, it will be until 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 22. Pages 19848–19849

Appalachian Regional Development: Following its return to open session, Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1072, proposed Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 1969, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Montoya, Randolph, Muskie, Spong, Baker, Cooper, and Packwood. Pages 19875–19876

Baseball Centennial: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 300, extending congratulations of Congress to organized baseball on the occasion of its centennial year. Pages 19874–19875

Confirmations: Two judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 19904

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SEED LABELING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on S. 1836, to provide unified standards and procedures for certifying seeds, with testimony from Stanley S. Rollin, Grain Division, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; Walter O. Scott, Association of Official Seed Certifying Agencies, Urbana, Ill.; Richard McKenna, president, and John I. Sutherland, both of American Seed Trade Association; and Richard Carlton, Louisiana Seed Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation. Today's witnesses were Nathaniel Keith, National Housing Conference; Eugene A. Gulledge, National Association of Home Builders; Starr W. Reed, National Forest Products Association; Arthur Courshon, National League of Insured Savings Associations; and William Murray, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURT REORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued hearings jointly with Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of the Committee on the Judiciary, on pending legislation proposing certain reorganization in the D.C. courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, 1711, and 2601). Witnesses heard were Chief Judge Morris Miller, D.C. juvenile court; Newell Ellison, chairman, Committee on Administration of Justice; David Marlin, D.C. Democratic Central Committee; and David Carliner, Washington, D.C., Home Rule Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX SURCHARGE EXTENSION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, by vote of 9 to 8, ordered favorably reported without amendment, H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations: Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Philippines; Eileen R. Donovan, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Barbados; Leonard C. Meeker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Rumania; J. Raymond Ylitalo, of South Dakota, to be Ambassador to Paraguay; Joseph A. Greenwald, of Illinois, to be U.S. representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development; and Roderic L. O'Connor, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

GOLDEN EAGLE PROGRAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 2315, 2331, and 2197, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas. Testimony was received from Senator Bennett; Representative Pettis; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; Arthur W. Greeley, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and Brig. Gen. F. P. Koisch, Director of Civil Works, Office of Chief of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL CHARTER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations held hearings on S. 1290, to incorporate College Benefit System of America, with testimony from Dr. David W. Mullins, president, University of Arkansas; Dr. William Friday, president, University of North Carolina; and Dr. William L. Greenough, Teacher's Insurance and Annuity Association and College Retirement Equity Fund.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Migratory Labor Subcommittee continued hearings on the union and community organization efforts of migrant and seasonal farmworkers, having as its witnesses James L. Godwin, New Bern, N.C.; James F. Gavin, New Bern-Craven County Good Neighbor Council; Mrs. Lena Smith, Eastern Farmworkers Association, New Bern; Deputy Sheriff T. W. Parker, Craven County, New Bern; and

Fenner Morris, Jason Morris Farms, Inc., Bridgeton, N.C.

VETERANS' HEALTH AND MEDICAL CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on several pending bills dealing with health and medical care of veterans (S. 345, 1279, 1949, 2623, H.R. 692, 693, 2768, 3130, 9334, and 9634). Witnesses heard were Dr. H. Martin Engle, Chief Medical Director, and A. T. Bronaugh, Assistant General Counsel, both of Veterans' Administration; John L. Quigley, commandant, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Soldiers' Home, Chelsea; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Charles E. Mattingly, who introduced E. H. Golembieski, both of the American Legion; and Victor V. Miller, Veterans of World War I.

Subcommittee will hold hearings on July 30 and 31 on pending veterans' education and manpower legislation.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, receiving testimony from Dr. Lewis K. Dahl, Medical Research Center, Brookhaven National Laboratory; Dr. John Olney, Washington University, St. Louis; Dr. Samuel J. Fomon, University of Iowa College of Medicine; Dr. Herbert Schaumburg, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; and Dr. Robert Byck, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HEALTH OF THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Health of the Elderly held hearings to receive testimony on health aspects of the economics of aging, with testimony from the following witnesses:

Summary of Advisory Committee Report: Mrs. Agnes Brewster, consultant on medical economics; S. J. Axelrod, M.D., School of Public Health, University of Michigan; Melvin A. Glasser, Social Security Department, UAW; and Bert Seidman, Department of Social Security, AFL–CIO;

Department of HEW: Ida C. Merriam, Assistant Commissioner, Social Security Administration; and John B. Martin, Commissioner, Administration on Aging;

Panel of "Senior Aides": Nelson H. Cruikshank, National Council of Senior Citizens, accompanied by Mrs. Mittie Romero, Miami; Mrs. Evelyn B. Crook, Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Ruth Tucker, Pittsburgh; and Mrs. Frances Stanislawski, Buffalo; and

Dean H. Fisher, M.D., commissioner, Maine State Department of Health and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 52 public bills, H.R. 12909–12957; six private bills, H.R. 12958–12963; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 818–823 and H. Res. 484–486, were introduced.

Pages 19948–19949

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight Monday, July 21, on the Departments of State, Justice, Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Page 19905

National Banks: By a record vote of 345 yeas to 4 nays, with 7 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency with instructions by a record vote of 123 yeas to 227 nays.

Rejected a substitute to the committee substitute that would protect national banks from interstate taxation, but would permit interstate taxation on State banks, by a teller vote of 65 yeas to 66 nays.

H. Res. 476, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 19905–19907, 19908–19922

Late Report: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, July 18, on H.R. 11363, to prevent importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law. Page 19922

Air Carriers: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 8261, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended.

Agreed to a committee amendment to the substitute that makes the provisions of the bill effective upon enactment into law.

Rejected an amendment designed to kill the provisions in the bill.

Agreed to the committee substitute.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 1373, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 8261, as passed.

H. Res. 474, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 19922–19929

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 23. Page 19929

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PERISHABLE AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations concluded hearings on H.R. 9857, to amend the provisions of the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act to authorize an increase in license fee. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy and Marine Corps witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing began hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. George W. Romney, Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 12667, to amend the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, so as to make it an unfair labor practice to employ aliens whose principal dwelling places are in a foreign country during a labor dispute. Testimony was heard from Richard M. Scammon, former Chairman, Select Commission on Western Hemisphere Immigration; James L. Hennessey, Executive Assistant to the Commissioner, U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service; John H. Crimmins, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; and Matt Triggs, Assistant Legislation Director, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued executive consideration of coal mine health and safety legislation.

Committee to continue Tuesday, July 22.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. William P. Rogers, Secretary of State.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Dr. George Brennan, the Hudson Institute, Harmon-on-Hudson, N.Y.; and Dean Adrian S. Fisher, Georgetown University Law Center.

BRIEFING ON LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met for briefing with Hon. Robert B. Docking, Governor of Kansas, on his recent trip to Latin America and the experiences of the Kansas-Paraguay Partners of the Alliance.

INDIAN FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 9477, amended, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

RADIOTELEPHONE REQUIREMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 6971 and H.R. 5189, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from James Rademacher, president, National Association of Letter Carriers.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System, and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 22.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

PLOWSHARE PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1885, H.R. 477, and H.R. 10288, to authorize the Atomic Energy Commission to make peaceful nuclear explosion services available to domestic and foreign users for practical applications. Witnesses heard were G. W. Frank, Committee on Industrial Plowshare Applications, Atomic Industrial Forum; Robert E. McDonald, International Nuclear Corp., and project manager, Wyoming Atomic Stimulation Project; Herbert E. Grier, president, CER Geonuclear Corp.; and Sam Smith, El Paso Natural Gas Co.

Friday, July 18, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20029–20044, 20047–20115

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2652–2668; and S. Res. 216–220. **Pages 20048, 20065**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 92, H.R. 3379, and 6585, private bills (S. Repts. 91–322 to 91–324);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Revision and Codification" (S. Rept. 91–325);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary consisting of 1968 annual report of its Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly, with minority views (S. Rept. 91–326); and

S. Res. 220, authorizing additional expenditures during 91st Congress of $5,000 by Committee on the District of Columbia (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 20048**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was appropriately referred. **Page 20047**

President's Message—Population Growth: Message was received from President proposing creation of a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future, and recommending a number of Government activities to deal with the problems of population growth—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Pages 20025–20029**

Public Lands—Tennessee: Senate passed without amendment, and cleared for President, H.R. 2785, authorizing conveyance to Tennessee of certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park. **Page 20029**

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

By unanimous consent, the chairman of Committee on Armed Services was authorized under proper security to utilize sworn and security-cleared personnel to examine the transcript of yesterday's proceedings on the bill in closed session for the purpose of censoring the copy for publication. **Pages 20044–20045, 20115–20117**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Jack W. Lydman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Malaysia; numerous civilian; one judicial; and numerous Army. **Pages 20122–20124**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from Comptroller General of the United States Elmer B. Staats, GAO.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 22, on funds for the GPO.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation. Witnesses heard were William Rafsky, National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials; Myron Trybus, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; John Evans, Department of Urban Affairs, AFL–CIO; Marvin H. Linder, Commissioner of Rehabilitation and Conservation; and Richard R. Green, Department of Community Development, both of city of Cleveland; and Jesse Gray, National Tenants Organization.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 21.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on S. 2347, proposed foreign aid authorizations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, with testimony from former Senator Gruening and numerous other public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 2564, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Fla., with testimony from Senator Holland; George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and Alexander Sprunt, National Audubon Society.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

GOLDEN EAGLE PROGRAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation continued hearings on S. 2315, 2331, and 2197, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas. Testimony was received from Dr. Spencer M. Smith, Jr., Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; and Joseph W. Penfold, Izaak Walton League of America.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 2062 and 2072, providing for differentiation between private and public ownership of lands in administration of acreage limitation provisions of the reclamation laws, with testimony from James R. Smith, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power Development; and Bert Cole, Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of Washington.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FEDERAL CHARTER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations continued hearings on S. 1290, to incorporate College Benefit System of America, with testimony from William G. Walton, insurance commissioner of Wyoming; John T. Fey, president, National Life Insurance Co., John T. Meehan and Herbert H. Mischke, both of the National Association of Life Underwriters; and Dr. Herman B. Wells, chancellor, Indiana University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FULL OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Evaluation and Planning of Social Programs continued hearings on S. 5, proposed Full Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Representative Pepper; Dr. Otis D. Duncan, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan; Dr. John Meyer, president, National Bureau of Economic Research; and Frederick Hays, budget director of the city of New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Dr. Phillip L. White, Council on Foods and Nutrition, American Medical Association; and E. Cowles Andrus, professor emeritus, Johns Hopkins University Medical School, and past president of the American Heart Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 22.

HEALTH OF THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Health of the Elderly continued hearings to receive testimony on health aspects of the economics of aging, with testimony from the following witnesses:

Dr. John H. Knowles, general director, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston;

Panel: Dr. Frank F. Furstenberg, Mount Sinai Hospital of Baltimore, and Dr. James G. Haughton, New York City Health Services Administration;

Mrs. Elaine Brody, Department of Social Work, Philadelphia Geriatric Center;

Dr. Frederick C. Swartz, chairman, Committee on Aging, American Medical Association;

Dr. Nole Edelson and Dr. Michael Lynch, both of American Association of Retired Persons—National Retired Teachers Association; and

Dr. Amos N. Johnson, Garland, N.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on Army military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Navy witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 22.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from Eugene Gulledge, president, National Association of Home Builders, and William Rabsky, president, National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials.

Hearings continue Monday, July 21.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 11792, proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Dr. N. R. Danielian, president, International Economic Policy Association; William C. Moore, International Community Development Corp.; and Dwight Townsend, vice president, Co-op League of the U.S.A.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 22.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Stephen E. Kelly, president, and associates, Magazine Publishers Association.

Hearings continue Tuesday, July 22.

PENDING PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from representatives of various employee organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Monday, July 21.

Monday, July 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation, with testimony from James V. Smith, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; Mayor Thomas Urban, of Des Moines, representing the National League of Cities and U.S. Conference of Mayors; Robert Piper and Jack C. Cohen, American Institute of Architects; George M. Raymond, American Society of Planning Consultants; and John K. Pickens, American Nursing Home Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 12964–12988; four private bills, H.R. 12989–12992; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 824–827 and H. Res. 487, were introduced.

Page 20187

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11363, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law; filed on Friday, July 18 (H. Rept. 91–382);

H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax (H. Rept. 91–383); and

H.R. 12964, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–384). Page 20186

Presidential Message—Population Growth: Received and read a message from the President wherein he outlines proposals and recommendations on population growth—referred to the Committee of the Whole House and ordered printed. Pages 20133–20136

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Niobrara River compact: S. 38, to consent to the upper Niobrara River compact between the States of Wyoming and Nebraska.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Canal Zone Code: H.R. 7517, to amend the Canal Zone Code to provide cost-of-living adjustments in cash relief payments to certain former employees of the Canal Zone Government. Pages 20148–20150

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

National park entrance road: H.R. 11609, to amend the act of September 9, 1963, authorizing the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park in the State of North Carolina (by a record vote of 341 yeas to 3 nays). Pages 20150–20153

National School Lunch Act: H.R. 11651, to amend the National School Lunch Act, as amended, to provide funds and authorities to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of providing free or reduced-price meals to needy children not now being reached (by a record vote of 352 yeas to 5 nays). Pages 20153–20162

Product safety: H.R. 10987, to amend the National Commission on Product Safety Act in order to extend the life of the Commission so that it may complete its assigned tasks. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 1590, a similar bill, was passed in lieu.

Pages 20162–20164

Wildlife—endangered species: H.R. 11363, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law. Pages 20164–20173

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Held hearing on legislation pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Langen, Conte, and Pirnie.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, COMMERCE, JUSTICE, AND JUDICIARY

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Departments of State, Commerce, Justice, and judiciary appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 12171, military construction authorization for fiscal year 1970.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. PARK POLICE APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearings on and approved for full committee action S. 1686, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Began hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Transportation Volpe and FAA Administrator John H. Shafer.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PENDING PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Saturday, July 19, Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on pending pay legislation. Testimony was heard from representatives of various employee organizations.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform. The committee voted to reduce percentage depletion rates applicable to depletable resources.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20211–20223, 20246–20279

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2669–2679; and S.J. Res. 138.

Pages 20250–20251

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (S. Rept. 91–327); and

S. 2678, dealing with development of hydroelectric power at Tocks Island Dam and Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, with individual views (S. Rept. 91–328).

Page 20250

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Page 20212

President's Message—Reorganization Plan No. 1—ICC: President transmitted message with proposed Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1969, respecting operations of the ICC—referred to Committee on Government Operations. Pages 20225–20226

President's Communication—FBI: President transmitted communication requesting consideration of an amendment to appropriations asked for in the budget for fiscal year 1970 in the amount of $7.4 million for completion of FBI Academy in Quantico, Va.—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as a Senate document. Page 20250

Private Bills: Senate passed without amendment S. 92, H.R. 3379, and H.R. 6585, private bills. The latter two were cleared for President's signature. Page 20212

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. Pages 20223, 20279–20287

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following four nominations to be Ambassador, as follows: Eileen R. Donovan, of Massachusetts, to Barbados; Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to the Philippines; J. Raymond Ylitalo, of South Dakota, to Paraguay; and Leonard C. Meeker, of New Jersey, to Rumania. Nomination of Joseph A. Greenwald, of Illinois, to be U.S. representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and

Development, and two judicial nominations were also confirmed. Pages 20294–20295

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Taylor G. Belcher, of New York, to be Ambassador to Peru; Walter L. Rice, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Australia; Thomas Hal Clarke, of Georgia, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; George M. Moore, of Maryland, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission; eight judicial; and eight Marine Corps in the rank of general. Page 20294

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Russell W. Hale, Assistant to the Executive Secretary of the National Aeronautics and Space Council; and Dr. William D. McElroy, Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with testimony on behalf of funds for Government Printing Office from James L. Harrison, the Public Printer.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation, with testimony from James R. Price, National Homes Corp., Lafayette, Ind.; P. N. Brownstein, Council of Housing Producers, Washington, D.C.; Don E. Dixon, National Association of Real Estate Boards; Lon Worth Crow, Mortgage Banker's Association of America; and Mrs. Alice Kornegay, president, and Roger Schafer, Community Association of East Harlem Triangle.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIGARETTE ADVERTISING

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 6543, making permanent the provisions of P.L. 89–92, which provides for health warnings on cigarette packages, with testimony from Joseph F. Cullman, Philip Morris, Inc., representing cigarette manufacturers; Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, National Association of Broadcasters; Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, having as its witnesses Joseph J. Copeland, acting president, City College of New York; and Dr. George A. Peck, acting president, who was accompanied by Louis Breglio, dean of students, and Duncan Pardue, director of college relations, all of Brooklyn College, New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GOVERNMENTAL INVASIONS OF PRIVACY

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee held executive hearings on S. 782, to protect civilian employees of the U.S. Government against unwarranted governmental invasions of their privacy, having as its witness Director of Central Intelligence Richard Helms.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Kenneth E. Hannan, vice chairman of the board, Union Carbide Corp.; and Dr. Anthony DiBennedetto, Materials Research Institute, Washington University, St. Louis, the latter of whom submitted a statement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witness Commissioner Herbert L. Ley, Jr., who was accompanied by other officials of the Food and Drug Administration, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPACT OF CRIME ON SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee resumed its series of hearings to receive testimony regarding the impact that the annual cost of crime makes on the small businessman, with testimony dealing with the varying responsibilities of airlines, airport terminal operators, and the FAA for protecting cargo being transported by air. Testimony was received from Gerard Ditesheim, American Watch Association, who was ac-

companied by Lee Rosen, Elgin National Industries, Inc.; Stuart G. Tipton, Air Transport Association of America, who was accompanied by Franklin Oelschlager; Charles D. Baker, Deputy Under Secretary of Transportation; John J. Corbett, Airport Operators Council; and Francis A. Mulhearn, Port of New York Authority.

Hearings continue tomorrow on waterfront cargo losses.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 51 public bills, H.R. 12993–13043; three private bills, H.R. 13044–13046; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 828–831, H. Con. Res. 303, and H. Res. 488 and 489, were introduced. Pages 20374–20375

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: Report entitled "New Directions for the 1970's: Toward a Strategy of Inter-American Development" (H. Rept. 91–385). Page 20374

Committee To Sit: Select Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today and tomorrow. Page 20295

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight Thursday, July 24, on the Department of Labor-HEW and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Page 20295–20296

Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act: By a record vote of 399 yeas to 6 nays, the House passed H.R. 12781, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Agreed to an amendment that would eliminate funds for the temporary Pennsylvania Avenue Commission.

Rejected amendments that sought to:

Increase funds for sport fisheries;

Eliminate funds for proposed road construction on the Assateague National Seashore;

Eliminate funds for the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review;

Cut by $3.4 million funds for the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities; and

Place a restriction on the use of funds to be used for contracting for additional real estate for the Indiana Dunes National Lake Shore. Pages 20296–20337

Presidential Message—Reorganization of ICC: Received and read a message from the President containing recommendations for the reorganization of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1969 (ICC)—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed. Pages 20337–20338

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Held hearings on legislation which would extend or amend the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett and Saylor. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Camp and Schwengel.

Following the open hearing, the committee met in executive session and approved the following watershed projects: Fredonia, Ariz.; Poinsett, Ark.; Carpenteria Valley, Calif.; Big Slough, Ga.; Rock Creek (Cass) Ind.; Dunloup Creek, W. Va.; Chatlin Lake Canal, La.; Walnut Roundaway, La.; Cottonwood Creek, Wyo.; Mud Creek, Tenn.; and Roberson Creek, Miss.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Adm. Turner F. Caldwell, USN, Director of Anti-submarine Warfare Programs; Secretary of the Army Stanley F. Resor and Army Chief of Staff General William C. Westmoreland.

Hearings continue Thursday, July 24.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from Mayor Thomas Urban, Des Moines, Iowa; and John Tolan, Jr., deputy for development, office of the mayor, San Francisco.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jerome Pickard, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

REVENUE LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session for discussion of proposed revenue legislation. No announcements were made.

NATIONAL CENTER ON EDUCATIONAL MEDIA FOR HANDICAPPED—PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL ON YOUTH OPPORTUNITY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open legislative session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11785, amended, to amend Public Law 85–905 to provide for a National Center on Educational Media and Materials for the Handicapped; and H.J. Res. 764, amended, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to continue

markup of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued executive hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs and U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress, accompanied by Hon. James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas W. Wolfe, specialist in Soviet strategy, the Rand Corp., and Dr. Joseph I. Coffey, professor of public and international affairs, University of Pittsburgh.

BRIEFING ON EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for briefing on recent visit to Europe by Hon. Martin J. Hillenbrand, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

NATIONAL HISTORIC SITES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearings on and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 81, amended, to provide for the development of the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg, Pa. Testimony was heard from Director of National Park Service George Hartzog. The committee also held hearings on H.R. 7066, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site but took no action on it. Testimony was heard from Representative Clancy and Mr. Hartzog.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Resumed hearings on SDS activities with examination of SDS activities at George Washington and American University campuses. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lloyd H. Elliott, president, and H. John Cantini, Jr., assistant vice president and assistant treasurer, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374 and H.R. 12780 and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from Representative Hechler and John H. Crooker, Chairman, CAB.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT MARINE ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held hearings on H.R. 210, to eliminate requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards; and H.R. 12605, to amend section 613 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Hon. John A. Gronouski, former Postmaster General; Herbert Alfrey, president, and John Emeigh, director of health benefits, National Rural Letter Carriers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COURT LEAVE FOR U.S. AND D.C. EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill, H.R. 12979, in lieu of H.R. 10247, to amend title 5, United States Code, to grant court leave to employees of the United States and the District of Columbia when called as witnesses in certain judicial proceedings on behalf of State and local governments.

EMPLOYEE PAY COMPARABILITY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 12823, employee pay comparability.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from representatives of various industries.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DIRECT POPULAR ELECTION OF PRESIDENT

Committee on Rules: Did not complete hearings on H.J. Res. 681 and related resolutions, direct popular election of the President. Testimony was heard from Representative Dowdy.

Hearings to continue Thursday, July 24.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hear-

ings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. Edward Wenk, Executive Secretary, National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SBA PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Began hearings on programs and policies of the Small Business Administration. Testimony was heard from Hilary Sandoval, Administrator, SBA, and members of his staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee reached tentative decisions with respect to (1) the tax treatment of depreciation in the case of regulated utility and transportation industries, (2) certain changes with respect to the foreign tax credit, and (3) the tax treatment of mutual savings institutions (mutual savings banks and savings and loan associations). The substance of these tentative decisions has been announced to the press and a detailed release on these subjects will be available later this week.

The committee to continue tomorrow on tax reform.

Wednesday, July 23, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20444–20454, 20459–20509

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2680–2685; S.J. Res. 139; and S. Res. 222. **Page 20459**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 215, to print additional copies of hearings on the Utility Consumers' Counsel Act of 1969 (Committee on Government Operations) (S. Rept. 91–329);

S. Res. 218, to print additional copies of part 18 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations) (S. Rept. 91–330);

S. Res. 219, to print additional copies of part 17 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations) (S. Rept. 91–331);

H. Con. Res. 208, to print additional copies of parts 1, 2, and 3 of publication entitled "Subversive Influences in Riots, Looting, and Burning" (S. Rept. 91–332);

H. Con. Res. 209, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "The Analysis and Evaluation of Public Expenditures: The PPB System" (S. Rept. 91–333);

H. Con. Res. 291, providing for the printing of inaugural addresses from President Washington to President Nixon (S. Rept. 91–334);

S. Res. 212, requesting an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs (no written report);

S. Res. 213, requesting an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Armed Services (no written report);

S. Res. 220, requesting an additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia (no written report); and

S. Res. 222, providing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report).

Pages 20459, 20464

Bill Referred: H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

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Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was modified Hart-Cooper amendment No. 68 (for themselves and others) providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor.

Pages 20454, 20509–20524

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of Roderic L. O'Connor, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, and of Spurgeon M. Keeny, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. **Page 20526**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Philip J. Farley, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; George Hay Brown, of Michigan, to be Director of the Census; and two judicial. **Page 20526**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Naval Establishment from Secretary John H. Chafee; Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation, with testimony from Senator Tydings; Representative Koch; James M. Beggs, Under Secretary of Transportation; Dr. William J. Ronan, president, Institute for Rapid Transit; State Senator William S. James, president of the Maryland Senate; Martin Bruening, traffic engineer, city of Milwaukee; and Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee resumed hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States (S. 1637, 2437, and 2651), having as its witnesses Paul Cherington, Assistant Secretary of Transportation; John H. Shaffer, Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration; and Robert B. Ward, National Business Aircraft Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARIZONA WILDERNESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 710, to designate three national forest primitive areas in Arizona as wilderness, with testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, U.S. Forest Service, Department of the Interior; Dr. John Ricker, Arizona Conservation Council, Phoenix; Rupert Cutler, Wilderness Society; John McComb, of Tucson, representing the Sierra Club and Southern Arizona Hiking Club; Armin Behr, National Capital Wilderness Committee; and Brad Stewart, president, Arizona Cattle Growers' Association, Flagstaff.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FIREARMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee held hearings on pending firearms control legislation (S. 100, 845, 849, 977, 1432, and 2433), having as its witnesses Senators Mansfield and Tydings.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Arthur T. Soule, Independent Fuel Terminal Operators; Walter Simas, Ashland Oil Co., Oakland, Calif.; and David T. Brewster, Fuel Merchants Association of New Jersey, Springfield.

Hearingse continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Tuesday, July 29.

ALCOHOLISM

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics began a series of hearings to inquire into the overall problem of alcoholism in the United States, and how to develop new approaches to help people who are afflicted by alcoholism. Testimony was received from Senators Yarborough and Javits; Mrs. K. G., wife of a recovered alcoholic and a member of Al-Anon; and the following witnesses who are recovered alcoholics: Judge Ray Harrison, municipal judge of Des Moines; Rev. David Works, North Conway Institute, Boston, and Rev. Lewis B. Sheen, Episcopal minister, Boston; and Miss Mercedes McCambridge, Academy Award winning actress.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. Res. 212, requesting an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

S. Res. 213, requesting an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Armed Services;

S. Res. 220, requesting an additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia;

S. Res. 215, to print additional copies of hearings on the Utility Consumers' Counsel Act of 1969 (Committee on Government Operations);

S. Res. 219, to print additional copies of part 17 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations);

S. Res. 218, to print additional copies of part 18 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations);

H. Con. Res. 208, to print additional copies of parts 1, 2, and 3 of publication entitled "Subversive Influences in Riots, Looting, and Burning";

H. Con. Res. 209, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "The Analysis and Evaluation of Public Expenditures: The PPB System";

H. Con. Res. 291, providing for the printing of inaugural addresses from President Washington to President Nixon; and

An original resolution (S. Res. 222) providing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

Committee also approved (1) contract between the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs and the Social Development Corp. (not to exceed $49,500

through September 15, 1969), (2) request of University of South Carolina for a senatorial desk to be placed in a library room dedicated to the memory of the late Senator Olin D. Johnston, and (3) request by Committee on the Judiciary concerning payment for certain legal services in pending legal actions against the chairman and certain Internal Security Subcommittee staff employees.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Harold Dean, chairman of the board, Ralston Purina Co.; Robert D. Stuart, president, Quaker Oats Co.; Dean McNeal and Howard E. Bauman, both of the Pillsbury Co.; and Arthur D. Odell, General Mills Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPACT OF CRIME ON SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its series of hearings to receive testimony regarding the impact that the annual cost of crime makes on the small businessman, with testimony dealing with theft and pilferage of waterfront cargo from Arthur A. De Santis, European Common Market Chambers of Commerce of the U.S.A., and Italy-America Chamber of Commerce, New York City; Lewis E. Brown, Cargo Protection Council of Southern California, San Pedro; William P. Sirignano, Waterfront Commission of New York Harbor; and Carl E. McDowell, American Institute of Marine Underwriters, New York City.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 13047–13074; four private bills, H.R. 13075–13078; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 832–834, H. Con. Res. 304, and H. Res. 490, were introduced. **Pages 20588–20589**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13018, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 91–386); and

H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, amended (H. Rept. 91–387). **Page 20588**

Copying Shoe Lathes: Cleared for the President H.R. 5833, to continue until the close of June 30, 1972, the existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes, by concurring to Senate amendment thereto (regarding medicaid abuses). **Pages 20528–20530**

Civil Service Retirement Financing and Benefits: By a record vote of 359 yeas to 48 nays, the House passed H.R. 9825, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement.

By a record vote of 129 yeas to 281 nays, with one voting "present," rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service with instructions to report the bill back with the following amendments:

Omit the provision providing for "3 consecutive years"; and

Omit congressional employees from title II of the bill.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for continued payment of annuity to widows or widowers who have remarried, with the advice from any Government authority in writing that their annuity would continue, but in fact is stopped.

Rejected amendments that sought to:

Increase Members and congressional employees contribution from 7½ percent to 8 percent.

Omit title II from the bill (by a division vote of 64 yeas to 147 nays).

Continue the policy of 5 consecutive years for Members of Congress.

Cause the Government to pay the costs of increases in unfunded liability in title II of the bill through equal annual appropriation installments over a 30-year period; and

Increase contributions for Members of Congress from 7½ percent to 8 percent (by a teller vote of 119 yeas to 138 nays).

H. Res. 380, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 20530–20562

Committee To Sit: Select Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday and Friday, July 24 and 25.

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Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 92, a private bill, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INCREASED ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS FOR WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 485, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 with regard to wheat. Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 485 and heard testimony from Representative

Johnson of California, Department of Agriculture officials, and public witnesses.

FEDERAL SEED ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations held hearings on H.R. 10236 and related bills, to amend the Federal Seed Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Montgomery and Jones of North Carolina and departmental and public witnesses.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT AND SALARY ACTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held hearings on H.R. 10599, to amend the Policemen and Firemen's Retirement and Disability Act of 1916, as amended by the act approved August 21, 1957, as amended; and H.R. 10922, to amend the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act of 1958 to provide that the rates of compensation of the officers and members of the Federal fire departments of Washington National Airport and Dulles International Airport shall be fixed in accordance with such act. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session for continued markup of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Monday, July 28.

STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education began hearings on student financial aid. Testimony was heard from James N. Moore, Bureau of Higher Education, Division of Student Financial Aid, Department of HUD; and Edward Sanders, vice president, College Entrance Examination Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress.

Hearings continue Friday, July 25.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on SDS activities at George Washington and American University campuses. Testimony was heard from Dr. Paul Rogers Sherburne; Dr. Calvin D. Linton; Regena Ross, graduate student; and Leroy Thomas, campus policeman, all of George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374 and H.R. 12780 and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Steed and Conte; and Mr. John McCart, operations director, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue Friday, July 25.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle width limitations on the Interstate System in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; Dwight Ink, Director, Executive Management, Bureau of the Budget; and Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Secretary of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SBA PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on programs and policies of the Small Business Administration. Testimony was heard from Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr.; Hon. Maurice H. Stans, Secretary, Department of Commerce; Douglas Dillman, president, Smaller Business Association of New England; Howard J. Samuels, former head, SBA; Floyd McKissick, former national director, Congress on Racial Equality; Rev. Leon Sullivan; National Association of

Small Business Investment Companies; and National Federation of Independent Businessmen.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee reached tentative decisions with respect to (1) tax treatment of cooperatives, (2) a limitation on tax preferences, and (3) in the area of the tax treatment of charitable gifts of appreciated property.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

INDUSTRIALIZED HOUSING

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs resumed hearings to supplement studies on the subject of industrialized housing, having as its witness Ezra Ehrenkrantz, Building Systems Development, Inc., and associate professor of architecture, University of California, Berkeley.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, July 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20688–20744, 20755–20758

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2686–2700; S.J. Res. 140; and S. Res. 223. **Pages 20701–20702, 20718–20719**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 59, authorizing Secretary of the Army to relinquish jurisdiction over certain lands at Underhill, Vt. (S. Rept. 91–335); and

S. 2696, proposed Export Expansion and Regulation Act of 1969, with minority, supplemental, and individual views (S. Rept. 91–336). **Pages 20701, 20711**

Bill Referred: H.R. 9825, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress, was referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 20744**

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others) providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor. This amendment is the same in language as amendment No. 68 as modified yesterday so as to become amendment No. 101. **Pages 20743, 20744–20755**

Construction Safety: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the construction industries in all Federal and federally assisted construction projects. **Pages 20755–20756**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate adopted without amendment the following 10 resolutions:

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 212, requesting an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 213, requesting an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Armed Services;

Printing: S. Res. 215, to print additional copies of hearings on the Utility Consumers' Counsel Act of 1969 (Committee on Government Operations);

Printing: S. Res. 218, to print additional copies of part 18 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations);

Printing: S. Res. 219, to print additional copies of part 17 of hearings on city riots (Committee on Government Operations);

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 220, requesting an additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia;

Gratuity: S. Res. 222, providing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 208, to print additional copies of parts 1, 2, and 3 of publication entitled "Subversive Influences in Riots, Looting, and Burning";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 209, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "The Analysis and Evaluation of Public Expenditures: The PPB System"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 291, providing for the printing of inaugural addresses from President Washington to President Nixon. **Pages 20756–20758**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices held hearings on S. 858, authorizing increased wheat acreage allotments for privately owned irrigable farms in the area of Tulelake division of the Klamath project, California, with testimony from Claude B. Freeman, Grain Division, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Lyonel L. Nash and Kenneth G. Baghott,

Tulelake Durum Wheat Growers Association, California; and Harry L. Graham, National Farmers Organization.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for naval ship construction from Vice Adm. John B. Colwell, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operations and Readiness).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND VERMONT LAND

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Gen. John D. Ryan, to be Chief of Staff of the Air Force; Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, to be Chief of Naval Operations for an additional 2 years; Gen. John P. McConnell, USAF, to be placed on the retired list in the grade of general; and 3,272 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

Committee also approved S. 59, authorizing Secretary of the Army to relinquish jurisdiction over certain lands at Underhill, Vt.

Prior to this action, in open session, General Ryan was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation, with testimony from David Goldberg, commissioner, New Jersey Department of Transportation; George L. DeMent, chairman of the board, Chicago Transit Authority; Leo J. Cusick, Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority, accompanied by Richard Sullivan, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; Kermit Bill, Southern California Rapid Transit District; and Thomas T. Taber, chairman, Board of Public Transportation, and Dudley Woodbridge, planning director, both of Morris County, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States (S. 1637, 2437, and 2651), having as its witnesses Senator Yarborough; J. Donald Reilly, Airport Operator's Council International, Washington, D.C.; Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association of America; Lawrence E. McCabe, Municipal Airport Division, American Road Builders Association; Robert Michaels, National Association of Counties; and Daniel Mikesell, county supervisor, San Bernardino, Calif., the latter two of whom submitted written statements for the record.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 29.

WASHINGTON AREA WATER SHORTAGE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings to receive testimony concerning the problem of water shortages in the Washington metropolitan area, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. F. J. Clarke, Deputy Chief of Army Engineers, accompanied by Col. William J. Love, District Engineer of Baltimore; James Smith, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power; Francis B. Francois and Norman Jackson, both of Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments; Spencer M. Smith, Jr., Citizens Permanent Conference on the Potomac River Basin; Charles E. Collins, president, board of commissioners of Frederick County, Md.; and William Woodworth, Northern Virginia Conservation Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OCEAN SPACE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ocean Space Subcommittee held hearings on S. Res. 33, expressing the sense of Senate with respect to basic principles for governing activities of nations in ocean spaces, having as its witnesses William Hancock, General Counsel, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Robert Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy; and Robert Morse, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SURPLUS PROPERTY

Committee on Government Operations: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Surplus Property, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee, with amendment, the following bills:

S. 406, to permit the rotation of certain property whenever its remaining storage or shelf life is too short to justify its retention;

S. 1366, to release the conditions in a deed with respect to certain land heretofore conveyed by the United States to the Salt Lake City Corp.;

S. 1718, conveying to the city of Cheyenne certain real property heretofore donated to the United States by such city; and

S. 2210, to permit donations of surplus property to public museums.

Subcommittee deferred action on S. 1632, providing for donation of surplus Federal property to State or local agencies for education, health, or civil defense purposes; S. 2114, to convey certain real property in Hawaii to the State of Hawaii; and S. 2170, relating to the disposal of excess property and surplus property.

FIREARMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued hearings on pending firearms

control legislation (S. 100, 845, 849, 977, 1432, and 2433), having as its witnesses Donald E. Santarelli, Associate Deputy Attorney General for Criminal Justice; Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who was accompanied by Randolph W. Thrower, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; John J. Burkhart, chief counsel, Department of Law, Toledo, Ohio; and W. D. Scott, National Rifle Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from R. J. Peterson, Martin Oil Service, Blue Island, Ill., representing Independent Terminal Operators; Frederick Lichtman, of Detroit, representing Society of Independent Gasoline Marketers of America; and Prof. James Patterson, Graduate School of Business, Indiana University, Bloomington.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 29.

ALCOHOLISM

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics continued a series of hearings to inquire into the overall problem of alcoholism, with testimony today concerning treatment services for alcoholics from Mrs. Marty Mann, New York City, cofounder of the National Council on Alcoholism; Bill W., cofounder, Alcoholics Anonymous; the following panel on current treatment services for alcoholics: Peter B. Terenzio, executive vice president, Roosevelt Hospital, New York City; Dr. Ernest Klatte, chief deputy director, mental health services for Orange County, Calif.; Robert Goldfeld, Manhattan Bowery project, VERA Institute of Justice, New York City; Raleigh C. Hobson, Maryland State Department of Social Services; and Dr. Samuel C. Kaim, Director, Staff for Alcoholism, Veterans' Administration; and the following panel on personnel programs in industry and Government: Merle Gulick, Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States; Dr. Melvin T. Johnson, Medical Director, Bureau of Retirement, Insurance and Occupational Health, Civil Service Commission; Col. Hal Kolmer, Medical Corps, U.S. Army; John Butler, State Department of Mental Hygiene, Albany, N.Y.; Thomas Pike, the Fluor Corp., California; and Dr. Robert Turfboer, an occupational psychiatric consultant to industry in Connecticut.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 2326, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

Prior to this action, Retirement Subcommittee, in executive session, approved this bill for full committee consideration without amendment.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, concluded action on S. 7, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, and ordered the bill favorably reported with amendments.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Varnum D. Luddington, Center for Applied Nutrition, the General Foods Corp.; and Dr. Frank Horan, Archer Daniels Midland Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 13079–13107 and 13111; three private bills, H.R. 13108–13110; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 835–838, H. Con. Res. 305 and 306, and H. Res. 491–493, were introduced.

Pages 20652, 20686–20687

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3687, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California, amended (H. Rept. 91–388);

H.R. 7621, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards, amended (H. Rept. 91–389);

H. Res. 491, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President (H. Rept. 91–390);

H.R. 13111, Department of Labor and Department of Health, Education, and Welfare appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–391);

H.R. 13079, to extend interest equalization tax for a temporary period (H. Rept. 91–392); and

H.R. 13080, to extend for 15 days the existing rates of income tax withholding (H. Rept. 91–393). Page 20686

Late Reports: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file reports by midnight tonight on H.R. 13079, to extend the interest equalization tax for a temporary period, and H.R. 13080, to extend for 15 days existing rates of income tax withholding. Page 20626

Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee on Housing and the Subcommittee on International Trade, both of the Committee on Banking and Currency, received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 20626

Late Report: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, July 25, on H.R. 4813, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended. Page 20627

Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations: By a record vote of 366 yeas to 31 nays, the House passed H.R. 12964, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Sustained a point of order against language providing for "Ship Construction" under the Maritime Administration.

Agreed to an amendment that provides $1.5 million in additional funds for the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. Pages 20627–20644

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight. Page 20644

Apollo 11 Mission: Agreed to H. Res. 487, expressing the commendation and gratitude of the House to the men and women of the national space program on the occasion of the Apollo 11 mission. Pages 20644–20651

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 30. Page 20652

Committee Resignations: Received and accepted letters of resignation from Representatives Arends and May, wherein Representative Arends resigns from the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, and Representative May resigns from the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 20652

North Atlantic Assembly: Speaker appointed as a member of the U.S. Group of the North Atlantic Assembly, Mr. Devine, to fill the existing vacancy thereon. Page 20652

Joint Committee Appointment: Speaker appointed as a member of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, Representative May. Page 20652

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 492, electing Representative McDonald of Michigan to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. Page 20652

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13111, Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare appropriation bill for fiscal year 1970, amended.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Further testimony was heard from Secretary of the Army Stanley F. Resor and Army Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session to discuss the problem of ROTC. Testimony was heard from Dr. Theodore C. Marrs, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; the military director of the ROTC program; and some Air Force ROTC cadets.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on pending housing legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade met in executive session on export control legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Philip Trezise, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.

STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on student financial aid. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LEARNING DISABILITIES ACT—ASSISTANCE FOR TALENTED CHILDREN

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 8660, the Learning Disabilities Act; and a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 4807, to provide for educational assistance for gifted and talented children.

PEACE CORPS ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended. Testimony was heard from Joseph H. Blatchford, Director, Peace Corps.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr., former chief of scientific research for the

Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, during the open session. Philip Farley, deputy head of the U.S. delegation to the strategic arms limitation talks with the Soviet Union testified in closed session.

CAB OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held hearings on the efficiency and effectiveness of operations of the CAB. Testimony was heard from John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Concluded hearings on SDS activities at George Washington and American University campuses. Testimony was heard from Dr. Kurt London, director of Institute of Sino-Soviet Studies, and professor of international affairs, George Washington University; Dr. George H. Williams, president, American University; and John Crouch, one of cofounders of Students for a Democratic Society at American University.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony on private immigration bills. Following the hearing, the committee met in executive session but took no action.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

COURT LEAVE FOR U.S. AND D.C. EMPLOYEES—CENSUS QUESTIONNAIRES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12884, to amend title 13, United States Code, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census; and H.R. 12979, to amend title 5, United States Code, to grant court leave to employees of the United States and the District of Columbia when called as witnesses in certain judicial proceedings on behalf of State and local governments.

The committee referred back to the Subcommittee on Compensation for further consideration H.R. 13000, to implement the Federal employee pay comparability system, to establish a Federal Employee Salary Commission and a Board of Arbitration, with instructions to report back to the full committee on August 7.

WHITE HOUSE POLICE FORCE—PUBLIC BUILDING PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on H.R. 11526, to authorize an adequate White House Police force. Testimony was heard from Hon. Eugene Rossides, Assistant Secretary for Enforcement, and James J. Rowley, Director of U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury.

Following the hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session and approved a public building prospectus for San Angelo, Tex., and Fort Monmouth, N.J.

DIRECT POPULAR ELECTION OF PRESIDENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 6 hours of general debate on H.J. Res. 681, direct popular election of the President. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dennis, Poff, Hutchinson, McClory, and Evans of Colorado. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Pollock.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, July 28.

SBA PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on programs and policies of the Small Business Administration. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee reached tentative decisions with respect to (1) accelerated depreciation on real estate, and (2) allocation of deductions. The substance of these tentative decisions has been announced to the press and a detailed release on these subjects will be available later this week.

Committee to continue Monday, July 28.

Joint Committee Meetings

INDUSTRIALIZED HOUSING

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs continued hearings to supplement studies on the subject of industrialized housing, having as its witnesses James R. Price and David Price, both of National Homes Corp., Lafayette, Ind.; and Richard Rosen, president, Urban Systems, Inc., Boston.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Friday, July 25, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20795–20854

Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2701–2704; S.J. Res. 141; and S. Res. 224. **Pages 20800, 20804**

Bill Referred: H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 20824**

Moon Landing: Senate adopted S. Res. 224, commending the Apollo 11 astronauts on their successful lunar expedition. **Pages 20800–20801**

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others) providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor. **Pages 20824–20843**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: numerous Army; four Navy, including that of Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, to be Chief of Naval Operations; numerous Air Force, including that of Gen. John D. Ryan, to be Chief of Staff, USAF; numerous Marine Corps; and one judicial (to a D.C. court). **Page 20843**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Vice Adm. Charles K. Duncan, Chief of Naval Personnel; Maj. Gen. Jonas M. Platt, Assistant Chief of Staff, G–1, USMC; and Brig. Gen. Charles F. Widdecke, Director of Marine Corps Reserves.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28, on funds for naval aircraft and missile procurement.

APPROPRIATIONS—JUDICIARY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony as follows:

Courts of appeals—district courts and other judicial services—Chief Judge Carl A. Weinman, U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Ohio; Ernest C. Friesen, Jr., Director, and William R. Sweeney, both of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts;

Federal Judicial Center—with testimony from Tom C. Clark, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court (retired);

Customs Court—Chief Judge Paul P. Rao, New York;

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission—William H. Brown III, Chairman;

National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws—Richard Greene, Deputy Director; and

Foreign Claims Settlement Commission—Leonard Sutton, Chairman.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with housing, urban development, and mass transportation, with testimony from Mayor John V. Lindsay, of New York City; Richard Wasserman, president, Levitt & Sons, Inc., Lake Success, N.Y.; Abe Cramer, chairman, Senior Citizens Housing Committee, B'nai B'rith; William Moses, president, Community Housing Improvement Program, New York City; Richard Fullerton, Richard L. Fullerton & Associates, Atlanta; and Miss Jane Benedict, chairman, and Leroy Adolph, both of the Metropolitan Council on Housing, New York City.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 29, on mass transit legislation.

OCEAN SPACE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ocean Space Subcommittee continued hearings on S. Res. 33, expressing the sense of Senate with respect to basic principles for governing activities of nations in ocean spaces, having as its witnesses Donald L. McKernan, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Fisheries and Wildlife; John Crawford, Crawford Marine Specialists, Inc.; Malcolm Wilkey, Kennecott Copper Co.; and John Knauss, dean of Graduate School of Oceanology, University of Rhode Island.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28.

ALCOHOLISM

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics continued a

series of hearings to inquire into the overall problem of alcoholism, with testimony today from Dr. Roger Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, Department of HEW; Augustus H. Hewlett, North American Association of Alcoholism Programs; Dr. Luther Cloud, president, National Council on Alcoholism; and the following panel: Dr. Alexander M. Ruggie, Luther General Hospital, Park Ridge, Ill., representing the American Hospital Association; Dr. Donald Hammersley, American Psychiatric Association; Dr. Raymond Knowles, Associate Commissioner for Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, Missouri Department of Public Health and Welfare, St. Louis; and Dr. Marvin A. Block, member of Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, American Medical Association.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, August 6, on problems of narcotics abuse.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Dr. Martin Forman, Agency for International Development; Dr. Aaron Altschul, Special Assistant for Nutrition Improvement, Department of Agriculture; Dr. George Graham, Johns Hopkins University; and Dr. Thomas E. Bryant, Assistant Director for Health Affairs, Office of Economic Opportunity.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28.

RETIREMENT OF THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Retirement and the Individual held hearings to receive testimony on the Federal role in encouraging preretirement and new work-lifetime patterns. Testimony was received from the following panels of witnesses:

Panel of Federal representatives: Andrew E. Ruddock, Bureau of Retirement, Insurance, and Occupational Health, Civil Service Commission; Carl B. Barnes, Director of Personnel, Department of Agriculture; Arnold Chase, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; John D. R. Cole, Deputy Assistant Secretary of HEW; and H. Alan McKean, Acting Deputy Director of Personnel, Department of Labor;

Panel: William Mitchell, American Association of Retired Persons; and Daniel Sinick, professor of education, George Washington University;

Panel: Dr. Robert N. Butler, research psychiatrist and gerontologist; Max Kaplan, director of the Institute for the Studies of Leisure; and E. J. Paul, director, Drake University Preretirement Planning Center;

National Council on the Aging: William C. Fitch, Executive Director; and

John B. Martin, Jr., Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 28.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from the Reverend Harold R. Fray, Jr., Council for Christian Social Action; Gary Gappert, Washington director, America Committee on Africa; Dr. Darrell Randall, United Methodist Church, Board of Christian Social Concerns; and B. William Miller, president, Technation Corp.

Hearings continue Monday, July 28.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, July 28.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Robert F. DeLay, president, Direct Mail Advertising Association; Senator Frank Carlson (retired), DMAA's commissioner of mail practices; Louis A. Kislik, chairman of DMAA's Legislative Committee and president of Publisher's Clearing House; John J. Daly, vice president, DMAA; and a representative of Mail Advertising Service Association, International, Inc.

SBA PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on the programs and policies of the Small Business Administration. Testimony was heard from Hon. Andrew F. Brimmer, Federal Reserve Board, and public witnesses.

Monday, July 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20952–20993

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2705–2714; S.J. Res. 142; and S. Res. 225. Pages 20962–20963, 20964

Declassification of Documents: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when a Senator requests the appropriate authorities for declassification of a document for use on the floor of the Senate and the Senate is advised by such authorities that the document may properly be declassified, Senate will give its formal approval for such declassification so far as the Senate itself (rather than a committee) is concerned. Pages 20940–20941

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others) providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor. Pages 20952, 20993–21002

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from John N. Mitchell, Attorney General; and Myrl E. Alexander, Director, Federal Prisons System, and Commissioner, Federal Prison Industries, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for naval aircraft and missile procurement from the following witnesses: Vice Adm. T. F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air); Maj. Gen. Keith B. McCutcheon, Deputy Chief of Staff for Air, Marine Corps; Rear Adm. Levering Smith, Director, Strategic Systems Project Office; Rear Adm. Walter D. Gaddis, Director of Budget and Reports; and Rear Adm. T. J. Walker III, Commander, Naval Air Systems Command.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Air Force.

NOMINATIONS, AND ASTRONAUTS' MEDALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Carter Burgess, of New York, to be an incorporator of the corporation founded by the HUD Development Act of 1968, and Thomas Clarke, of Georgia, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Committee also approved, with amendments, S.J. Res. 140, providing for the striking of medals in honor of American astronauts who have flown in outer space.

Prior to this action, testimony in connection with the nomination of Mr. Clarke was received from Senator Talmadge and Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

OCEAN SPACE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ocean Space Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. Res. 33, expressing the sense of Senate with respect to basic principles for governing activities of nations in ocean spaces, having as its witnesses Dr. Carl Auerbach, School of Law, University of Minnesota; Cecil Olmstead, assistant to the chairman of the board, Texaco, Inc.; and Dr. Clark Eichelberger, executive director, Commission To Study the Organization of Peace.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 30.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee consideration the following measures: S.J. Res. 121, to authorize funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity; S. 73, relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.; S. 74 and S. 776, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota; S. 204, providing for leasing of Indian lands for religious or educational purposes; S. 210, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna; S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.; and S. 921 and S. 606, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation.

Prior to this action, in open session, subcommittee received testimony on S.J. Res. 121, from William Carmack, National Council on Indian Opportunity; and on the remainder of the above-listed bills from Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management.

CLASS ACTION JURISDICTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 1980, to improve judicial machinery by providing Federal jurisdiction for certain types of class actions, having as its witnesses Representative Eckhardt; Virginia Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Ralph Nader, a D.C. attorney; Richard F. Dole, Jr., Iowa University College of Law; and Erma Angevine, executive director, Consumer Federation of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIGRANT SUBCULTURE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Migratory Labor Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony concerning cultural, economic, and social differences of migrant workers, having as its witnesses Dr. Robert Coles, professor of psychology, Harvard University; and Ernesto Galarza, an author and lecturer from California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 2523, to authorize funds for extension of programs to construct community mental health centers, with testimony from Creed C. Black, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Dr. Joseph English, Administrator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration, and Dr. Stanley Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, all of the Department of HEW; Irving Chase, National Association for Mental Health; Mike Gorman, National Committee Against Mental Illness; and Dr. Hayden Donahue, representing the American Psychiatric Association, and the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 30.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Dr. I. J. Hutchings, general manager—research and development, H. J. Heinz Co.; Dan Gerber, chairman of the board, who was accompanied by other officials of the Gerber Products Co.; and J. Paul Austin, president, the Coca-Cola Co.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 30.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13112–13146; three private bills, H.R. 13147–13149; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 839–843, H. Con. Res. 307 and 308, and H. Res. 494–498, were introduced. **Pages 20938–20940**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4813, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended, filed on Friday, July 25 (H. Rept. 91–394);

S. 1611, to amend Public Law 85–905 to provide for a National Center on Educational Media and Materials for the Handicapped, amended (H. Rept. 91–395);

H.J. Res. 764, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity (H. Rept. 91–396); and

H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminatory use of tests and devices (H. Rept. 91–397). **Page 20938**

Late Report: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminatory use of tests and devices. **Page 20847**

Committee To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 20847**

D.C. Legislation: Consideration of bills pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, passed, and sent to the Senate:

Metropolitan Police Department Band: H.R. 9551, to amend the act of July 11, 1947, to authorize members of the District of Columbia Fire Department, the U.S. Park Police force, and the White House Police force to participate in the Metropolitan Police Department Band (amended). **Pages 20848–20849**

Chancery locations: H.R. 6947, to amend the act of October 13, 1964, to regulate the location of chanceries and other business offices of foreign governments in the District of Columbia (amended). **Pages 20849–20850**

Hospital employees overtime: H.R. 9553, to amend the District of Columbia Minimum Wage Act to authorize the computation of overtime compensation for hospital employees on the basis of a 14-day work period (amended, passed by a record vote of 220 yeas to 141 nays). **Pages 20850–20856**

Interstate compact on juveniles: H.R. 8868, to authorize the District of Columbia to enter into the interstate compact on juveniles. **Pages 20856–20860**

Employment of minors: H.R. 12671, to amend the act of May 29, 1928, to facilitate and encourage the employment of minors in the District of Columbia between the ages of 14 and 16 during the summer and other school vacation periods. **Pages 20860–20862**

D.C. bill recommitted: By a record vote of 356 yeas to 19 nays, and two "present," the House voted to recommit to the Committee on the District of Columbia H.R.

255, to authorize banks, savings and loan associations, and other regulated lenders in the District of Columbia to charge or deduct interest in advance on loans to be repaid in installments. Pages 20862–20879

Building Trades Safety: Cleared for the President H.R. 10946, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects, by concurring to Senate amendments thereto.

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National Adult-Youth Communications Week: Passed H.J. Res. 614, authorizing the President to proclaim the week of September 28, 1969, through October 4, 1969, as "National Adult-Youth Communications Week" (amended). Page 20879

National Archery Week: Passed S.J. Res. 85, to provide for the designation of the period from August 26, 1969, through September 1, 1969, as "National Archery Week" (amended and returned to the Senate).

Pages 20879–20880

National Clown Week: Passed H.J. Res. 236, authorizing and requesting the President of the United States to issue a proclamation designating the week of August 1 through August 7 as "National Clown Week."

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Interest Equalization Tax: Passed H.R. 13079, to continue for a temporary period the existing interest equalization tax. Considered by unanimous consent.

Pages 20880–20881

Income Tax-Surtax Extension: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request for consideration of H.R. 13080, to continue for an additional 15 days the existing rates of income tax withheld at source.

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Federal Credit Unions: By a record vote of 357 yeas to 10 nays, the House passed H.R. 2, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act so as to provide for an independent Federal agency for the supervision of federally chartered credit unions.

H. Res. 483, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 20881–20892

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PRODUCTION RESEARCH AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations concluded hearings on H.R. 8536 and related bills, to amend section 602(3) and section 608c(6)(I) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, so as to authorize production research under marketing agreement and order programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Sisk and McFall and departmental and public witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from James V. Smith, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Began hearings on national crime. Testimony was heard from Jack Rosenthal, national urban affairs correspondent for Life magazine, accompanied by Michael G. Edison, director of survey research of social problems, Louis Harris & Associates; and Mayor Carl Stokes of Cleveland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AFRO-AMERICAN HISTORY AND CULTURE

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 3295, to provide for the establishment of a Commission on Afro-American History and Culture. Testimony was heard from Senator Scott and Charles Wesley, executive director, Association for the Study of Negro Life and History.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and continued markup of coal mine health and safety legislation.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Charles H. Smith, Jr., president, SIFCO Industries, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio, representing Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Herbert E. Harris II, legislative counsel, American Farm Bureau; and American Association of University Women.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Hanley; U.S. Chamber of Commerce, represented by Owen Clarke, vice president, Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio Railroads; Reuben D. Siverson, manager, Human Resources Development Group; and Spencer D. Moseley, president, REA Express.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Philip Handler, President, National Academy of Sciences, and Dr. Edward Wenk, Executive Secretary, National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

Tuesday, July 29, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21100–21145

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2715–2728; and S. Res. 226–227. Pages 21100–21101, 21111

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 140, providing for the striking of medals in honor of American astronauts who have flown in outer space, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–337);

S. Res. 205, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding recognition of foreign governments by the United States, with amendment, and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–338);

S. Res. 226, to extend to November 1, 1969, authority of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to study problem of education of American Indians (no written report); and

S. Res. 227, authorizing expenditure of additional funds by Committee on Labor and Public Welfare for continued study of problem of education of American Indians (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 21100, 21111

Bills Referred: Seven House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 21114

Bill at Desk—Interest Equalization Tax: Senate received House-passed H.R. 13079, to extend until August 31, 1969, the interest equalization tax, which remained at desk at adjournment.

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Armed Services was discharged from further consideration of S. 2635, providing for adjustments in the lands or interest therein acquired for the Hartwell Dam project, South Carolina and Georgia, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 21117

Public Lands—Vermont: Senate passed without amendment S. 59, authorizing Secretary of the Army to relinquish jurisdiction over certain lands at Underhill, Vt. Pages 21085–21086

Authority To Report: Committee on Government Operations was granted extension of time, until November 30, 1969, to file six reports of its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations on the subject of riots, civil and criminal disorders. Page 21100

Committee Expenditures: S. Res. 226, to extend to November 1, 1969, authority of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to study problem of education of American Indians, was adopted. Page 21111

Air Carriers: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Cannon, Hart, Cotton, and Prouty. Page 21164

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor. Pages 21100, 21145–21154, 21163–21164

Confirmations: Senate confirmed three civilian nominations, including those of Carl J. Gilbert, of Massachusetts, to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador (by 61 yeas to 30 nays); and of Thomas Hal Clarke, of Georgia, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board. Page 21172

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM LOANS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held

hearings on S. 815, to increase the amount of insured, operating loans which may be made under the Consolidated Farmers Administration Act, with testimony from James V. Smith, Administrator, Joseph Haspray, Deputy Administrator, Henry F. Lowe, Assistant Administrator for Real Estate Loans, and Jack Frost, Director of Emergency Loan Division, all of the Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; and Harry Graham, National Farmers Organization.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from the following Justice Department officials: Charles H. Rogovin, Administrator, and Richard W. Velde, Associate Administrator, both of Law Enforcement Assistance Administration; John E. Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs; Benjamin F. Holman, Director, Community Relations Service; Will R. Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division; and Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of Commerce.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Secretary of the Air Force Robert C. Seamans, Jr., and Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John P. McConnell.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Navy operation and maintenance.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings to receive further testimony on pending mass transportation legislation, having as its witnesses, Joseph Barr, mayor of Pittsburgh, representing National League of Cities; Roy Blount, Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority; Thomas Prior, general manager, San Diego Transit; John Doyne, National Association of Counties; Carmack Cochran, accompanied by S. A. Caria, both of the American Transit Association; B. R. Stokes, Bay Area Rapid Transit, San Francisco; James C. McConnon, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority, Philadelphia; and D. J. Giacoma, chairman, American Transit Corp., accompanied by Robert Sloan.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States (S. 1637, 2437, and 2651), having as its witnesses Senator Randolph; John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; J. B. Hartranft, Aircraft Owners & Pilots Association; Thomas Miles, National Air Transportation Conferences; Lee L. Wagener, American Association of Airport Executives; James D. Ramsey, Michigan Aeronautics Commission, Lansing; F. Kingston Smith, National Aviation Trades Association; and James Johnson, National Governors Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN TRAVEL TO UNITED STATES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1289 and S. 2143, bills to encourage national efforts to increase foreign travel to the United States, receiving testimony from Senator Javits; Rocco Siciliano, Under Secretary of Commerce; C. Langhorne Washburn, Director, U.S. Travel Service, Department of Commerce; and numerous public witnesses who sat as a panel representing the travel industry.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Kenneth Franzheim II, of Texas, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; and the following nominations to be members of the General Advisory Committee of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency: I. W. Abel, of Pennsylvania; Harold Brown, of California; William J. Casey, of New York; Douglas Dillon, of New Jersey; William C. Foster, of the District of Columbia; Kermit Gordon, of the District of Columbia; James R. Killian, Jr., of Massachusetts; John J. McCloy, of New York; Lauris Norstad, of Ohio; Peter G. Peterson, of Illinois; J. P. Ruina, of Massachusetts; Dean Rusk, of the District of Columbia; William W. Scranton, of Pennsylvania; Cyrus R. Vance, of New York; and John A. Wheeler, of New Jersey.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Tower appeared to testify in support of Mr. Franzheim.

NATIONAL HISTORIC SITES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration with amendment S. 560, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site; S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site; and S.J. Res. 26, to provide for the development of the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony

from Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, president of the William Howard Taft Memorial Association, who directed his remarks to S. 560; and George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, who testified with regard to all three bills.

FIREARMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed hearings on pending firearms control legislation (S. 100, 845, 849, 977, 1432, and 2433), having as its witnesses George D. Newton, Jr., and Franklin E. Zimring, both of the Task Force on Firearms, National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CLASS ACTION JURISDICTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 1980, to improve judicial machinery by providing Federal jurisdiction for certain types of class actions, having as its witnesses Mrs. Bess Myerson Grant, Commissioner of Consumer Affairs, New York City; Maynard Toll, National Legal Aid and Defender Association; Prof. Paul G. Garrity, National Consumer Law Center, Boston University College of Law; Ted Pankowski, Isaac Walton League; and James G. Greilsheimer, Federal Bar Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from A. Thomas Easley, the New England Council, Boston; Robert E. DeBlois, DeBlois Oil Co., Pawtucket, representing the New England Fuel Institute; David J. Steinberg, Committee for a National Trade Policy; and Paul Amundsen, American Association of Port Authorities.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

Also, committee announced that it had approved for reporting S. Res. 226, extending until November 1, 1969, its authority to study education of American Indians, and an original resolution (S. Res. 227) requesting additional funds for continued study of education of American Indians.

NUTRITION

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee held an executive business meeting but made no announcements.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Henry Brill, director, Pilgrim State Hospital, West Brentwood, Long Island, N.Y., and Dr. Fritz Freyhan, Department of Psychology, St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 13150–13178; nine private bills, H.R. 13179–13187; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 844–848 and H. Res. 499–503, were introduced.

Pages 21264–21265

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 499, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax (H. Rept. 91–398);

H. Res. 500, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13018, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 91–399); and

H. Res. 501, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13080, to continue for an additional 15 days the existing rates of income tax withheld at source (H. Rept. 91–400).

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Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight.

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Labor-HEW Appropriations: After completing all general debate on H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, 25 pages of the bill were read for amendment.

While in the Committee of the Whole, the following amendments were rejected:

An amendment that sought to restore funding to the fiscal year 1969 level of $185,149,500 for the National Cancer Institute (by a teller vote of 59 yeas to 91 nays).

An amendment that would increase funds available for loans to medical students by $14.8 million.

A point of order against the Michel amendment was sustained.

When the Committee rose, the following amendments were pending:

Joelson amendment that provides an increase of $894 million over the funds in H.R. 13111 in the following manner: Impact aid, $398 million; school library,

equipment, guidance and counsel and supplementary centers, $110 million; vocational education, $131 million; higher education construction, and 4-year undergraduate program, $33 million; NDEA student loan program, $40 million; and title I—ESEA program, $180 million.

Michel substitute to the Joelson amendment, same as the committee bill, except for additional funding for impact aid in the sum of $319 million.

Robison amendment to the Michel substitute that would raise to fiscal year 1969 levels funding for school libraries, equipment, guidance and counsel, and supplementary centers.

Smith of Iowa amendment that seeks to increase funds for higher education and student loans.

Agreed to limit debate to 1 hour on the pending amendments and amendments thereto by a division vote of 204 yeas to 76 nays.

Subsequently vacated the previous agreement limiting debate on the pending amendments by a teller vote of 150 yeas to 70 nays.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 21174–21232

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Resumed hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm and food stamp programs. Testimony was heard from Fred V. Heinkel, president, Midcontinent Farmers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Prof. Thomas Schelling, Center of International Affairs, Harvard University; Mayor Joseph Alioto, San Francisco; and Mayor Lawrence F. Kramer, Paterson, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued executive consideration of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education began hearings on the student guaranteed loan program. Testimony was heard from Gene E. Allen, Commissioner of Education, and departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Hon. Benjamin S. Rosenthal accompanied by Philip Sporn and Abe Wolman, engineers; Mrs. Max Schenk, national president, Hadassah; and Dr. Albert H. Sabin, president designate of the Weizmann Institute of Science, appearing on behalf of the graduate school.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BRIEFING ON AFRICAN PROGRAMS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing by Peace Corps officials on African programs in Tanzania, Ivory Coast, Malawi, Botswana, Lesotho, and Swaziland.

ACCOUNTS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on and approved for full committee action H.R. 4869, amended, to further the economic advancement and general welfare of the Hopi Indian Tribe of the State of Arizona; and H.R. 9756, amended, to provide for the disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of Flathead Reservation, Mont. Testimony was heard from Representative Olsen and departmental and public witnesses.

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 7066, amended, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site. Testimony was heard from Charles P. Taft, Jr.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION AND CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee met in executive session and acted on private immigration and private claims bills.

ANTITRUST

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

RADIOTELEPHONE REQUIREMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 6971 and related bills, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Patrick Nilan, legislative director, United Federation of Postal Clerks.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 3 hours of debate on, H.R. 13018, military construction authorization for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rivers and Representatives Arends and Leggett.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION EXTENSION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing for the consideration of, and 4 hours of debate waiving points of order against, H.R. 12829, Interest Equalization Tax Extension Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills and Representative Byrnes.

SURCHARGE WITHHOLDING TAX EXTENSION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate waiving points of order against, H.R. 13080, extension of surcharge withholding tax rates for 15 days. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills and Representative Byrnes.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Rules: Postponed action on H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RADIOFREQUENCY SPECTRUM

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on radiofrequency spectrum. Testimony was heard from Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; Secor D. Browne, Assistant Secretary for Research and Technology, Department of Transportation; James D. O'Connell, Director, Telecommunications Management, Office of Emergency Preparedness; and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21346–21381

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2729–2738; and S. Res. 228.

Pages 21359, 21374

Bill Placed on Calendar: Senate received House-passed H.R. 13080, to continue for an additional 15 days, the existing rates of income tax withheld. The bill was read the first time and objection was made to its immediate consideration. It was then read the second time, objection was made to further proceedings on the bill, and under rule XIV, paragraph 4, it was ordered to be placed on calendar.

Pages 21392–21397

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was appropriately referred.

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Medals: Senate passed, with amendments, S.J. Res. 140, providing for the striking of medals in honor of American astronauts who have flown in outer space.

Pages 21347–21348

Tocks Island Project: S. 2678, dealing with development of hydroelectric power at Tocks Island Dam and

Reservoir, Delaware River Basin, was passed without amendment. Pages 21348–21353

Military Procurement: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending to the bill at recess was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor.

Pages 21381–21392

Taxation: Senate agreed by unanimous consent to put aside temporarily S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, and also agreed, by unanimous consent, as follows: that effective immediately, the pending business be made H.R. 9951, providing for collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; that debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except a motion to table) shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; that no amendment that is not germane to the provisions of any amendment dealing exclusively with extension of the surtax or repeal of investment tax credit shall be received; and that debate shall be limited to 2 hours, equally divided, on the question of final passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, the committee amendment to H.R. 9951 was withdrawn. This amendment consisted of section 5 (transactions by private foundations with Government officials), and section 6 (taxation of amounts received by Government officials from tax-exempt, private foundations).

Long (Louisiana) amendment of a technical nature, to continue the 10-percent surtax through December 31, 1969, was pending at recess. Pages 21405–21406

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Kenneth Franzheim II, of Texas, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; and the following 15 nominations, each to be a member of the General Advisory Committee of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—I. W. Abel, of Pennsylvania; Harold Brown, of California; William J. Casey, of New York; Douglas Dillon, of New Jersey; William C. Foster, of the District of Columbia; Kermit Gordon, of the District of Columbia; James R. Killian, Jr., of Massachusetts; John J. McCloy, of New York; Lauris Norstad, of Ohio; Peter G. Peterson, of Illinois; J. P. Ruina, of Massachusetts; Dean Rusk, of the District of Columbia; William W. Scranton, of Pennsylvania; Cyrus Roberts Vance, of New York; and John Archibald Wheeler, of New Jersey. Page 21408

Recess: Recessed at 6:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Department of Commerce from the following departmental officials: Rocco C. Siciliano, Under Secretary; Robert A. Podesta, Assistant Secretary for Economic Development; Kenneth N. Davis, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Domestic and International Business (Business and Defense Services Administration); Harold B. Scott, Director, Bureau of International Commerce; Larry A. Jobe, Assistant Secretary for Administration (Participation in U.S. Expositions, New York World's Fair); Robert M. White, Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration; and William E. Schuyler, Jr., Commissioner of Patents.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony on funds for operations and maintenance and other Navy procurement from Vice Adm. Ralph L. Shifley, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Logistics, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Navy research and development.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony from Senator Jordan of North Carolina, on funds for speech reinforcement system for the Senate Chamber, site for additional Senate Office Building, and James Madison Memorial Library Building; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol, who was accompanied by his associates; and Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, the Librarian of Congress, on funds for library items under the Architect of the Capitol.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VIETNAM BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler concerning his recent trip to Vietnam.

SEC

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities held hearings pertaining to possible conflicts of interest by Hamer H. Budge, Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Witnesses heard were Hamer H. Budge; Harold Bradford, president,

Investors Group; and Philip Greer, staff writer, the Washington Post.

Hearings continue on Monday, August 4.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation dealing with the development of airports and airways throughout the United States (S. 1637, 2437, and 2651), having as its witnesses Gen. William F. McKee, U.S.A.F. (Retired), former Administrator of FAA; Alfred E. Driscoll, former Governor of New Jersey, on behalf of the Pennsylvania/New Jersey/Delaware Committee on Regional Development; William L. Pereira, FAIA; H. R. McCune, airport manager and engineer, LaJunta, Colo., accompanied by R. V. Lord; William T. Piper, Jr., Aviation Progress Committee; H. C. Heldenfels, the Associated General Contractors of America; Sam Massell, vice mayor, Atlanta, on behalf of the National League of Cities; and Crocker Snow, State of Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission, on behalf of the New England Governors Conference.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION OF COMMON CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 2289, to make unlawful unreasonable and undue property tax assessments on common and contract carrier property. Witnesses heard were Philip M. Lanier, Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co.; Broley E. Travis, consulting engineer, Sacramento; Rolf A. Weil, president, Roosevelt University, Chicago; Thomas M. Goodfellow, president, Association of American Railroads; Charles F. Conlon, National Association of Tax Administrators, Chicago; and Frank Smith, Transportation Association of America.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. LAND LEASES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following two bills: H.R. 12720, to convey certain D.C. property to the Washington International School, with testimony from Representative Morse; Cathya Wing, associate director, and Robert Zimmer, counsel, both of the Washington International School; and Mike Sindler, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C. Government; and

H.R. 12677, authorizing lease of certain D.C. property to the Jewish Historical Society for purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum, with testimony from Henry Brylawski, president, Jewish Historical Society; and Mike Sindler.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ANTIBALLISTIC MISSILE SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs met in executive session to consider newly available secret reports concerning the proposed antiballistic missile system.

OCEAN SPACE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Ocean Space Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. Res. 33, expressing the sense of Senate with respect to basic principles for governing activities of nations in ocean spaces, having as its witnesses U. Alexis Johnson, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; and Dr. G. Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the national communications system and its use during national emergency from Lt. Gen. Richard P. Klocko, USAF, Director, Defense Communications Agency.

MISSILE REENTRY SYSTEMS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to view a classified film by the General Electric Co. on missile reentry systems.

VOTING RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed amendments to the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (S. 818, 2456, 2507, and title IV of S. 2029), having as its witness Attorney General John N. Mitchell.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Representative Mink; Richard H. S. Wong, member of the Hawaii House of Representatives; Tom L. Schwinn, Kansas Independent Oil & Gas Association, Wichita; Albert J. Klingel, Jr., Savannah Port Authority, accompanied by Robert Van Geuns, Georgia Institute of Technology; and Richard de Y. Manning, New England Petroleum Co., New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on S. 2523, to authorize funds for extension of programs to construct community mental health centers, with testimony from Sister Mary Amelia, and Dr. Harold Rockaway, both of the Mid-Houston Texas Mental Health Center; Dr.

H. G. Whittington, director of psychiatry, Denver Department of Health and Hospitals; Clinton Phair, AFL–CIO; Dr. J. M. Stubblebine, program chief, Community Mental Health, San Francisco; and Dr. Leston Havens, State Department of Mental Health, Boston. Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued executive consideration of pending coal mine safety legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee had as its witnesses Robert Lewis, counsel, Krause Milling Co.; David Cox, president, and Dewey Sehring, both of Ross Laboratories; Dr. Herbert P. Sarrett, Mead-Johnson Research Center; Dr. Hartley W. Howard, Borden, Inc.; and Dr. Eric Hoteling, Yoo Hoo Beverage Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Daniel X. Freedman, professor of psychiatry, University of Chicago; and Dr. Richard C. Pillard, assistant professor of psychiatry, Boston University.

Hearings continue on Thursday, August 7.

LONG-TERM CARE OF THE AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Long-Term Care held hearings to receive testimony on trends in long-term care for the elderly, with testimony from the following witnesses: Thomas Laughlin, Deputy Commissioner, Medical Services Administration; Joseph Hunt, Commissioner, Rehabilitations Services Administration; Dr. Sterling B. Brinkley; and John B. Martin, Jr., Commissioner, Administration on Aging, all of the Department of HEW; Paul De Preaux, Connecticut Association of Nonprofit Homes and Hospitals for the Aged; Mrs. Eleanor Baird, American Nursing Home Association; William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens; Rev. William T. Eggers, president, Rev. John Mason, and Lester Davis, all of the American Association of Homes for the Aging; Miss Mary Elizabeth Shaughnessy, American Nurses' Association; Dr. Pierre Salmon, American Medical Association; Garland L. Bonin, commissioner, Department of Public Welfare, State of Louisiana; and Mrs. Rose Martin, National Association for Practical Nurse Education Service.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 13188–13217; two private bills, H.R. 13218 and 13219; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 849–852, H. Con. Res. 309 and 310, and H. Res. 504 and 505, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 85, 348, and 564, private bills (H. Repts. 91–401 to 91–403, respectively);

S. Con. Res. 33, favoring the suspension of deportation of certain aliens, amended (H. Rept. 91–404);

H.R. 1695 and 2817, amended, private bills (H. Repts. 91–405 and 91–406, respectively); and

H.R. 12884, to amend title 13, United States Code, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census (H. Rept. 91–407).

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Income Tax—Surtax Extension: By a record vote of 306 yeas to 105 nays, the House passed H.R. 13080, to continue for an additional 15 days the existing rates of income tax withheld at source.

H. Res. 501, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 21409–21413

Great Plains Conservation Program: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 10595, to amend the act of August 7, 1956 (70 Stat. 1115), as amended, providing for a Great Plains conservation program, and asked for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Poage, Stubblefield, Purcell, Belcher, and Teague of California. Page 21413

Labor-HEW Appropriations: House continued reading for amendment H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Fifty pages of the bill had been read for amendment when the Committee of the Whole rose.

Agreed to the following amendments:

The Joelson "package" amendment which provides an increase of $894,547 million over the funds in H.R. 13111 in the following manner: Impact aid, $398 million; school library, equipment, guidance and counsel, and supplementary centers, $110,453 million; vocational education, $131,500 million; higher education construction, and 4-year undergraduate program, $33 million; NDEA student loan program, $40,794 million; and title I—ESEA program, $180,800 million (by a teller vote of 242 yeas to 106 nays).

An amendment that makes more funds available for

grants for cooperative networks of libraries under title I of the Library Services and Construction Act in the amount of $6,904,000 (by a division vote of 138 yeas to 63 nays).

An amendment that increases funding for education of the handicapped by $15,460,000 (by a division vote of 95 yeas to 43 nays).

An amendment that increases by $4 million funds for mental retardation facilities construction (by a division vote of 62 yeas to 52 nays).

An amendment that prohibits any funds in the bill to be used to conduct experiments, pilot operations, or programs involving guaranteed wages (by a teller vote of 115 yeas to 77 nays).

Rejected the following amendments:

The Smith of Iowa amendment to the Joelson amendment that sought to increase funds for higher education and student loans (by a teller vote of 97 yeas to 206 nays).

The Robison amendment to the Michel substitute that sought to raise to fiscal year 1969 levels funding for school libraries, equipment, guidance and counsel, and supplementary centers (by a teller vote of 117 yeas to 188 nays).

The Michel substitute to the Joelson amendment that was the same as the committee bill, except for additional funding for impact aid in the sum of $319 million (by a teller vote of 160 yeas to 197 nays).

A point of order against the Macdonald of Massachusetts amendment was sustained.

An amendment that would provide $1,856,000 in additional funds for the Library of Congress to help libraries catalog their publications.

An amendment that would increase by $4,625,000 funds available for educational TV and educational radio programs (by a division vote of 64 yeas to 89 nays).

An amendment that sought to increase by $10 million funds for juvenile delinquency prevention and control (by a division vote of 52 yeas to 94 nays).

An amendment that would provide $300,000 to the Bureau of Federal Credit Unions for consumer training (Project Moneywise).

A point of order against section 208 (limitation on allotments to States) was overruled.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 21413–21471

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 59, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to relinquish jurisdiction over certain lands at Underhill, Vt.—referred to the Committee on Armed Services. Page 21486

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on legislation pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm and food stamp programs. Testimony was heard from Representative Springer and Max Miller, United Grain Farmers of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of Army witnesses.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing concluded hearings on housing legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mailliard, Holifield, Bingham, Ryan, and public witnesses.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Geoffrey Hazard, Jr., executive director, American Bar Foundation; Ralph Salerno, formerly sergeant with New York City Police Department and recognized authority on organized crime; and Patrick V. Murphy, director, Urban Institute Public Order and Safety Studies.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the guaranteed student loan program. Testimony was heard from Gregory Ahart, Deputy Director, Civil Division, General Accounting Office and Allan W. Purdy, president, Student Financial Aid Council.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Gen. William H. Draper, Jr., national chairman, together with Dr. Allan Guttmacher and James W. Riddleberger, Population Crisis Committee; and CUNA, International.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on pending legislation to provide for Federal Government recognition of and participation in international expositions to be held in the United States. Testimony was heard from Representative Fascell and representatives from the Department of Commerce.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments con-

tinued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Representatives Anderson of Illinois and Hosmer.

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement.

SPECIAL STUDIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SALARIES

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 502, relating to the per annum gross rates of pay of certain positions under the House of Representatives.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open legislative session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 850 amended, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California;

S. 912 amended, to provide for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in the State of Colorado;

H.R. 9477, amended to provided for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation;

S. 1686, authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to determine and fix the minimum and maximum limits of age within which original appointments to the U.S. Park Police may be made;

H.R. 4869 amended, to further the economic advancement and general welfare of the Hopi Indian Tribe of the State of Arizona; and

H.J. Res. 81, to provide for the development of the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg, Pa.

AIRPORT AND AIRWAYS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780 and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTRIC POWER RELIABILITY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on H.R. 12585 and related bills, electric power reliability. Testimony was heard from Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, held hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from Charles G. Bluhdorn, chairman of the board; David N. Judelson, president; Don F. Gaston, executive vice president, and Roy T. Abbott, Jr., senior vice president, Gulf & Western Industries, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Hon. J. Edward Day, former Postmaster General, and George Meany, president, American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Ivan L. Bennett, director, N.Y. University Medical Center; and Dr. James Shannon, Special Assistant to the President, National Academy of Sciences.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued executive consideration of tax reform.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 15 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2739–2753. Page 21587

Taxation: By 70 yeas to 30 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Senate passed H.R. 9951, providing for collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly in-

stallments during each taxable year, after adopting by 51 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Long (Louisiana) amendment to continue the 10 percent surtax through December 31, 1969.

Senate rejected by 41 yeas to 59 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Williams (Delaware) amendment to extend income surtax for the first 6 months of 1970 at the rate of 5 percent.

By 66 yeas to 34 nays, Senate adopted Mansfield motion to table Williams (Delaware) amendment to repeal the 7-percent investment tax credit.

Pages 21534, 21540–21573

Taxation: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 13079, to continue for 30 days the interest equalization tax. Page 21572

Military Procurement: Senate resumed its consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, entering into the following unanimous-consent agreement respecting further consideration of Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor:

On Wednesday, August 6, but not before 3 p.m., Senate will vote on amendment No. 101, it being also agreed that on Tuesday, August 5, after the morning hour, debate on this amendment will be limited to 4 hours, equally divided; that Senate will convene on Wednesday, August 6, at 11 a.m. with no morning hour being held; that debate on amendment No. 101 on that day will be limited to 4 hours, equally divided, and if there be further amendments to amendment No. 101, the time will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, on such amendments. Pages 21572–21573

National Archery Week: S.J. Res. 85, to designate the period of August 26–September 1, 1969, as National Archery Week, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for Navy research and development from Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development.

Hearings continue on Monday, August 4, on funds for Air Force military personnel.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Department of Commerce from the following departmental officials: Allen V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards; Andrew E. Gibson, Maritime Administrator; Thomas F. Roeser, Assistant to the Secretary and Director, Office of Minority Business Enterprise; C. Langhorne Washburn, Director, U.S. Travel Service; and Phillip K. Reilly, Director, Office of State Technical Services.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for certain related agencies.

SMALL BUSINESS LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 2540, authorizing SBA to purchase debentures of small business investment companies. Subcommittee also approved for full committee consideration an original bill which would (1) increase from $300 to $500 million loan ceiling for section 502 loans to State and local development companies, (2) incorporate provisions of section 4 of S. 1212, relating to securities of small business investment companies (amended), and (3) incorporate provisions of section 7 of S. 1212, also relating to small business investment concerns.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Lewis M. Branscomb, of Colorado, to be Director of the National Bureau of Standards; Albert B. Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission, who was introduced by Senator Mathias; and David W. Oberlin, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, who was introduced by Senator Mondale. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Brooke was received from John A. Carver, Jr., member of the Federal Power Commission.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on the following bills:

S. 324, authorizing conveyance to Prince William County, Va., of certain D.C.-owned land in said county, with testimony from William A. Robinson, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Robert Snyder, Assistant Executive Secretary, and David Gardner, both of Prince William County, Va.; William Woodworth, Northern Virginia Conservation Council; George Alderson, Sierra Club; Rupert Cutler, Wilderness Society; Mrs. Eliza-

beth Hartwell, Citizens Council for a Clean Potomac; David A. Sutherland, McLean, Va.; and William H. Waters, Jr., Washington, D.C.;

H.R. 4182, changing the name of the D.C. Training School to Forest Haven Institution, and revising criteria for handling mentally retarded persons at such institution, with testimony from William A. Robinson;

H.R. 254, authorizing acquisition of more dogs for D.C. law enforcement purposes, with testimony from William A. Robinson; and Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee;

H.R. 9526, providing that employer contributions do not have to be made under the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act for service performed for public international organizations, with testimony from William A. Robinson; and

S. 1484, to abolish commission authorized to consider site for building a national memorial stadium in the D.C., with testimony from William A. Robinson.

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Committee held hearings on S. 1707, to establish a Commission on Goverment Procurement, with testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Barry J. Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics). A written statement was submitted for the record by Senator Magnuson.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PETROLEUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued hearings on Government intervention in the market mechanism as it affects the petroleum industry, with testimony from Kenneth E. Curtis, Governor of Maine, representing the New England Governors Conference; Dr. Armand Hammer, Occidental Petroleum Corp., Los Angeles; Stanley Mann, Keystone Fuel Oil Co., Philadelphia, representing Barge Terminal Fuel Oil Marketers Association; and Lawrence McGee, Division of Commerce and Industry, State of North Carolina.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nomination of Almeric L. Christian, to be judge of the district court of the Virgin Islands, prior to which action the nominee was introduced to the subcommittee by Senator Tydings. Also appearing in support of the nominee was Ron de Lugo, Virgin Islands representative to Washington.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 17 to 0, ordered favorably reported an original bill to improve health and safety conditions of coal mine workers in the United States.

MEDICAL LIBRARIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 2549, to improve medical library facilities in the United States, receiving testimony from Dr. Robert Q. Marston, Director, National Institutes of Health; Dr. Martin M. Cummings, Director, National Library of Medicine; Mrs. Jacqueline Felter, Medical Library Association; William S. Dix, American Library Association; Dr. John A. D. Cooper, Association of American Medical Colleges; and Dr. Stephen McCarthy, Association of Research Libraries.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments, S. 2326, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress. Among amendments adopted are those which (1) would require 8-percent contribution to retirement fund by Members of Congress instead of 7½ percent as provided in bill, and (2) exempt from income tax the first $3,000 of retirement annuity.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Continuing its series of hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, committee heard from the following witnesses:

Panel on the Federal role in promoting nutrition through foods from the sea—Dr. Edward J. Wenk, National Council on Marine Resources; George Parman, Director, Food From the Seas Program, Agency for International Development; Dr. Harold Crowthers, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior; and Robert Abel, Sea-Grant College Program, National Science Foundation; and

Panel on the role of private industry in promoting nutrition through foods from the sea—Walter C. Beckman, Alpine Marine Protein Industries; Dr. Thomas Meade, Department of Fisheries and Marine Technology, University of Rhode Island; Dr. Fred Stare, Department of Nutrition, Harvard University; Dr. Rio Duggan, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Lee Weddig, National Fisheries Institute.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 5.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly held hearings with regard to home-

ownership aspects of the economics of aging, receiving testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, former Secretary of HEW, and presently dean of the School of Education, University of Michigan; Mrs. Marie McGuire, Special Assistant for Problems of the Elderly, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Richard Coffee, New Jersey State senator; and John Shannon, Assistant Director, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 13220–13261; seven private bills, H.R. 13262–13268; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 853–858, H. Con. Res. 311–313, and H. Res. 506–508, were introduced. **Pages 21723–21725**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3629, 3955, and 9001, private bills (H. Rept. 91–408 to 91–410); and

S. 912, to provide for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in the State of Colorado, amended (H. Rept. 91–411). **Page 21723**

Federal Aviation Act: House insists on its amendment to S. 1373, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1953, and agrees to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Friedel, Dingell, Pickle, Springer, Devine, and Cunningham. **Page 21627**

Late Report: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file a report on the Tax Reform Act of 1969 by midnight Saturday, August 2, or Monday, August 4. **Page 21627**

Labor-HEW Appropriations: By a record vote of 393 yeas to 16 nays, the House passed H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to limit total expenditures of $16 billion 364 million was rejected by a voice vote.

By a record vote of 294 yeas to 119 nays, agreed to the Joelson "package" amendment (agreed to earlier in the Committee of the Whole).

By a record vote of 316 yeas to 95 nays, agreed to the Sikes-Smith of Iowa amendment. Sikes amendment prohibits funds to any institution of higher education not complying with section 504 of the Higher Education Act of 1968 (agreed to earlier in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 162 yeas to 61 nays). Smith of Iowa amendment to the Sikes amendment prohibits funds to any individual at an institution of higher education involved in campus disruption (agreed to earlier in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 129 yeas to 58 nays).

Agreed to a technical amendment.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to strike out section 208 (limits allotments to States to $500 million, by a teller vote of 78 yeas to 110 nays).

A point of order against section 407 of the bill was sustained.

A point of order against the Smith of Iowa amendment to section 407 (similar to the language in the bill) was sustained.

A point of order against the Sikes-Smith amendment was overruled.

A point of order against the Dellenback substitute to the Sikes amendment was sustained.

An amendment designed to strike sections 408 and 409 from the bill (regarding use of funds for forced busing of students, or the forced attendance of any elementary or secondary student at any school against the choice of the student's parents, or the forced attendance of students at any particular school as a condition precedent to obtaining Federal funds otherwise available to any State, school district, or school) was rejected by a teller vote of 141 yeas to 158 nays.

A point of order against the Conte amendment to sections 408 and 409 was sustained.

An amendment that would remove the ratification of freedom of choice of school system from sections 408 and 409 was rejected by a teller vote of 153 yeas to 157 nays.

A point of order against section 409 was overruled. **Pages 21628–21691**

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. **Page 21722**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on legislation pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm and food stamp programs. Testimony was heard from John W. Scott, Master, and other representatives of the National Grange.

Hearings continue Tuesday, August 5.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POPULATION TRENDS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth resumed hearings on population trends in the United States. Testimony was heard from Mayor Walter J. Kellicher, Malden, Mass., representing the New England Regional Commission.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Attorney General John N. Mitchell; Charles Rogovin, Administrator, Department of Justice Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, accompanied by Associate Administrator Richard W. Velde; and Prof. James Vorenberg, Harvard Law School.

Hearings continue Monday, August 4.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session for continued consideration of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Tuesday, August 5.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Representative Moss; Roy L. Prosterman, associate professor of law, University of Washington Law School; Andrew J. Biemiller, director, Department of Legislation, AFL–CIO; and Gordon L. Ness, president and board chairman, Ness Industries, Palo Alto, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AFRICAN PROGRAMS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session with USIA officials John E. Reinhardt, Assistant Director, and Jack Hedges, Policy Officer, Africa Division, for further briefing on African programs in Tanzania, Ivory Coast, Malawi, Botswana, Lesotho, and Swaziland.

SPECIAL STUDIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS HOME

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation began hearings on H.R. 5968 and related bills, to amend the act entitled "an act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass home as a part of the park system in the National Capital." Testimony was heard from Representative Chisholm; George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service; and Mrs. Mary Gregory, president, Frederick Douglass Memorial and Historical Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMUNICATIONS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7737, amended, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held hearing and heard testimony on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearing and heard testimony on private claims bills.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Further testimony was heard from Charles G. Bluhdorn, chairman of the board; David N. Judelson, president; Don F. Gaston, executive vice president and Roy T. Abbott, Jr., senior vice president, Gulf & Western Industries, Inc.

Hearings continue Wednesday, August 6.

BOTULISM OUTBREAK

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met with representatives of the Department of Interior for briefing on the recent outbreak of botulism in the Tulare Lake Basin of California's San Joaquin Valley.

Hearing was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Hon. J. Edward Day, former Postmaster General and David Silvergleid, president, National Postal Union.

SURTAX CONTINUATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule that would make it in order to agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 9951, to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable

year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable year; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; to raise the limitation on the amount authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development concluded hearings on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AID-FINANCED PROCUREMENTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the position and problems of American small business in AID-financed procurements. Testimony was heard from John A. Hannah, Administrator, AID.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and completed its work on tax reform proposals.

Friday, August 1, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21879–21894

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2754–2760. Page 21881

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2754, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress (S. Rept. 91–339); and

H.R. 9825, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress (no written report). Page 21880

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

By unanimous consent, it was ordered that the quorum call taken on Thursday, July 17 (rollcall No. 57) during the closed-door session on this bill be made public and printed in the Congressional Record.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor.

Pages 21872, 21894–21902, 21922, 21934–21936

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony from Dr. James E. Allen, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of HEW for Education, on funds for civil rights educational activities; John W. Mahan, Chairman, Subversive Activities Control Board; Lawrence M. Kushner, National Bureau of Standards, on funds for National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control; and Frank Shakespeare, Director, U.S. Information Agency.

Hearings continue on Thursday, August 7.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, having as its witnesses Robert G. Dunphy, Sergeant at Arms of the Senate; Capt. James M. Powell, Chief of Capitol Police; and Robert Brenkworth, Senate Financial Clerk.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RESERVE GENERAL OFFICERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Reserve General Officers Promotions held hearings on pending Air Force nominations, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. John W. Carpenter III, Assistant Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting the nominations of Lewis M. Branscomb, of Colorado, to be Director of the National Bureau of Standards; David W. Oberlin, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; and routine nominations in the Coast Guard and Environmental Science Services Administration.

AID-FUNDED LABOR PROGRAMS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from AFL–CIO President George Meany in connection with labor programs funded by the Agency for International Development.

Mr. Meany was accompanied by Andrew Biemiller and Joseph Bierne, also of the AFL–CIO.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

S. 227, authorizing loans to Indian tribes for acquisition of lands within reservation, with testimony from Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; and Richard A. Baenen, attorney of Washington, D.C.;

S. 404, to provide for the construction and improvement of a road on the Navajo Indian Reservation, with testimony from Mr. Loesch; and Timothy Benally, Navajo councilman;

S. 1609, authorizing longer term leases of Indian lands located outside the boundaries of Indian reservations in New Mexico, with testimony from Mr. Loesch;

S. 1766, providing for disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont., with testimony from Mr. Loesch; and

S. 1793, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Sioux Tribe of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., with testimony from Mr. Loesch; Edwin Reddoor, chairman of the Fort Peck Sioux; and Marvin J. Sonosky, Jr., tribal attorney.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor resumed its series of hearings on various problems of migratory farm laborers, with testimony today regarding harmful effects that the widespread use of pesticides in farming have on farmworkers. Testimony was received from Jerome Gordon, Delphic Systems & Research Corp., New York; Jerry Cohen, counsel, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, Delano, Calif.; and a panel comprised of Dr. C. C. Johnson, Chief, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health, accompanied by Dr. Samuel Simmons, Office of Product Safety, Atlanta, and Dr. William Durham, Division of Pesticides, Perrine, Fla., both of the Food and Drug Administration, all of the Department of HEW.

Subcommittee will hold hearings on August 7 and 8 on farmworkers' legal problems.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly continued hearings with regard to homeownership aspects of the economics of aging, receiving testimony from Sherman Unger, General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and Dr. Yung Ping Chen, associate professor, Department of Economics, UCLA.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Ten public bills, H.R. 13269–13278; and three resolutions, H. Res. 509–511, were introduced. Page 21871

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: H. Res. 509, providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 9951, to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable years; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; to raise the limitation on the amount authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded (H. Rept. 91–412). Pages 21780–21781

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 6. Page 21822

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, August 4.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Concluded hearings on proposed foreign aid legislation. Testimony was heard from Mrs. David G. Bradley, Director and Foreign Policy Chairman, League of Women Voters; and representatives of Friends Committee on National Legislation and National Association of Home Builders.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS HOME

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation concluded hearings on H.R. 5968 and related bills, to amend the act entitled "an act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass Home as a part of the park system in the National Capital." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through July 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	92	112	..
Time in session	384 hrs., 37′	320 hrs., 37′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	8,942	6,694	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	6,548
Public bills enacted into law	*17	*32	*49
Private bills enacted into law	*10	*22	*32
Bills in conference	2	4	..
Bills through conference	1	2	..
Measures passed, total	361	373	..
Senate bills	150	22	..
House bills	63	194	..
Senate joint resolutions	21	8	..
House joint resolutions	4	6	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	17	21	..
Simple resolutions	97	115	212
Measures reported, total	**427	**389	..
Senate bills	161	24	..
House bills	71	243	..
Senate joint resolutions	23	2	..
House joint resolutions	4	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	18	12	..
Simple resolutions	141	95	236
Special reports	10	20	..
Conference reports	..	2	..
Reported measures not acted on	22	58	..
Measures introduced, total	3,158	14,947	18,105
Bills	2,753	13,268	16,021
Joint resolutions	142	858	1,000
Concurrent resolutions	35	313	348
Simple resolutions	228	508	736
Quorum calls	11	68	..
Yea-and-nay votes	52	65	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*Enactments shown are through July 22 as the President has been out of the country since then.

**These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 338 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 411 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through July 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 9,915, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,906
Unconfirmed	8
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 7,554, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,537
Unconfirmed	17
Navy nominations, totaling 17,320, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	17,320
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 6,322, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,314
Unconfirmed	8
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,292, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,434
Unconfirmed	840
Withdrawn	18
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	45,031
Total confirmed	43,687
Total unconfirmed	873
Total withdrawn	471

Monday, August 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21962–21999

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2761–2768; and S. Res. 229.

Pages 21963, 21972

Senate Financial Clerk: Senate adopted without amendment, S. Res. 229, relating to subpena directing Senate Financial Clerk to appear and present certain Senate records at U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland in Baltimore on August 7, 1969. Page 21963

Senate Schedule: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when the Senate concludes its business on Tuesday, August 5, it will recess until 11 a.m. on Wednesday, and when it concludes its business on Wednesday, it will adjourn until 11 a.m. on Thursday, August 7.

Pages 22027, 22051

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor.

Pages 21976, 22006–22019, 22027

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Lewis M. Branscomb, of Colorado, to be Director of the National Bureau of Standards; David W. Oberlin, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; the following five nominations, each to be a member of the Advisory Board of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation—Jacob L. Bernheim, of Wisconsin; Foster S. Brown, of New York; William W. Knight, Jr., of Ohio; Miles F. McKee, of Michigan; and Joseph N. Thomas, of Indiana; and sundry nominations in the Environmental Science Services Administration and Coast Guard. Pages 22051–22052

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and HEW, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Department of Labor from Secretary George P. Shultz; Arnold R. Weber, Assistant Secretary for Manpower; Hugh C. Murphy, Administrator, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training; Malcolm R. Lovell, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manpower and Manpower Administration; Arthur Fletcher, Assistant Secretary for Wage and Labor Standards; Geoffrey H. Moore, Commissioner of Labor Statistics; and W. J. Usery, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Labor Management Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from the following Air Force officials: Maj. Gen. Edward P. McGough, Director of Personnel Planning; Maj. Gen. Tom E. Marchbanks, Jr., Chief of Air Force Reserves; Maj. Gen. Ralph Greenlief, on funds for National Guard personnel and operations and maintenance; and Maj. Gen. William F. Pitts, on funds for Air Force operations and maintenance.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Air Force procurement.

SEC

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities continued hearings pertaining to possible conflicts of interest by Hamer H. Budge, Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission, with testimony from Robert Loeffler, vice president, Investors Diversified Services; and Mr. Budge.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, with testimony concerning such activities at their respective universities from Dr. Morris Abrams, president of Brandeis University; and George Keller, former editor of Columbia Today, a Columbia University alumni magazine.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CUSTOMS COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial actions and administrative proceedings in customs matters, receiving testimony from former Supreme Court Justice Tom Clark, Director, Federal Judicial Center; Chief Judge Paul P. Rao, U.S. Customs Court; William D. Ruckelshaus, Assistant Attorney General (Civil Division);

and Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HEADSTART CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings on S. 2060, providing Federal assistance for child development projects, receiving testimony from Dr. Robert S. Mendelsohn, Division of Community Pediatrics, University of Illinois Medical Center, Chicago; Dr. H. Jack Geiger, Department of Preventive Medicine, Tufts University School of Medicine; and Mrs. Christine Branche, Division of Early Childhood, Cleveland Board of Education.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13279–13313; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 859–863 and H. Res. 512, were introduced. Pages 22150–22151

Report Filed: One report was filed, as follows: H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969, filed on Saturday, August 2 (H. Rept. 91–413). Page 22150

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bill on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Ventana Wilderness: H.R. 3687, to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, in the State of California, amended. Subsequently vacated this passage, and S. 714, a similar Senate bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 3687, as passed. Pages 22053–22055

Taxes—Surtax Continuation: By a record vote of 237 yeas to 170 nays, the House passed H. Res. 509, providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 9951, to provide for the collection of the Federal unemployment tax in quarterly installments during each taxable year; to make status of employer depend on employment during preceding as well as current taxable year; to exclude from the computation of the excess the balance in the employment security administration account as of the close of fiscal years 1970 through 1972; to raise the limitation on the amount authorized to be made available for expenditure out of the employment security administration account by the amounts so excluded. Pages 22056–22067

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument: S. 912, to provide for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in the State of Colorado (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 22067–22073

Veterans' educational benefits: H.R. 11959, to amend chapters 31, 34, and 35 of title 38, United States Code, in order to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans and persons under such chapters (amended and sent to the Senate). Pages 22073–22081

President's Council on Youth Opportunity: By a record vote of 396 yeas to 7 nays, the House passed H.J. Res. 764, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity (sent to the Senate without amendment). Pages 22081–22083

Educational materials: By a record vote of 365 yeas to 22 nays, the House passed S. 1611, to amend Public Law 85–905, to provide for a National Center on Educational Media and Materials for the Handicapped (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 22083–22095

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit concluded hearing on the Flat Creek watershed project, Indiana and Ohio. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Adair.

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SUPPLY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests met in executive session to consider H.R. 12025, National Forest Timber Supply Act, but did not take final action on it.

Committee to meet again on Tuesday, August 12.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Hon. Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs and Gen. Ernest Massad, USA (retired), former Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime overview. Testimony was heard from Leon Jaworski, former member of the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice, and chairman of the American Bar Association's Committee on Crime Prevention and Control; and John

Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LIGHT HORSE HARRY LEE BRIDGE—ESTABLISH AMBULANCE CORPS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 13113, to designate the bridge authorized by the act of October 4, 1966, as the "Light Horse Harry Lee Bridge." Testimony was heard from Representative Broyhill of Virginia and D.C. government and public witnesses.

The subcommittee also held a hearing, but took no action on, H.R. 12552, to direct the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to establish an Ambulance Service Corps in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Representative Hogan and D.C. government and public witnesses.

SUPPORT OF PARENT RESPONSIBILITY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 670, provides that no "adult child" in the District of Columbia shall be responsible for the support of a parent who wilfully neglected or refused without just cause to provide for the support and maintenance of the child for an aggregate of 10 years during the child's minority. Testimony was heard from Representative Sisk and D.C. government and public witnesses.

STUDENT GUARANTEED LOAN PROGRAM

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education approved for full committee action H.R. 13194, amended, student guaranteed loan program.

ALASKA NATIVES LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs began hearings on H.R. 13142 and H.R. 10193, to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives. Testimony was heard from Representative Pollock and Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Tuesday, August 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22282–22366

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and 11 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2769–2782; S.J. Res. 143–144; and S. Res. 230–238. **Page 22293**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 11235, proposed Older Americans Act Amendments of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–340); and the following resolutions requesting additional funds for Judiciary subcommittee expenses, as follows:

S. Res. 230, Antitrust and Monopoly, $28,800;

S. Res. 231, Constitutional Amendments, $4,000;

S. Res. 232, Constitutional Rights, $15,000;

S. Res. 233, Criminal Laws and Procedures, $25,000;

S. Res. 234, Internal Security, $65,000;

S. Res. 235, Improvements in Judicial Machinery, $9,000;

S. Res. 236, Juvenile Delinquency, $25,000;

S. Res. 237, Revision and Codification, $4,000; and

S. Res. 238, Separation of Powers, $10,000 (no written reports). **Pages 22293, 22310–22311**

President's Message—Coffee: Senate received message from the President transmitting report on operations of the International Coffee Agreement—referred to Commitee on Finance. **Page 22366**

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor. By prior unanimous-consent agreement, Senate will vote on this amendment not earlier than 3 p.m. on Wednesday, August 6. **Pages 22366–22401**

Disaster Relief: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 6508, proposed California Disaster Relief Act, and agreed to conference requested by the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Bayh, Young (Ohio), Eagleton, Gravel, Baker, Dole, and Gurney. **Page 22403**

Appalachian Regional Development—Change of Conferee: By unanimous consent, Senator Packwood was excused as a conferee on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, and Senator Dole was designated as a conferee in lieu thereof. **Page 22403**

Ventana Wilderness: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. 714 to designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif., thus clearing the bill for the White House. **Page 22403**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Robert Strausz-Hupé, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco; Charles T. Cross, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of

Singapore; four judicial; and 12 Marine Corps in the rank of general. Page 22404

Recess: Recessed at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA SPACE PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee met in executive session to discuss the future of the NASA space program as a background for consideration of space task group recommendations with Thomas O. Paine, Administrator, and other officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Air Force from Gen. James Ferguson, Commandant, Air Force Systems Command; and Brig. Gen. A. A. Riemondy, Director of Supply and Services.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Air Force research and development.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and HEW, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from the following Labor Department witnesses: Darwin Bell, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Affairs; Jeter S. Ray, Office of the Solicitor; Leo R. Werts, Assistant Secretary for Administration; John L. Wilks, Director Designate, Office of Federal Contract Compliance; and Arthur A. Chapin, Director, Office of Equal Employment Opportunity.

Today's session concluded testimony on labor items. Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for several related agencies.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session to consider pending legislation dealing with housing and urban development but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications began hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses. Witnesses heard were Dr. Eli Rubenstein, for the Surgeon General's Scientific Advisory Committee on Television and Social Behavior; Frank P. Fogarty, vice president, Meredith Corp., Omaha; Morton H. Wilner, Federal Communications Bar Association, Washington, D.C.; Robert J. Crohan, president, Rhode Island Broadcasters Association, Providence; and Frank P. McIntyre, vice president, KLUB–KWIC Broadcasting, Salt Lake City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CAMPUS DISORDERS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on militant organizations and campus disorders, with testimony from Dr. Andrew Cordier, acting president of Columbia University, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VALLEY OF FIRE STATE PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration S. 1108, waiving acreage limitations with respect to conveyance of lands to Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park. Prior to this action, subcommittee, in open session, received testimony from Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Ben Thompson, National Recreation and Park Association.

ADDITIONAL SUBCOMMITTEE FUNDS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee announced that it reported the following original resolutions requesting additional funds for subcommittee operating expenses as follows:

S. Res. 230—Antitrust and Monopoly, $28,800;
S. Res. 231—Constitutional Amendments, $4,000;
S. Res. 232—Constitutional Rights, $15,000;
S. Res. 233—Criminal Laws and Procedures, $25,000;
S. Res. 234—Internal Security, $65,000;
S. Res. 235—Improvements in Judicial Machinery, $9,000;
S. Res. 236—Juvenile Delinquency, $25,000;
S. Res. 237—Revision and Codification, $4,000; and
S. Res. 238—Separation of Powers, $10,000 (no written reports).

Committee also reported the nomination of Albert A. Gammal, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the district of Massachusetts.

CUSTOMS COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial actions and administrative proceedings in customs matters, receiving testimony from J. Bradley Colburn, Association of the Customs Bar; M. Barry Levy, Federal Bar Association; James R. Sharp, a D.C. attorney; M. Sigmund Shapiro, Baltimore Customs House Brokers & Forwarders Association; and Allerton de C. Tompkins and Derek A. Lee, both of the British-American Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on September 8 and 9.

ACADEMIC FREEDOM PROTECTIVE ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1988, to prohibit acts of obstruction or interference with the administration or operation of a federally assisted educational institution, with testimony from Senator Thurmond, sponsor of the bill; and Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HEADSTART CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 2060, providing Federal assistance for child development projects, receiving testimony from Mrs. Clara Godbouldt and Mrs. Connie Ortega, both of Project Headstart, Los Angeles; Dr. Benjamin Bloom, professor of education, University of Illinois; and Dr. Earl Schaefer, National Institute of Mental Health.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND HUMAN NEEDS

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee resumed hearings on the role of private industry in meeting the nutritional needs of the American people, having as its witnesses R. Steven Mason and Dr. Andrew Ebert, both of the International Minerals & Chemical Corp.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13314–13348; three private bills, H.R. 13349–13351; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 864–866, and H. Res. 513 were introduced. Pages 22269–22270

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12979, to amend title 5, United States Code, to revise, clarify, and extend the provisions relating to court leave for employees of the United States and the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–414);

H. Res. 502, relating to the per annum gross rates of pay of certain positions under the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 91–415);

S. 83, 728, 757, amended, 901, amended, H.R. 2302, 3571, 8694, amended, 8904, 9910, amended, 10658, amended, all private bills (H. Rept. 91–416 to 91–425, respectively);

Conference report on S. 1373, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (H. Rept. 91–426); and

H. Res. 513, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969 (H. Rept. 91–427). Pages 22241–22242, 22269

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight. Page 22198

Presidential Message—Coffee: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 1968 report on the operations of the International Coffee Agreement—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 22198

Private Calendar: Passed H.R. 3165 on the call of the Private Calendar (sent to the Senate without amendment).

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 9488, and 1783.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 4105. Pages 22198–22199

Private Bills: Cleared for the White House H.R. 1632 and H.R. 2336, private bills, by concuring to the Senate amendments thereto. Page 22199

Military Construction Authorization: By a record vote of 376 yeas to 30 nays, the House passed H.R. 13018, to authorize certain construction at military installations.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to delete section 708 from the bill (prohibits picketing at the Pentagon) by a record vote of 87 yeas to 323 nays.

Rejected amendments that sought to:

Strike out section 708, which prohibits picketing in the Pentagon building or federally owned property appurtenant thereto (by a teller vote of 43 yeas to 145 nays).

Strike out the military freeze on the Bolling-Anacostia military complex.

Reduce by $2.5 million funds for NORAD Headquarters, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Increase authorization for the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla. Pages 22199–22240

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program and the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from Charles B. Shuman, president, American Farm Bureau Federation, and other Farm Bureau spokesmen.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Gen. Ernest Massad, USA (retired); Lt. Gen. William R. Peers, Chief, Office of Reserve Components; and Maj. Gen. William J. Sutton, Chief, Army Reserve, Department of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade met in executive session to consider export control legislation. No announcements were made.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Prof. Richard Blum, director, psychopharmacology project, Institute for Study of Human Relations, Stanford University; Claude Brown, author of "Manchild in the Promised Land"; and Dean Donald Cressey, professor of sociology, University of California at Santa Barbara.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REVENUE PROPOSALS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session to consider revenue legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

MINERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in open legislative session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11476, amended, miners' compensation.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session for continued consideration of coal mine health and safety legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow after full committee meeting.

PEACE CORPS ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended.

OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy held a hearing on the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC). Testimony was heard from Herbert Salzman, Assistant Administrator, Office of Private Resources, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIRV TESTING AND DEPLOYMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the advisability of a MIRV testing moratorium. Testimony was heard from Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Department of Defense Research and Engineering, and Dr. Warren G. Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

REORGANIZATION PLAN NO. 1 (ICC)

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1969, involving the Interstate Commerce Commission. Testimony was heard from Dwight Ink, Assistant Director for Executive Management, Bureau of the Budget; Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, ICC; and James A. Bistline, president, Interstate Commerce Commission's Practitioners Association.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—FEDERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS CONSOLIDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held hearing on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act—accounting, auditing, and reporting of Federal assistance funds; and H.R. 10954, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs. Testimony was heard from HEW officials John G. Veneman, Under Secretary; James F. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Comptroller; and Frederic V. Malek, Deputy Under Secretary.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ALASKA NATIVES LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 13142, to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel; Governor of Alaska Keith Miller; and Arthur Goldberg and Ramsey Clark, attorneys for Alaska Federation of Natives.

Hearings to continue tomorrow following full committee meeting.

INTERSTATE—MISCELLANY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 7737, public broad-

casting and ETV; H.R. 11607, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the continued payment of supplemental annuities in accordance with present law; H.R. 8449, to limit railroad employees' hours of service; and H.R. 8298, water carrier mixing rule. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography resumed hearings on the report of the Marine Science Commission entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from Senator Pell and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OBSCENE MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held hearings on obscene mail matter. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dulski and Brooks and representatives of the Post Office Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification held hearing on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend the section in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings to continue on September 3.

TAX REFORM ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, providing for 6 hours of debate on H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

URANIUM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed hearings concerning future ownership and operation of the Government's uranium enrichment facilities, having as its witnesses Charles F. Luce, chairman of the board, Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, Inc.; and G. O. Wessenauer, power financing officer, Tennessee Valley Authority.

Hearings continue.

Wednesday, August 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22498–22542

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2783–2789. Page 22519

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 65, S. 80, and S. 82, private bills (S. Repts. 91–341 to 91–343);

H.R. 9946, to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C. (S. Rept. 91–344);

S. 81, private bill (amended) (S. Rept. 91–345); and

S. 1836, to provide unified standards and procedures for certifying seeds, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–346). Page 22519

President's Message—Safety and Health: President transmitted message with his legislative recommendations on safety and health standards for industry—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 22510

President's Message—Interoceanic Canal: President transmitted message accompanied by fifth annual report of the Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Study Commission—referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 22511

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, rejecting the following three proposed amendments thereto:

(1) By 11 yeas to 89 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Smith substitute amendment No. 122, barring use of funds for research and development, testing, evaluation, or procurement of the ABM system known as the Safeguard system, or to carry out any such activities on any part or component of such system;

(2) By 50 yeas to 50 nays (the Vice President used his prerogative by voting in the negative) (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Smith substitute amendment, providing that funds contained in the bill for R. & D., test, and evaluation of components, and related procurement of any other advanced ABM system or other weapons system shall not be affected; and

(3) By 49 yeas to 51 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hart-Cooper amendment No. 101 (for themselves and others), providing that funds authorized by this or any other legislation for acquisition of an antiballistic missile system may be used only for research and development at sites other than for a proposed antiballistic missile system and barring such funds for deployment of such a system or acquisition or preparation of any site therefor.

Pending at recess was McIntyre amendment setting forth specific activities for use of funds authorized for the Safeguard ABM system, and limiting construction or installation of ABM facilities to sites near Grand Forks Air Force Base, N. Dak., and Malmstrom Air Force Base, Mont. **Pages 22451–22498**

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the nomination of Albert A. Gammal, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the district of Massachusetts. **Page 22451**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund, U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, U.S. Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, and U.S. Alternate Governor of the Asian Development Bank; two Navy; and numerous Air Force nominations. **Pages 22533–22542**

Recess: Recessed at 6:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1836, to provide unified standards and procedures for certifying seeds (amended); H.R. 9946, to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C.; and S. 65, S. 80, S. 81, and S. 82, private bills, also providing for quitclaim for certain materials in lands within the Ozark National Forest.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the legislative branch, having as its witnesses Senator Dirksen; Philip L. Roof, Office of the Architect of the Capitol; and Joseph J. Diamond, manager of the Senate restaurants.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for Air Force research and development from Gen. James Ferguson, Commandant, Air Force Systems Command; and Grant L. Hansen, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Research and Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and HEW and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from the following witnesses: Frank W. McCulloch, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board; Leverett Edwards, Chairman, National Mediation Board; Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; J. Curtis Counts, Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Lt. Gen. Albert Watson II, Governor of the Soldiers' Home; Arnold B. Elkind, Chairman, National Commission on Product Safety; Dr. Paul C. Tompkins, Federal Radiation Council; Mrs. Virginia H. Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Gerald W. Christenson, President's Council on Youth Opportunity; and Martin G. Castillo, Chairman, Inter-Agency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.

Hearings continue on September 30, when Secretary of HEW Finch will testify.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued, in executive session, to consider pending legislation dealing with housing and urban development but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses. Witnesses heard were Richard C. Block, Kaiser Broadcasting Co.; Kenneth Harwood, dean, Temple University, Philadelphia; E. Berry Smith, Indiana Broadcasters Association, Evansville; and Stanford Smith, American Newspaper Publishers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony concerning U.S. military assistance programs from Winthrop Brown, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and

Pacific Affairs, and Dennis Doolin, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for East Asia and Pacific.

GOVERNMENTAL INVASIONS OF PRIVACY

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee met in executive session to consider S. 782, to protect civilian employees of the U.S. Government against unwarranted governmental invasions of their privacy, but made no announcements and recessed subject to call.

HEADSTART CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 2060, providing Federal assistance for child development projects, receiving testimony from James Farmer, Assistant Secretary for Administration, Creed Black, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, and Jule Sugarman, Acting Chief of the Children's Bureau, all of the Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NARCOTICS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics resumed hearings to inquire into the overall problem of narcotics and drug abuse, having as its witnesses Dr. Sidney Cohen, Director, Division of Narcotic Addiction and Drug Abuse, National Institute of Mental Health; Larry Alan Bear, commissioner, Addiction Services Agency, Human Resources Administration, New York City; and Lawrence Levy, a former drug addict.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 13352–13380; six private bills, H.R. 13381–13386; and one resolution, H. Con. Res. 314, were introduced. Pages 22664–22665

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 508, providing funds for the Select Committee on the House Restaurant (H. Rept. 91–428);

Report entitled "Federal Involvement in Construction in Hazardous Geologic Areas" (H. Rept. 91–429);

S. 267, amended, 499, amended, 620, 632, amended, 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 2260, amended, 2407, amended, 2458, 2477, 2963, 4634, 5000, 7567, amended, 10356, 11060, amended, 11503, 11500, 12089, 11890, amended, and 11968, amended, all private bills (H. Rept. 91–430 to 91–450, respectively); and

H.R. 10420, to permit certain real property in the State of Maryland to be used for public purposes generally, amended (H. Rept. 91–451). Pages 22663–22664

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 22543

Unanimous Consent Request Denied: Objection was heard to a unanimous consent request to consider under "Suspension of the Rules" H.R. 13194, regarding guaranteed student loans. Pages 22543–22545

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, August 7. Page 22545

Pay Adjustments: Agreed to H. Res. 502, relating to the per annum gross pay rates of pay of certain positions under the House of Representatives (amended). Page 22545

Committee Expenses: Agreed to H. Res. 508, providing for funds for the Select Committee on the House Restaurant. Page 22546

Export Control Act: Passed H.J. Res. 864, to provide for a temporary extension of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949. Page 22546

Presidential Message—Canal Study: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the fifth annual report of the Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Study Commission—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed with illustrations. Pages 22546–22547

Presidential Message—Health and Safety: Received and read a message from the President containing legislative proposals to establish a Federal-State program for setting up national health and safety standards—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Pages 22547–22548

Tax Reform: After consuming 2 hours and 6 minutes of general debate on H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969, the Committee rose.

Consideration will continue tomorrow; there are 3 hours and 54 minutes of general debate time remaining.

By a record vote of 264 yeas to 145 nays, the House voted to move the previous question on H. Res. 513, the rule under which the bill is being considered. Subsequently, the rule was adopted by a voice vote.

Pages 22552–22615

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program and the food stamp program. Testimony was heard

from Tony T. Dechant, president, National Farmers Union, and other Farmers Union spokesmen.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. John S. Foster, Director, Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session for organizational purposes and briefing by chairman on the subcommittee's mission.

INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held a hearing and heard testimony from Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs, regarding international financial programs and balance-of-payments problems.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Charles Rogovin, Administrator, and Richard W. Velde, Associate Administrator, Department of Justice, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration; Lewis Jablonsky, professor of sociology, and chairman, Department of Sociology, San Fernando Valley State College; Lawrence Pierce, chairman, New York State Narcotic Addiction Control Commission; and Weldon Smith, director, California Commission of Narcotics.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12982, amended, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia.

STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM—ASSISTANCE FOR TALENTED CHILDREN—ASSISTANCE FOR CHILDREN WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13194, amended, Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969; H.R. 13304, to provide for educational assistance for gifted and talented children; and H.R. 13310, to provide for special programs for children with specific learning disabilities.

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 1047, amended, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States.

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement.

The committee also ordered reported the report entitled "Federal Involvement in Construction in Hazardous Geologic Areas."

The report entitled "Office of Economic Opportunity for the Medical Foundation of Bellaire, Ohio," was held over.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—FEDERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS CONSOLIDATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act—accounting, auditing, and reporting of Federal assistance funds; and H.R. 10954, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs. Testimony was heard from Richard C. Van Dusen, Under Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND HEW REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information held a hearing on H.R. 207 and H.R. 9022, to provide for certain reorganizations in the Department of State and the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Testimony was heard from Representative Fisher and departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSE RESTAURANT COMMITTEE FUNDS AUTHORIZATION—FEDERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS CATALOG

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 508, providing funds for the Select Committee on the House Restaurant; and H. Con. Res. 309, second listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study.

TAFT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE—INDIAN FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7066, amended, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site; and H.R. 9756, amended, to provide for the disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of Flathead Reservation, Mont.

ALASKA NATIVES LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 13142, to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Internal Security: Met in executive session on pending business. The committee announced they will hold further hearings on the activities of the Students for a Democratic Society starting tomorrow.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACT—RAILROAD EMPLOYEES HOURS OF SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 13300, in lieu of H.R. 11607, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the continued payment of supplemental annuities in accordance with present law; and H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "an act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon."

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Further testimony was heard from Gulf & Western Industries officials Charles G. Bluhdorn, chairman of the board; David N. Judelson, president; Don F. Gaston, executive vice president; and Roy T. Abbott, Jr., senior vice president.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Marine Science Commission entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert Scott, Governor of North Carolina, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OBSCENE MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 10867, obscene mail matter. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Department of Justice.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Hon. Roger W. Jones. Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

Thursday, August 7, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22907–22939

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2790–2799; S.J. Res. 145.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2564, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Florida, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–347);

S. 1108, waiving acreage limitations with respect to conveyance of lands to Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park (S. Rept. 91–348);

S. Res. 216, to print additional copies of part 19 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders," with amendment (S. Rept. 91–349);

S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of part 20 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders," with amendment (S. Rept. 91–350);

S. 7, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–351);

H.R. 1808, S. 1934, H.R. 1462, H.R. 4658, H.R. 1707, H.R. 5107, H.R. 2037, H.R. 6581, H.R. 8136, H.R. 9088, and H.R. 3213, private bills (S. Repts. 91–352 to 91–362); and

S. 203, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for the Colorado-New Mexico Navajo Indian irrigation project, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–363).

Pages 22907–22908

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 22858–22901

Great Plains Program: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 10595, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program, agreed to conference requested by the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Eastland, Holland, Jordan (North Carolina), Aiken, and Cook. Page 22886

President's Message—Public Transportation: President transmitted message setting forth his recommendations to provide $10 billion for a 12-year period to

develop and improve public transportation in local communities—referred to Committee on Commerce.

Pages 22886–22887

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, taking the following additional actions thereon:

Adopted: By 47 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Schweiker amendment No. 85, establishing by law a reporting system on major defense contracts with the Comptroller General, prior to which vote, by 44 yeas to 51 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), rejected motion to table this amendment, and following which action, by 46 yeas to 45 nays, agreed to Cook motion to table motion to reconsider.

Rejected: By 27 yeas to 70 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), McIntyre amendment to permit continuation of research and development for the Safeguard ABM system and procurement program for fiscal year 1970, with the exception of prohibition against purchase of operational missiles.

Pending at adjournment was Eagleton-Hatfield amendment No. 86, reducing funds for tracked combat vehicles and certain Army research and development and test, and adding new section to provide for a study by Comptroller General of costs of MBT–70 battle tank prior to providing funds therefor.

Pages 22856, 22858, 22860–22883, 22884–22886, 22906–22907

Export Control: Senate took from the table and passed without amendment H.J. Res. 864, providing for a temporary extension of authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949. Page 22887

Congressional Officers' Salaries: Senate passed by a voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 7206, providing salary increases for the Vice President and certain officers of the Congress, prior to which action the following actions were taken on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Dominick amendment to reduce from $55,000 to $49,500, salaries of majority and minority leaders of the Senate and House and the President pro tem; and

Rejected: By 47 yeas to 50 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment No. 39, which would have repealed provisions of law on the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries; and, by 68 yeas to 25 nays, agreed to Dirksen motion to table Williams (Delaware) amendment which would have eliminated salary increases for the Speaker of the House, and majority and minority leaders of the Senate and House, and the President pro tem.

Pages 22887–22901, 22903–22904

Handicapped Center: Senate agreed to the House amendments to S. 1611, providing for the establishment in the National Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 22904–22905

Florissant Fossil Beds: Senate agreed to the House amendments to S. 912, to establish Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in Colorado, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 22905–22906

Change of Conferee: Senator Spong was designated as a conferee in lieu of Senator Gravel on H.R. 6508, California disaster relief bill. Page 22907

Temporary Withholding Tax Extension: Senate indefinitely postponed H.R. 13080, providing temporary extension for existing rates of income tax withholding. Page 22907

Nominations: Senate received the nomination of Louis R. Bruce, of New York, to be Commissioner of Indian Affairs; and the withdrawal of George E. Woods, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Michigan. Page 22939

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act (with amendments), including one which would add the text of S. 1862, permitting projects for paid advertising under marketing orders applicable to tomatoes;

S. 2214, to exclude potatoes for all types of processing from provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act (amended) so as to provide for exemption of potatoes for processing from marketing orders for a period of 2 years; and

S. 2226, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with regard to appointment of review committee members.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony on items, as indicated, from the following witnesses:

Department of State—Idar Rimestad, Deputy Under Secretary for Administration; Samuel DePalma, Assistant Secretary, on contributions to international organizations; Matthew E. Welsh, Chairman, U.S. Section, International Joint Commission; Burdick H. Brittin, Deputy Special Assistant to the Secretary for Fisheries and Wildlife, on International Fisheries Commission;

and John Richardson, Jr., Assistant Secretary on mutual educational and cultural exchange activities;

Small Business Administration—Hilary Sandoval, Jr., Administrator;

Office of the Special Representative for Trade Negotiations—Carl J. Gilbert, Special Representative Designate;

United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship—Charles A. Meyer, Chairman; and Antonio F. Rodriguez, Commissioner-Director; and

Senators Yarborough and Tower, on funds for Lower Rio Grande flood control project; Representative McClory, on funds for the National Institute program; and several public witnesses on sundry items.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the chair.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued executive consideration of pending housing and urban development legislation, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Mary Brooks, of Idaho, to be Director of the Mint.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses, with testimony from Earle K. Moore, National Citizens Committee for Broadcasting.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. COURT REORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed hearings jointly with Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery of the Committee on the Judiciary, on pending legislation proposing certain reorganization in the D.C. courts (S. 1066, 1067, 1214, 1215, 1711, and 2601). Witnesses heard were Addison Bowman, D.C. Lawyers' Committee; Mrs. Florence Roisman, Neighborhood Legal Services; Theodore Newman, D.C. Republican Committee; William H. Thomas, D.C. Federation of Civic Associations; James Heller, American Civil Liberties Union; and Bruce J. Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Philip J. Farley, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and numerous foreign service nominations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site in Gillespie County, Tex. (amended);

S. 560, to establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati (amended);

S.J. Res. 26, to develop the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg (amended);

S. 2564, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Fla. (amended);

S. 855, to establish Buffalo National River, Ark. (amended).

S. 1108, waiving acreage limitations with respect to conveyance of lands to Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park;

S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy; and

S. 203, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for the Colorado-New Mexico Navajo Indian irrigation project (amended).

Committee also approved a committee resolution proposed by Senator Church asking the Departments of the Interior and Agriculture to carefully review grazing fee schedules announced last January.

Also, committee offered no objection to proposed modification of Alaska Land Freeze to permit the State of Alaska to take a right-of-way for a highway north of Livengood, Alaska, to the Yukon River, subject to observation of certain environmental conditions.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Monday, August 11, at 10 a.m., on the nomination of Louis R. Bruce, of New York, to be Commissioner of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, which hearing will be followed by an executive meeting to consider this nomination and other pending committee business.

ALASKA NATIVE LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, with testimony from Secretary Walter J. Hickel, accompanied by Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary, Public Land Management, both of the Department of the Interior; Keith H. Miller, Governor of Alaska; Arthur W. Greeley, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Emil Notti, president, Alaska Federation of Natives, accompanied by Arthur Goldberg, counsel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the following nominations:

Frank H. McFadden, to be U.S. district judge for the Northern District of Alabama;

Almeric L. Christian, of the Virgin Islands, to be judge of the District Court of the Virgin Islands;

David A. Brock, to be U.S. attorney for the District of New Hampshire;

C. Nelson Day, to be U.S. attorney for the District of Utah;

Nathan G. Graham, to be U.S. attorney for the Northern District of Oklahoma;

H. Kenneth Schroeder, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the Western District of New York;

William H. Stafford, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the Northern District of Florida;

Harry D. Berglund, to be U.S. marshal for the District of Minnesota;

Floyd Eugene Carrier, to be U.S. marshal for the Western District of Oklahoma; and

Donald M. Horn, to be U.S. marshal for the Southern District of Ohio.

Committee also ordered reported S. 2593, to exclude officers and employees of Western Hemisphere businesses from being charged against the Western Hemisphere immigration quota; four private immigration bills (S. 1934, H.R. 1462, 1707, and 5107); eight private claims bills (H.R. 1808, 2037, 4658, 6581, 8136, 9088, S. Res. 97 (referring to the Court of Claims the bill S. 1003), S. Res. 96 (referring to the Court of Claims the bill S. 881), and H.R. 3213).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on one private claim bill (S. 116); and 29 private immigration bills (S. 117, 124, 595, 680, 733, 904, 928, 1028, 1057, 1143, 1220, 1548, 1573, 1576, 1581, 1633, 1747, 1819, 1820, 1910, 2011, 2085, 2101, 2171, 2294, 2295, 2334, 2525, and H.R. 3144).

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Frank McFadden, to be U.S. district judge for the Northern District of Alabama, with testimony from Senator Sparkman, and Representative Buchanan.

This nomination was subsequently reported to the Senate.

EDUCATION—STUDENT ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Education Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2422, to provide that the Secretary of HEW shall prescribe maximum rates of interest on student loans, and S. 2721, proposed Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969, with testimony from James E. Allen, Jr., Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW; Willis Alexander, president, American Bankers Association; Allen Purdy, National Council of Student Financial Aid Officers; and Lee Noel, National Council of Higher Education Loan Programs.

In an afternoon executive meeting, subcommittee ordered favorably reported to the full committee with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 2721.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider S. 2721.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor resumed its series of hearings on problems of migrant and seasonal farmworkers, with testimony on legal problems of such workers from T. Michael Foster, assistant director, South Florida Migrant Legal Services program; and Jonathan Chase, professor of law, University of Colorado, and director, Colorado Rural Legal Services program, Boulder.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NARCOTICS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics continued hearings to inquire into the overall problem of narcotics and drug abuse, having as its witnesses Bard Grosse, president, National Student Association; Richard H. Blum, director, Institute for the Study of Human Problems, Stanford University; Dr. Arnold Ludwig, Mendota State Hospital, Madison, Wis.; and Dr. John Kramer, Department of Psychiatry, University of California at Irvine.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of George Hay Brown, of Michigan, to be Director of the Census, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was introduced to the committee by Senator Griffin.

GAO BUILDING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Buildings and Grounds approved for full committee consideration a building prospectus recommending expenditure of $355,000 for alterations to the General Accounting Office building.

PRINTING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting with amendment, S. Res. 216, to print additional copies of part 19 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders"; and S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of part 20 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders."

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as it witnesses

Dr. L. O. Simenstad, of Osceola, Wis., and Dr. Max H. Parrott, of Portland, Oreg., both of whom are members of the board of trustees of the American Medical Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 13387–13415; four private bills, H.R. 13416–13419; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 867–871 and H. Res. 514–518, were introduced.

Pages 22854–22856

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 309, amended, H. Res. 510, amended, H. Res. 511, amended; for titles of these resolutions, see "Printing Resolutions" below (H. Rept. 91–452 to 91–454, respectively);

H.R. 13194, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize Federal incentive payments to lenders with respect to insured student loans when necessary, in the light of economic conditions, in order to assure that students will have reasonable access to such loans for financing their education, amended (H. Rept. 91–455);

H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended (H. Rept. 91–456);

H. Res. 495, amending rule XXXV of the Rules of the House of Representatives to increase fees of witnesses before the House or its committees (H. Rept. 91–457);

H. Res. 269, authorizing the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to conduct studies and investigations within its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 91–458);

H. Res. 515, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4813, to extend the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended (H. Rept. 91–459);

H. Res. 516, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7621, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards (H. Rept. 91–460);

H. Res. 517, providing for the consideration of H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 (H. Rept. 91–461); and

H. Res. 518, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles (H. Rept. 91–462). Page 22854

Late Report: Committee on the District of Columbia received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, August 8, on H.R. 12982, the D.C. revenue bill.

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Printing Resolutions: The following resolutions authorizing printing were called up and passed by voice votes:

H. Con. Res. 309, second listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study, amended;

H. Res. 510, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a basic report (part I) accompanying the Tax Reform Act of 1969, amended; and

H. Res. 511, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a supplementary report (part II) accompanying the Tax Reform Act of 1969, amended. Page 22728

Presidential Message—Public Transportation: Received and read a message from the President containing a recommendation for the establishment of a public transportation program, providing $10 billion over a 12-year period for this purpose—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 22728–22729

Tax Reform: By a record vote of 395 yeas to 30 nays, the House passed H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means by a record vote of 78 yeas to 345 nays.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for a 1 percentage point reduction in the rate brackets from 14 percent through 19 percent, providing tax relief for salaries in the $7,000 to $14,000 range.

Agreed to an amendment that provides the same base for computing percentage depletion extracted from oil shale as already applies in the case of oil produced from an oil well. Pages 22730–22809

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 22809

Interest Equalization Tax: Considered by unanimous consent and passed by a voice vote H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax.

Pages 22809–22813

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 13. Page 22814

Federal Aviation Act: House agreed to the conference report on S. 1373, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Page 22814

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program and the food stamp program. Testimony was

heard from Oren Lee Staley, president, National Farmers Organization.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Department of Defense witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROBLEMS OF ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session for discussion of committee recommendations on ROTC.

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from Robert H. Finch, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Quinn Tamm, executive director, International Association of Chiefs of Police; and Evelle Younger, district attorney for Los Angeles County.

Hearings continue Monday, August 11.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 12667, to amend the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, so as to make it an unfair labor practice to employ aliens whose principal dwelling places are in a foreign country during a labor dispute. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to mark up H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill. No announcements were made.

DEPARTMENTS OF STATE AND HEW REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information continued hearings on H.R. 207 and H.R. 9022, to provide for certain reorganizations in the Department of State and the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Testimony was heard from HEW witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on H.J. Res. 757, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations. Testimony was heard from Gov. Nils Boe, Director, Office of Intergovernmental Relations.

OIL AND GAS LEASES TERMINATION— MINERAL RIGHTS CONVEYANCE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 1706, amended, to provide for the conveyance of certain mineral rights in and under lands in Pike County, Ga. The subcommittee also held hearings on S. 1193, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to prevent terminations of oil and gas leases in cases where there is a nominal deficiency in the rental payment, and to authorize him to reinstate under some conditions oil and gas leases terminated by operation of law for failure to pay rental timely. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pollock and Flynt and Boyd Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management.

Subcommittee to continue consideration tomorrow.

CAMPUS UNREST

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on the activities of the Students for a Democratic Society. Testimony was heard from Gerald Kirk, 1969 graduate of University of Chicago and, under FBI auspices, a former member of the Communist Party, W. E. B. DuBois, and Students for a Democratic Society.

PUBLIC BROADCASTING AND ETV

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7737, amended, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

FEDERAL IMMUNITY OF WITNESSES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 11157 and H.R. 12041, the Federal Immunity of Witnesses Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Poff; Hon. Will R. Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Victoria Popkin, assistant director, Washington office, American Civil Liberties Union; and from the National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws, Judge George C. Edwards, Jr., U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, member; Prof. Robert G. Dixon, Jr., George Washington University Law Center,

consultant; and Richard A. Green, Esq., Deputy Director.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from James M. Lane, senior vice president, Chase Manhattan Bank; Martin J. Logan, junior vice president, manager 34th Street branch; and Harold Young, vice president, Chase Manhattan Bank.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Marine Science Commission entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, August 12.

FEDERAL SALARY COMPARABILITY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13000 amended, to implement the Federal employee pay comparability system, to establish a Federal Employee Salary Commission and a Board of Arbitration.

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Hollis Williams, Deputy Administrator, Soil Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture. In executive session, the subcommittee then approved for full committee action the pending watershed projects.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

POST OFFICE AND CIVIL SERVICE SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported, H. Res. 269, amended, authorizing the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to conduct studies and investigations within its jurisdiction. Testimony was heard from Representatives Charles H. Wilson and Derwinski.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Rules: Held hearing but took no action on H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from Representatives Garmatz, Dingell, Karth, Aspinall, Pelly, and McCloskey.

U.S. FISHING FLEET IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and waiving points of order against section 10 thereof on H.R. 4813, to extend the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended. Testimony was heard from Representatives Garmatz, Dingell, and Pelly.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles. After passage it shall be in order to take S. 2276 from the Speaker's table and amend it with the House-passed language. Testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment on H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971. Testimony was heard from Representatives Staggers and Moss.

CHILD PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and making it in order to take S. 1689 from the Speaker's table and amend it with the House passed language, on H.R. 7621, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards. Testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

WITNESS FEES

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 495, amending rule XXXV of the Rules of the House of Representatives to increase fees of witnesses before the House or its committees. Testimony was heard from Representatives Ichord and Cleveland.

Joint Committee Meetings

URANIUM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings concerning future ownership and operation of the Government's uranium enrichment facilities, having as it witnesses A. P. Kibbe, president, Consolidated Enrichment Corp.; Kenneth D. Nichols,

Atomic Industrial Forum; and Philip Sporn, a consultant to the American Electric Power Co., and Kuhn, Loeb & Co., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION—AEC

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate members of the committee approved for reporting the nomination of Dr. Clarence E. Larson, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, prior to which action, in open session, AEC Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, and other members of AEC appeared in support of the nominee.

Friday, August 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22990–23034

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2800–2812; and S. Res. 239.

Pages 22991–22992, 23001

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site in Gillespie County, Tex., with amendments (S. Rept. 91–364);

S.J. Res. 26, to develop the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–365);

S. 2593, to exclude officers and employees of Western Hemisphere businesses from being charged against the Western Hemisphere immigration quota, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–366);

S. Res. 97 (referring to the Court of Claims S. 1003), private bill (S. Rept. 91–367); and

S. 2721, proposed Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–368). Page 22991

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees, including H.R. 13270, tax reform bill, to Committee on Finance. Page 22990

Everglades National Park: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 2564, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Fla.

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Air Carriers: Senate agreed to the conference report on S. 1373, extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 23058-23059

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. Eagleton-Hatfield amendment No. 86, reducing funds for tracked combat vehicles and certain Army research and development and test, and adding new section to provide for a study by Comptroller General of costs of MBT–70 battle tank prior to providing funds therefor, was withdrawn.

Pending at adjournment was amendment No. 131, by Senator McIntyre (for himself and others), adding a new subsection to the bill, the provisions of which would serve as guidelines and controls over chemical and biological agents. By unanimous-consent agreement, Senate will proceed to vote on this amendment at 12 noon on Monday, August 11, the debate on which, beginning at 11 a.m., be equally divided and controlled by the majority and minority leaders, or someone designated by them. Pages 23034–23051, 23052–23057, 23061–23071

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 10 bills, of which six were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Five private bills, H.R. 1462, 1802, 2037, 6581, and 9088.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Valley of Fire State Park: S. 1108, waiving acreage limitations with respect to conveyance of lands to Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park; and S. 1934, private bill.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Seeds: S. 1836, to provide unified standards and procedures for certifying seeds; and

Resolutions agreed to:

Printing: S. Res. 216, to print additional copies of part 19 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders"; and

Printing, S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of part 20 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders."

Pages 23084–23086

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Mary Brooks, of Idaho, to be Director of the Mint; Almeric L. Christian, to be judge of the District Court of the Virgin Islands; Frank H. McFadden, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Alabama; eight judicial nominations (five to be U.S. attorneys, and three to be U.S. marshals); Philip J. Farley, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; George Hay Brown, of Michigan, to be Director of the Census; Clarence E. Larson, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission; and numerous nominations in the diplomatic and foreign service. Page 23088

Nominations: Senate received a list containing numerous nominations for promotions in the Navy.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SMALL BUSINESS, AND HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 2540, authorizing SBA to purchase debentures of small business investment companies; and an original bill to amend in several regards the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Company Act.

Committee also continued consideration of pending housing and urban development legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Monday, August 11.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following bills: S. 2056, permitting unmarried D.C. judges to terminate payments for survivors' annuity and to receive refund of such moneys; S. 2335, authorizing District of Columbia to enter into compact with other States for cooperation in the handling of juvenile delinquents; and S. 2502, authorizing suits in courts of the District of Columbia for collecting taxes owed to States or other political subdivisions when reciprocal right is accorded to the District of Columbia. Witnesses heard were William A. Robinson and Robert E. McCally, both of whom are in the Office of the D.C. Corporation Counsel.

VETERANS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Veterans' Legislation approved for full committee consideration without amendment S. 1479, increasing to $15,000 automatic insurance for members of the Armed Forces; and with amendment S. 1471, increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans; S. 1650, to provide that VA insurance policies provide double indemnity for death resulting from service-connected injuries or diseases while in a combat zone; S. 2003, to provide life insurance readjustment benefits to Vietnam-era veterans; and S. 2186, to provide dismemberment insurance coverage under servicemen's life insurance program.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Taylor C. Belcher, of New York, to be Ambassador to Peru; and Walter L. Rice, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Australia, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

ALASKA NATIVE LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued hearings on S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, with testimony from Emil Notti, president, John Borbridge, Eben Hopsen, and former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, counsel, all representing the Alaska Federation of Natives; Max Barash, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; and Tom Joseph, Senate Indian intern program.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OIL AND GAS LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels met in executive session to consider S. 1219, to terminate drilling for oil and gas in the Santa Barbara Channel off the coast of California, and to suspend all other such drilling off the California coast until completion of a study of such operations. Subcommittee announced that it agreed to postpone further consideration of the bill in view of adverse report thereon from the Department of the Interior and the progress being made to alleviate conditions and continued oil seepage off the Santa Barbara coast.

HIRING OF ALASKAN NATIVES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure resumed hearings on the progress in the hiring of Alaskan natives by the Federal Government, with testimony concerning such hiring policies of their respective departments from the following Government witnesses: William C. Valdes and Stewart Broad, both of the Department of Defense; John Will, Director of Personnel, Department of Commerce; Harry Traynor and H. T. Herrick, both of the Atomic Energy Commission; John W. Chapman, Jr., Deputy Administrator, GSA; Richard Lally, Department of Transportation; Joseph Robertson, Assistant Secretary, and Carl Barnes, both of the Department of Agriculture; Samuel Hosten, Department of HEW; Wilma Klick, Small Business Administration; Vincent Macaluso, Department of Labor; and David Sawyer, Department of the Treasury.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2721, proposed Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969. Committee also approved numerous nominations in the Public Health Service.

MIGRATORY FARMWORKERS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor continued its series of hearings on problems of migrant and seasonal farmworkers, with testimony on legal problems of such workers from Dr.

Hector P. Garcia, Commission on Civil Rights, Corpus Christi, accompanied by his associates; and James Lorenz, California Rural Legal Assistance Program, Los Angeles.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NARCOTICS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics continued hearings to inquire into the overall problem of narcotics and drug abuse, having as its witnesses Weldon H. Smith, coordinator, narcotic programs, Department of Corrections, State of California; R. Rimsky Atkinson, Jr., Director, Drug Addiction Treatment and Rehabilitation Center, Washington, D.C.; Jerome Jaffe, assistant professor, department of psychiatry, University of Chicago; John Brooke and Joseph Wilkins, attorney, both representing NARCO, an organization of former narcotics users; and several witnesses who are ex-users of narcotics.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on pending veterans' education, training, and manpower programs (S. 1088, 2506, 2668, and 2700), with testimony from Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; Frank McKernan, Director, TRANSITION program, Department of Defense; Dr. Leonard T. Kreisman, college discovery program, City College of New York, accompanied by James Smith, director of veterans programs, Staten Island Community College; Dr. David Kapel, director, VIPS, accompanied by Dr. William Chapman, assistant director for research, both of Temple University; and Dr. Arnold R. Weber, Assistant Secretary for Manpower, accompanied by William H. Kolberg, Associate Manpower Administrator, both of the Department of Labor.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations held a hearing on H.R. 10710 and related bills, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended. Testimony was heard from Representative Horton, USDA, and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Quillen and Meeds.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Concluded executive hearings on military posture and fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Representatives Reuss, Fraser, Bingham, Eckhardt, and Koch.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session on pending real estate projects. No announcements were made.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 12667, to amend the National Labor Relations Act, as amended, so as to make it an unfair labor practice to employ aliens whose principal dwelling places are in a foreign country during a labor dispute. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEPARTMENTS OF STATE AND HEW REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information continued hearings on H.R. 207 and H.R. 9022, to provide for certain reorganizations in the Department of State and the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Testimony was heard from Representative Scheuer and departmental and public witnesses.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Resumed hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Robert F. Keller, Acting Comptroller General of the United States, accompanied by Gregory Ahart, Deputy Director, Civil Division, and Ralph E. Ramsey, Associate General Counsel, GAO; Richard Littell, Associate General Counsel, International and Legislation Division, CAB, accompanied by Alfred R. Stout, Chief, Rates Division, Bureau of Economics.

Hearings continue Monday, August 11.

Joint Committee Meetings

URANIUM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings concerning future ownership and operation of the Government's uranium enrichment facilities, having as its witnesses Frank Warren, Edison Electric Institute; Charles Robinson, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; and Lawrence Hobart, American Public Power Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Monday, August 11, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23305–23347

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2813–2825; S.J. Res. 146; and S. Res. 240–241. Pages 23306, 23311

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2540, authorizing SBA to purchase debentures of small business investment companies (S. Rept. 91–369);

S. 2815, increasing from $300 million to $500 million, ceiling on amount on loans which may be outstanding at one time to State and local development companies under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 (S. Rept. 91–370);

S. 40, to authorize modifications of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation (S. Rept. 91–371);

S. 73, relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak., with amendment (S. Rept. 91–372);

H.R. 10107, to continue for temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle and providing 30-day extension of interest equalization tax, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–373);

S. 74, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–374); and

H.R. 12720, to convey certain D.C. property to the Washington International School (S. Rept. 91–375). Page 23306

President's Message—Welfare Program: President transmitted message setting forth his recommendations providing that the Federal Government pay a basic income to those American families who cannot care for themselves in whichever State they live—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 23251–23254, 23346

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, adopting, by 91 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified McIntyre amendment No. 131, adding a new subsection to the bill, the provisions of which would serve as guidelines and controls over chemical and biological agents; and, by 94 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Tydings amendment No. 113, reducing from $100 million to $75 million, emergency fund for research, development, test, and evaluation or procurement or production related thereto (sec. 202).

Pending at adjournment was Fulbright amendment No. 110, reducing by $45 million funds for R. & D., test, and evaluation, including funds for Federal Contract Research Centers, and social science research programs. Under unanimous-consent agreement, on resumption of consideration of S. 2546 on Tuesday, August 12, Senate will limit debate on this amendment to 3 hours, to be equally divided between Senators Fulbright and Stennis. Pages 23188–23232, 23254–23268, 23276–23278, 23281–23300

Senate Authorizations: Secretary of Senate was authorized, during adjournment of the Senate until Wednesday, September 3, to receive and refer proposed nomination of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Page 23277

Authority To Sit: By unanimous consent, Committee on Finance was authorized to sit during the sessions of the Senate on Thursday and Friday, September 4 and 5. Page 23277

Istle, and Interest Equalization Tax Extension: Senate took from the desk and passed with committee amendments, H.R. 10107, to continue for temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle, and extending for 30 days, until September 30, 1969, the interest equalization tax. Pages 23279–23281

Student Loans: Under unanimous-consent agreement, on Tuesday, August 12, after approval of the Journal, Senate will proceed to the consideration of S. 2721, proposed Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969, and that debate on proposed Dominick amendment (so-called banking amendment) shall be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the majority and minority leaders; and provide further that debate on all other amendments shall be limited to one-half hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and the manager of the bill, or someone designated by him; and that debate on the bill shall be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the majority and minority leaders. Pages 23286–23287

Confirmations: Senate confirmed numerous nominations in the Public Health Service. Page 23347

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Helen D. Bentley, of Maryland, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner; Rex M. Mattingly, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; and numerous Army nominations. Senate also received withdrawal of the nomination of John G. Hurd, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Venezuela. Pages 23346–23347

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued executive consideration of pending housing and

urban development legislation but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S SALARIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on S. 2694, providing salary increases for D.C. police and firemen, with testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia, who was accompanied by Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the Commissioner, Jerry Wilson, Chief of Metropolitan Police, Hugh A. Groves, Chief of the D.C. Fire Department, and other officials of the D.C. government; Joseph R. Granados, D.C. Firefighters Association; John L. Sullivan, Policemen's Association of the District of Columbia; and J. C. Turner, Greater Washington Central Labor Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

H.R. 12720, to convey certain D.C. property to the Washington International School;

H.R. 9526, providing that employer contributions do not have to be made under the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act for service performed for public international organizations;

S. 1484, to abolish commission authorized to consider site for building a national memorial stadium in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 12677, authorizing lease of certain D.C. property to the Jewish Historical Society for purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum;

S. 1814, proposed D.C. Transit Act of 1969 (amended);

S. 2335, authorizing District of Columbia to enter into compact with other States for cooperation in the handling of juvenile delinquents (amended);

S. 2056, permitting unmarried D.C. judges to terminate payments for survivors' annuity and to receive refund of such moneys; and

S. 2502, authorizing suits in courts of the District of Columbia for collecting taxes owed to States or other political subdivisions when reciprocal right is accorded to the District of Columbia.

TAXATION, VETERANS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 10107, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle (with an amendment to extend through September 30, 1969, the interest equalization tax);

S. 1479, increasing to $15,000 automatic insurance for members of the Armed Forces;

S. 1471, increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans (amended);

S. 1650, to provide that VA insurance policies provide double indemnity for death resulting from service-connected injuries or diseases while in a combat zone (amended);

S. 2003, to provide life insurance readjustment benefits to Vietnam-era veterans (amended);

S. 2186, to provide dismemberment insurance coverage under servicemen's life insurance program (amended); and

The nomination of George M. Moore, of Maryland, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission.

Also, committee announced that it will begin hearings on Thursday, September 4, on H.R. 13270, the tax reform bill. Secretary of the Treasury Kennedy will be the first witness to testify.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

The nomination of Louis R. Bruce, to be Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior;

S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas (amended);

S. 40, to authorize modifications of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation;

S.J. Res. 121, authorizing funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity (amended);

S. 73, relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak. (amended);

S. 74, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota (amended);

S. 204, providing for leasing of Indian lands for religious or educational purposes (amended);

S. 210, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna (amended);

S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak. (amended);

S. 921, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation (amended);

S. 227, authorizing loans to Indian tribes for acquisition of lands within its reservation (amended);

S. 404, to provide for the construction and improvement of a road on the Navajo Indian Reservation;

S. 1609, authorizing longer term leases of Indian lands located outside the boundaries of Indian reservations in New Mexico;

S. 1766, providing for disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont. (amended); and

H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians.

Prior to the executive meeting of the committee, testimony in support of the nomination of Mr. Bruce was received from Senator Javits and Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management Harrison Loesch.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2453 and 2806, bills to further promote equal employment opportunities for American workers. Witnesses heard were William H. Brown III, Chairman, accompanied by Clifford L. Alexander, Jr., member, and Vicente T. Ximenes, member, all of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Wendell G. Freeland, National Urban League; Jack Greenberg and Clarence M. Mitchell, NAACP; Joseph L. Rauh, Jr., Leadership Conference on Civil Rights; and George P. Shultz, Secretary of Labor, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Arthur A. Fletcher.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 13420–13463; seven private bills, H.R. 13464–13470; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 872 and 873, H. Con. Res. 315–318, and H. Res. 519–521, were introduced. **Pages 23180–23181**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12982, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia; filed on Friday, August 8 (H. Rept. 91–463);

H.R. 13300, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the extension of supplemental annuities and the mandatory retirement of employees, amended (H. Rept. 91–464); and

H.R. 1782, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 91–465).

Pages 23179–23180

Unanimous-Consent Request Denied: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to consider under "Suspension of the Rules" H.R. 13194, regarding guaranteed student loans. **Page 23105**

Maryland Land Transfer: Considered by unanimous consent and passed by a voice vote H.R. 10420, to permit certain real property in the State of Maryland to be used for public purposes generally. **Pages 23106–23107**

Recess: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 315, providing for adjournment of Congress from the close of business on August 13 until noon on September 3, 1969.

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Receive and Sign: Permission was granted for the Clerk to receive messages and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills, notwithstanding the adjournment of Congress from August 13 to September 3. **Page 23107**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 3.

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Apollo 11 Astronauts: Unanimous consent was granted for the Speaker to call a recess at any time on Wednesday, September 10, for the purpose of receiving the Apollo 11 astronauts. **Page 23107**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 23107**

D.C. Revenue Act: House passed by a voice vote H.R. 12982, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

A motion to move the previous question on the motion to recommit was agreed to by a division vote of 104 yeas to 65 nays.

Agreed to an amendment that exempts court personnel from the personnel freeze.

Agreed to an amendment that kills language that would prohibit the City Council from setting tax rates on real and personal property.

Rejected the Adams substitute to the committee amendment that provided for a Federal payment formula of 30 percent for 5 years, would provide for a payment of $120.5 million this year in lieu of $105 million in the committee amendment. Strikes out provisions abolishing the authority of City Council to set real and personal property tax rates. Strikes out provisions establishing a personnel freeze. Strikes out provisions that would abolish the Office of Director of Public Safety (substitute was rejected by a teller vote of 92 yeas to 106 nays).

A point of order against the Adams substitute was overruled.

A preferential motion to strike out the enacting clause was rejected by a division vote of 70 nays.

Rejected an amendment that would give the city authority to participate in the Bannockburn voluntary school project (by a division vote of 74 yeas to 83 nays).

Rejected an amendment that would provide a Federal payment formula of 30 percent (by a division vote of 74 yeas to 90 nays).

Rejected an amendment that would increase the Federal payment by $15 million (by a teller vote of 69 yeas to 109 nays).

Rejected an amendment that would reinstate the position of Public Safety Commissioner.

Pages 23108–23143

Presidential Message—Welfare: Received and read a message from the President containing recommendations for broad revisions in the welfare system—referred to the Committee of the Whole House and ordered printed. Pages 23143–23146

Referrals: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 23179

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL CRIME "OVERVIEW"

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on national crime "overview." Testimony was heard from A. Kenneth Pye, dean, Duke University; Nathan Lefstein, D.C. Legal Aid; and D.C. Chief of Police Jerry V. Wilson.

CALIFORNIA CANAL NAME CHANGE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearing on and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 224, to change the name of Pleasant Valley Canal, Calif., to Coalinga Canal. Testimony was heard from Representative Sisk and Gilbert Stamm, Acting Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation.

MIGRATORY WATERFOWL REGULATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on migratory waterfowl regulations. Testimony was heard from John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATERSHED PROJECTS—PUBLIC BUILDING PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and approved 14 watershed projects. Committee also approved public building prospectuses at the following locations: Miami, Fla.; Suffolk County, Long Island, N.Y.; Detroit, Mich. (amended); Memphis, Tenn.; vicinity of Fort Monmouth, N.J.; area of Fresno, Calif.; and a report of a building project survey for San Angelo, Tex.

Prior to the full committee meetings, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved the above-named prospectuses for full committee action.

The subcommittee also considered H.R. 11526, to authorize an adequate White House Police force, but took no action on it.

Tuesday, August 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23522–23602

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2826–2840; S.J. Res. 147; and S. Res. 242. Pages 23525–23526

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 96 (referring to the Court of Claims S. 881), private bill (S. Rept. 91–376);

S. 1609, authorizing longer term leases of Indian lands located outside the boundaries of Indian reservations in New Mexico (S. Rept. 91–377);

S. 204, providing for leasing of Indian lands for religious or educational purposes, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–378);

S. 210, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–379);

S. 1766, providing for disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont., with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–380);

H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for

the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians (S. Rept. 91–381);

S. 921, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–382);

S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak., with amendments (S. Rept. 91–383);

S. 404, to provide for the construction and improvement of a road on the Navajo Indian Reservation (S. Rept. 91–384); and

S. Res. 242, increasing by $9,000, funds for the Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees of the Committee on the Judiciary (no written report).

Pages 23525, 23531

President's Message—Manpower Program: President transmitted message setting forth his recommendations for consolidating major manpower development programs administered by the Department of Labor—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 23458–23460

Student Loans: By 92 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 2721, proposed Insured Student Loan Emergency Amendments of 1969, after taking the following action on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By a voice vote, Javits amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) making effective date of the bill August 15, 1969, instead of after date of enactment; and

Rejected: By 21 yeas to 72 nays, Dominick amendment which would have deleted authority of Secretary of HEW to prescribe procedures prohibiting lenders from requiring other business activities with the lender by the student as a condition for making an insured loan; and by 38 yeas to 56 nays, Dirksen amendment which would have deleted increases in authorizations for the national defense student loan program, educational opportunity grant program, and college work-study program. Pages 23415–23433, 23447–23458

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: By 49 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Fulbright amendment No. 110, reducing by $45 million funds for R. & D., test, and evaluation, including funds for Federal contract research centers, and social science research programs, modified so as to add a new section 205, providing that no funds shall be used for research project or study unless such project or study has a direct relationship to a specific military function; and, by a voice vote, modified Fulbright amendment No. 129, limiting to $2.5 billion funds authorized for use by the U.S. Armed Forces to support Vietnamese and other free world forces in Vietnam, and local forces in Laos and Thailand.

Senator Cooper submitted, and subsequently withdrew, an amendment to page 5, line 15, which specified that funds for local forces in Laos and Thailand be limited to use for equipment, material, and maintenance No. 108, reducing funds for procurement of C–5A-type supplies. Senator Cooper indicated that this amendment would be resubmitted at a later date.

Pending at adjournment was Proxmire amendment cargo aircraft. Pages 23460–23485, 23502–23520

Yakima Project: Senate agreed to House amendments to S. 742, authorizing funds for the construction of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington, thus clearing the bill for the White House.

Pages 23507–23508

Adjournment Resolution: By 76 yeas to 14 nays, Senate adopted H. Con. Res. 315, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Wednesday, August 13, they stand adjourned until noon Wednesday, September 3.

Pages 23508–23509

Legislative Program: Majority leader announced that there will be no rollcall votes on Wednesday, August 13, on S. 2546, military procurement authorizations for fiscal 1970, or amendments thereto. Pages 23508

Calendar Call: On call of calendar five bills, of which four are private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:
H.R. 1707, 5107, and 8136, private bills.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:
H.R. 4658, private bill.

With amendment and cleared for House:
Indian irrigation: S. 203, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for the Colorado-New Mexico Navajo Indian irrigation project. Pages 23520–23522

Postal Appointees: Senate passed without amendment S.1583, providing for the appointment by the Postmaster General of all postmasters in the competitive civil service (motion to reconsider action of July 8 in passing this bill was entered on July 9). Pages 23524–23525

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Robert G. Renner, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Minnesota; Frederick B. Lacey, to be U.S. attorney for the district of New Jersey; Louis R. Bruce, of New York, to be Commissioner of Indian Affairs; and George M. Moore, of Maryland, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission. Page 23602

Nomination: Senate received the nomination of William H. Quealy, of Virginia, to be a judge of the Tax Court of the United States. Page 23602

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued executive consideration of pending housing and urban development legislation, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia, accompanied by Thomas Fletcher, Assistant to the Commissioner, and other D.C. officials; Jerome Freibaum, Bannockburn-Meyer open school project; Clinton M. Hester, U.S. Brewers Association; and Hilliard Schulberg, Washington Liquor Dealers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

THAILAND, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Taylor G. Belcher, of New York, to be Ambassador to Peru; Walter L. Rice, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Australia; and Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund, U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, U.S. Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, and U.S. Alternate Governor of the Asian Development Bank.

Also, committee received a briefing concerning Thailand from Lt. Gen. Richard G. Stilwell, Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations, who was accompanied by other Army officials.

ALASKAN OIL RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings to receive testimony as to the capability and requirements of the Department of the Interior to oversee oil resource development on public lands in Alaska. Witnesses heard were Russell E. Train, Under Secretary, and Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, both of the Department of the Interior; and Carl Schwartz, Director, National Resources Programs Division, Bureau of the Budget.

SUBCOMMITTEE FUNDS, AND NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting S. Res. 242, increasing by $9,000 funds for its Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees; and the nomination of Douglas B. Baily, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Alaska.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 2453 and 2806, bills to further promote equal employment opportunities for American workers. Witnesses heard were William H. Brown, Chairman, accompanied by Clifford L. Alexander, Elizabeth J. Kuck, and Vicente T. Ximenes, all of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Richard G. Kleindienst, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Frank Kent, commissioner, Minnesota Department of Human Rights; and Clarence Farmer and Richard Levine, both of the Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on pending veterans' education, training, and manpower programs (S. 1088, 2506, 2668, and 2700), with testimony from Senators Javits and Tydings; Dr. Paul Cooke, president, D.C. Teachers College; Dr. Richard R. Bond, Illinois State University, representing American Association of State Colleges and Universities; Terrell M. Wertz, American Legion, accompanied by Bernard A. Nolan, National Rehabilitation Commission, and Austin E. Kerby, National Economic Commission; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars; William Cox, Pennsylvania State University; Joseph Mazel, associate editor, Modern Manufacturing; Dr. Harry Bard, representing American Association of Junior Colleges; and Robert F. Carmody, who presented statement of Glenn S. Dumke, chancellor, the California State Colleges.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1499, to name the lock and dam No. 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma for the Chouteau family.

Also, the committee approved 14 watershed projects, and a proposed prospectus authorizing repair of post office and courthouse building in Miami, Fla., which was damaged by fire on July 12, 1969.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, with testimony from Dr. Herbert Ley, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW, who testified on present drug-testing practices.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 13471–13512; four private bills, H.R. 13513–13516; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 874–879, H. Con. Res. 319–322, and H. Res. 522, were introduced. Pages 23412–23414

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7737, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, amended (H. Rept. 91–466);

H. Res. 422, opposing the granting of permanent residence in the United States to certain aliens (H. Rept. 91–467); and

H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement (H. Rept. 91–468). Page 23412

Unanimous-Consent Request Denied: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to consider under "Suspension of the Rules" H.R. 13194, regarding guaranteed student loans. Pages 23352–23354

Duty-Free Istle—Interest Equalization Tax: Cleared for the President H.R. 10107, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle and the existing interest equalization tax (title amended) by concurrence to Senate amendments thereto. Page 23354

Rule Amendment: Agreed to H. Res. 495, amending rule XXXV of the House of Representatives to increase fees of witnesses before the House or its committees.

Pages 23354–23356

Investigative Authority: By a record vote of 196 yeas to 132 nays, the House agreed to H. Res. 269, authorizing the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to conduct studies and investigations within its jurisdiction. Agreed to committee amendments.

Pages 23356–23359

U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act: Passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 4813, to extend the provisions of the U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, as amended.

Agreed to an amendment that limits expenditures for fiscal year 1971 to $100,000.

Agreed to the committee amendment.

H. Res. 515, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 23363–23373

Presidential Message—Manpower Training: Received and read a message from the President containing legislative proposals on manpower training—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Pages 23373–23375

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for markup of fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization. No announcements were made.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LORTON PRISON TOUR

Select Committee on Crime: Committee toured Lorton Prison and Reformatory and then heard panel discussion by Myrl Alexander, Director of Federal Bureau of Prisons; George McGrath, New York City Commissioner of Corrections; Howard James, Christian Science Monitor; and George Dannelly, executive director, Youth Counsel Bureau of New York City.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC). Testimony was heard from Senator Javits; Charles S. Dennison and Paul Dietz, National Association of Manufacturers; Dr. Joseph Grunwald, the Brookings Institution; and Dr. Carlos F. Diaz-Alejandro, professor of economics, Yale University.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS HOME

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 5968, amended, to amend the act entitled "an act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass

home as a part of the park system in the National Capital."

REPORT ON FDA OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare began hearings on the draft report from the study group on Food and Drug Administration consumer protection objectives and programs submitted to Commissioner Ley on July 14, 1969. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Marine Science Commission entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on postal reform. Testimony was heard from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount and members of his staff.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session to consider pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began a series of hearings entitled "Economic Analysis and the Efficiency of Government," with testimony from Robert N. Anthony, professor at Harvard University, and formerly Assistant Secretary of Defense, Comptroller; and Thomas H. Neilsen, U.S. Financial, a California-based corporation, and formerly Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Comptroller.

DISASTER RELIEF

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6508, to provide Federal assistance for areas suffering a major disaster, but did not reach agreement and recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, August 13, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23663–23742

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2841–2852; and S. Res. 243–245. Pages 23677, 23683–23685

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 855, to establish Buffalo National River, Ark., with amendments (S. Rept. 91–385);

S. 2502, authorizing suits in courts of the District of Columbia for collecting taxes owed to States or other political subdivisions when reciprocal right is accorded to the District of Columbia (S. Rept. 91–386);

S. 2056, permitting unmarried D.C. judges to terminate payments for survivors' annuity and to receive refund of such moneys, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–387); and

H.R. 12677, authorizing lease of certain D.C. property to the Jewish Historical Society for purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum (S. Rept. 91–388). Pages 23676–23677

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 23747

President's Message—Tax Sharing: President transmitted message embodying his recommendations for amount of Federal revenues to be returned annually to the States to be used as the States and their local governments see fit—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 23746–23747

President's Message—Antidumping: Message was received from President transmitting report on antidumping activities for the period July 1, 1968–June 30, 1969—referred to Committee on Finance. Page 23747

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 18 bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Indian land: H.R. 671, to compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians; and

Washington International School: H.R. 12720, to convey certain D.C. property to the Washington International School.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Older Americans: H.R. 11235, proposed Older Americans Act Amendments of 1969.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Small business debentures: S. 2540, authorizing SBA to purchase debentures of small business investment companies;

Loan ceiling: S. 2815, increasing from $300 million to $500 million, ceiling on amount on loans which may be outstanding at one time to State and local development companies under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958;

Missouri River Basin project, Kortes unit: S. 40, to authorize modifications of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation;

Navajo Indian road: S. 404, to provide for the construction and improvement of a road on the Navajo Indian Reservation; and

Indian land: S. 1609, authorizing longer term leases of Indian lands located outside the boundaries of Indian reservations in New Mexico.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Johnson Historic Site: S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site in Gillespie County, Tex.;

Eisenhower Historic Site: S.J. Res. 26, to develop the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg;

Immigration quota: S. 2593, to exclude officers and employees of Western Hemisphere businesses from being charged against the Western Hemisphere immigration quota;

Indian lands: S. 73, relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.;

Indian lands: S. 74, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota;

Indian lands: S. 204, providing for leasing of Indian lands for religious or educational purposes;

Indian lands: S. 210, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna;

Indian judgment: S. 1766, providing for disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont.;

Indian lands: S. 921, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation; and

Indian lands: S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.

Pages 23664–23676

Senate Authorizations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Secretary of Senate be authorized on Friday, August 29, and on Tuesday, September 2, to receive and appropriately refer messages from the President and House of Representatives; and that during the same period all Senate committees may be permitted to file reports; and that the Vice President, President pro tempore, or acting President pro tempore may be permitted to sign duly enrolled bills and joint resolutions.

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Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.

Pending at adjournment was Proxmire amendment No. 108, reducing funds for procurement of C–5A-type cargo aircraft.

Pages 23753–23778

Printing: Senate took from the desk and passed without amendment, S. Res. 244, authorizing printing of 5,000 additional copies of a Finance Committee print entitled "Summary of H.R. 13270, the Tax Reform Act of 1969."

Pages 23683, 23743–23745

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Rex M. Mattingly, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; Douglas B. Baily, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Alaska; Taylor G. Belcher, of New York, to be Ambassador to Peru; Walter L. Rice, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Australia; Nathaniel Samuels, of New York, to be U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund, U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, U.S. Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, and U.S. Alternate Governor of the Asian Development Bank; and numerous Army nominations.

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Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Henry L. Brooks, of Kentucky, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Sixth Circuit; Charles W. Adair, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Panama; and William E. Schaufele, Jr., of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Upper Volta.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee concluded executive consideration of and ordered favorably reported to Senate an original bill entitled "Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969." Committee announced that the report on this bill will be filed after the Congress reconvenes on Wednesday, September 3.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12982, pro-

posed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the D.C. Commissioner, who was accompanied by Chief of Metropolitan Police Jerry Wilson and Comer Coppie, Assistant D.C. Budget Officer; and Catherine McCarron, Dupont Circle Citizens Association.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 3.

NOMINATIONS, AND TAX HEARINGS

Committee on Finance: Committee held an executive meeting where it unanimously approved for reporting the nomination of Rex M. Mattingly, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board.

Also, committee issued release setting forth procedures it will take in the conduct of the forthcoming hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act, to begin on Thursday, September 4. The text of this release was inserted in today's Record by Senator Long and appears on pages 23743–23745.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13517–13551; five private bills, H.R. 13552–13556; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 880–882, were introduced.

Pages 23850–23851

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "an act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907, amended (H. Rept. 91–469).

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Legislative Program: Majority leader announced the legislative program for the week beginning September 1.

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Presidential Message—Revenue Sharing: Received and read a message from the President on proposals on revenue sharing—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 23834–23835

Presidential Message—Antidumping: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the report of the President of the United States on antidumping—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 23836

Referrals: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 23850

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REPORT ON FDA OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on the draft report from the study group on Food and Drug Administration consumer protection objectives and programs submitted to Commissioner Ley on July 14, 1969. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Marine Science Commission entitled "Our Nation and the Sea." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

A–7D-TYPE AIRCRAFT BRAKES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government held hearings to receive testimony concerning charges that B. F. Goodrich Co. submitted false test data to hide defects in brakes they were manufacturing for the Air Force A–7D-type attack aircraft. Testimony was received from Richard W. Gutmann, Deputy Director, Defense Division, and Guy A. Best, Assistant Director, both of the General Accounting Office; Robert L. Hartman and Bruce Tremblay, both of Headquarters Aeronautical Systems Division, Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio; Searle Lawson, Dallas, Tex., and Kermit Vandivier, "The Troy Daily News," former employees of B. F. Goodrich Co.; R. G. Jeter, vice president and general counsel, B. F. Goodrich Co.; and Robert L. Sink, B. F. Goodrich wheel and brake plant.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Wednesday, September 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24090–24147

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2853–2861; and S. Res. 246–252. Pages 24116–24118

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 121, authorizing funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–389) (filed on September 2, 1969);

S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–390); and

S. 1499, to name the lock and dam No. 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma for the Chouteau family (S. Rept. 91–391). **Pages 24090, 24116**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar six bills, of which one was private, were passed as follows:

Private resolution: S. Res. 96, referring to the Court of Claims S. 881, a private claims bill.

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C. land lease: H.R. 12677, authorizing lease of certain D.C. property to the Jewish Historical Society for purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

D.C. tax collection suits: S. 2502, authorizing suits in courts of the District of Columbia for collecting taxes owed to States or other political subdivisions when reciprocal right is accorded to the District of Columbia.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Buffalo National River: S. 855, to establish Buffalo National River, Arkansas;

D.C. judges: S. 2056, permitting unmarried D.C. judges to terminate payments for survivors' annuity and to receive refund of such moneys; and

Indians: S.J. Res. 121, authorizing funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity.

Pages 24085–24090

Military Procurement: Senate resumed consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the pending amendment to which is Proxmire amendment No. 108, reducing by $533 million funds for procurement of aircraft by the Air Force, and limiting to a maximum of 58 the number of C–5A cargo aircraft which may be purchased until the Comptroller General makes a comprehensive study of the cost of such aircraft within 90 days after enactment.

Pages 24147–24195

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 252, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Ronan. **Pages 24197–24198**

Nominations: The following nominations were received by the Senate:

A. Sydney Herlong, of Florida, to be a member of the SEC (received September 3, 1969);

Charles W. Yost, of New York, William B. Buffum, of New York, Representative Fascell, of Florida, Representative Whalley, of Pennsylvania, and Shirley Temple Black, of California, all to be U.S. representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly; and Christopher H. Phillips, of New York, Glenn A. Olds, of New York, Rita E. Hauser, of New York, William T. Coleman, of Pennsylvania, and Joseph E. Johnson, of New Jersey, all to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly; and numerous Marine Corps nominations (received on September 2, pursuant to order of August 13, 1969);

The following nominations to be Ambassador—Douglas MacArthur II, of the District of Columbia, to Iran; Graham A. Martin, of North Carolina, to Italy; Vincent de Roulet, of New York, to Jamaica; Robinson McIlvaine, of Pennsylvania, to the Republic of Kenya; John Patrick Walsh, of Illinois, to the State of Kuwait; and William C. Trueheart, of Florida, to the Federal Republic of Nigeria; Joel Bernstein, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Administrator of AID; Ernest Stern, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Administrator of AID; Robert H. B. Wade, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation; Robert F. Keller, of Maryland, to be Assistant Comptroller General of the United States; George S. Ives, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Mediation Board; Neil P. Speirs, of New York, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; Daniel Eldred Rinehart, of Maryland, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; William O. Baker, of New Jersey, to be a member of the Board of Regents, National Library of Medicine, Public Health Service; numerous judicial; and sundry nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force (received on August 29, pursuant to order of August 13); and

Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States (received on August 21, pursuant to order of August 11). **Pages 24198–24218**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Proxmire and Representative Hagan, both of whom submitted statements, and numerous D.C. citizens representing various organizations.

Hearings continue on Friday, September 5.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Extension Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Javits; Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treas-

ury for Monetary Affairs; and Peter Nevitt, GATX-Armco-Boothe of San Francisco.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 13557–13593; eight private bills, H.R. 13594–13601; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 883, H. Con. Res. 323 and 324, and H. Res. 523–525, were introduced.

Pages 24080, 24082–24083

Summons: The Speaker read a summons requiring him to appear before the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan, and because the privilege of the House is involved, the matter was submitted for the consideration of the House. Page 24002

Older Americans Act: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 11235, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965, thus clearing the measure for the President.

Page 24003

Unanimous-Consent Request Denied: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to consider under "Suspension of the Rules" on Monday, September 8, H.R. 13194, regarding guaranteed student loans.

Page 24003

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today.

Page 24004

Rules Agreed To: The following rules were called up and agreed to:

H. Res. 516, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7621, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards; and

H. Res. 518, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles.

Pages 24004–24006

National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act Authorization: By a record vote of 322 yeas, the House passed H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972 (title amended).

Agreed to the committee amendment.

Agreed to an amendment that establishes safety standards setting limits on the age of tire carcasses which can be retreaded.

Agreed to an amendment that would cause the Secretary of Transportation to prepare a report on the extent, causes, and means of prevention of agricultural tractor accidents, and submit the report to Congress no later than April 1, 1970.

Rejected an amendment that would add a new title dealing with tractor safety.

H. Res. 517, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 24004, 24006–24015

Condolence Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 525, expressing the sense of sorrow of the House on the death of Representative Daniel J. Ronan. Page 24080

Referrals: 15 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 24080

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Resumed hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session to mark up housing legislation. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee to continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System, and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Testimony was heard from Francis Turner, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation and Pensions began hearings on dependency and indemnity compensation. Testimony was heard from departmental and Veterans of Foreign Wars witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through August 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	101	120	..
Time in session	448 hrs., 57′	356 hrs., 12′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	10,000	7,406	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	7,040
Public bills enacted into law	25	41	66
Private bills enacted into law	10	34	44
Bills in conference	1	4	..
Bills through conference	2	2	..
Measures passed, total	403	395	..
Senate bills	171	25	..
House bills	77	202	..
Senate joint resolutions	22	8	..
House joint resolutions	5	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	18	23	..
Simple resolutions	101	122	223
Measures reported, total	*488	*445	..
Senate bills	189	33	..
House bills	89	276	..
Senate joint resolutions	24	2	..
House joint resolutions	4	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	18	13	..
Simple resolutions	155	108	..
Special reports	10	21	..
Conference reports	..	3	..
Reported measures not acted on	35	89	..
Measures introduced, total	3,279	15,282	18,561
Bills	2,852	13,556	16,208
Joint resolutions	147	882	1,049
Concurrent resolutions	35	322	357
Simple resolutions	245	522	767
Quorum calls	12	79	..
Yea-and-nay votes	68	74	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 388 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 469 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through August 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 10,035, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,911
Unconfirmed	123
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 15,456, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,537
Unconfirmed	7,919
Navy nominations, totaling 17,638, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	17,320
Unconfirmed	318
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 6,364, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,334
Unconfirmed	30
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,334, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,247
Unconfirmed	67
Withdrawn	20
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Unconfirmed	0
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	53,455
Total confirmed	44,525
Total unconfirmed	8,457
Total withdrawn	473

Thursday, September 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24281–24324

Bills Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2862–2863. Page 24284

Bill Referred: H.R. 10105 was referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 24283

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the pending amendment to which is Proxmire amendment No. 108, reducing by $533 million funds for procurement of aircraft by the Air Force, and limiting to a maximum of 58 the number of C–5A cargo aircraft which may be purchased until the Comptroller General makes a comprehensive study of the cost of such aircraft within 90 days after enactment.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that when the Senate concludes its business on Friday, it adjourn until 11 a.m. on Monday, September 8, and following the reading of the Journal, there be a period not to exceed 20 minutes for morning business, and that following said period, Senator Symington be recognized for a period not to exceed 40 minutes; and at 12 noon debate on pending amendment (No. 108) be limited to 3 hours, to be equally divided and controlled by Senators Proxmire and Stennis; and that debate on any amendment to the pending amendment or motion, except a motion to table, be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the mover of the amendment and Senator Proxmire; and that in the event Senator Proxmire favors such amendment or motion, the time in opposition shall be controlled by Senator Stennis.

Pages 24324, 24328–24339, 24340

Nomination: Senate received the nomination of Henry J. Tasca, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Greece. Page 24341

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. COURT REORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 2601, to reorganize the courts of the District of Columbia.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Secretary David M. Kennedy and Assistant Secretary Edwin S. Cohen, both of the Department of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from these witnesses.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings to receive testimony on pending public building prospectuses for leased and government-constructed projects. Testimony was received from Jack W. Carlson, Assistant Director for Program Evaluation, and Charles Benton, General Government Division, both of the Bureau of the Budget; R. F. Myers, Commissioner, and Robert B. Foster, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, both of Public Buildings Service, GSA; Thomas F. Ashcraft, director of the Mayor's Committee for Industrial and Commercial Development, Detroit; Mrs. Judith S. Owens, Detroit; Vincent L. Connery, National Association of Internal Revenue Employees; and Deane Baker, president, International Builders, H. F. Campbell Co., Detroit.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 13602–13633; five private bills, H.R. 13634–13638; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 884–886 and H. Res. 526–530, were introduced. Pages 24444–24445

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4869, to further the economic advancement and general welfare of the Hopi Indian Tribe of the State of Arizona, amended (H. Rept. 91–470);

H.R. 9756, to provide for the disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of Flathead Reservation, Mont., in paragraph 11, docket No. 50233, U.S. Court of Claims, amended (H. Rept. 91–471);

H.R. 9477, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 91–472);

H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest in the State of California, amended (H. Rept. 91–473);

H. Res. 526, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7737, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (H. Rept. 91–474);

H. Res. 527, providing for the consideration of H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act (H. Rept. 91–475); and

H. Res. 528, providing for the consideration of S. 574,

to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resource developments (H. Rept. 91–476). Page 24444

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 24344

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 24344

Day of Bread—Harvest Festival: Passed H.J. Res. 851, to request the President of the United States to issue a proclamation calling for a "Day of Bread" and "Harvest Festival" (amended, and sent to the Senate). Page 24344

National Family Health Week: Passed S.J. Res. 46, to authorize the President to designate the period beginning November 16, 1969, and ending November 22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week" (amended, and returned to the Senate). Pages 24344–24345

General von Steuben Memorial Day: Passed H.J. Res. 250, authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim September 17, 1969, "General von Steuben Memorial Day" for the observance and commemoration of the birth of Gen. Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben (amended, and sent to the Senate). Page 24345

Child Protection Act: By a record vote of 327 yeas, the House passed H.R. 7621, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards.

Agreed to the committee amendment.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 1689, a similar Senate bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 7621 as passed. Pages 24346–24356

Clean Air Act: By a record vote of 332 yeas, the House passed H.R. 12085, to amend the Clean Air Act to extend the program of research relating to fuel and vehicles.

Agreed to the committee amendment.

Rejected an amendment that would prohibit the manufacture or importation into the United States for sale, any motor vehicle powered by an internal combustion engine after January 1, 1978, unless such engine produces a level of exhaust emission of not more than 0.5 gram per mile of reactive hydrocarbons, 11 grams per mile of carbon monoxide, and 0.75 gram per mile of oxides of nitrogen (rejected by a division vote of 22 yeas to 99 nays).

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 2276, a similar Senate bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 12085 as passed. Page 24356–24378

Vice President's Pay Adjustment: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 7206, to adjust the salaries of the Vice President of the United States and certain officers of the Congress, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 24378

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 10. Page 24379

Referrals: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 24444

Lobbyists: The compilation by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of all registrations and quarterly reports for the second quarter of 1969 filed by persons engaged in lobbying activities appears in this issue of the Congressional Record. Pages 24446–24478

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Resumed hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Disturbances on Military Installations met in executive session to plan procedure for coping with disturbances on military installations. No announcements were made.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session for continued markup of housing legislation.

Subcommittee to continue on Tuesday, September 9.

HEALING ARTS PRACTICE ACT—TRANSFER OF BLOOD COMPONENTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded a hearing on H.R. 10295, to amend the Healing Arts Practice Act, District of Columbia, 1928; and H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer by licensed blood banks in the District of Columbia of blood components within the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Dr. Murray Grant, Director, District Department of Public Health; representatives of D.C. Medical Society; and Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded hearings on H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight

and width limitations on the Interstate System; and H.R. 11619, to amend section 127 in order to increase such limitations for motorbuses. Further testimony was heard from Francis Turner, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Transportation.

PEACE CORPS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended. Testimony was heard from Chairman Morgan and Representative Frelinghuysen.

PUBLIC BROADCASTING AND ETV

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 7737, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. After passage it shall be in order to take S. 1242 from the Speaker's table and amend it with House-passed language. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers and Representative Springer.

FEASIBILITY INVESTIGATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, S. 574, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resource developments. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session to consider pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation and Pensions concluded hearings on dependency and indemnity compensation. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Legion and Disabled American Veterans.

Friday, September 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24562–24592

Bill Introduced and Reported: One original bill was reported as follows: S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, with individual views (S. Rept. 91–392). Page 24575

Bills Referred: Two House-passed joint resolutions were referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Page 24562

Calendar Call: Senate took from the calendar and passed the following two bills:

Mining policy: S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy (with amendments); and

Verdigris River dam: S. 1499, to name the lock and dam No. 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma for the Chouteau family. Pages 24562–24565

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the pending amendment to which is Proxmire amendment No. 108, reducing by $533 million funds for procurement of aircraft by the Air Force, and limiting to a maximum of 58 the number of C–5A cargo aircraft which may be purchased until the Comptroller General makes a comprehensive study of the cost of such aircraft within 90 days after enactment. Under unanimous-consent agreement of September 4, Senate will vote on this amendment on Monday, September 8. Pages 24592–24601–24604

Printing: Letter from Acting Secretary of the Army transmitting report dated April 30, 1969, from the Chief of Army Engineers, together with accompanying papers and illustrations, on Frenchboro Harbor, Maine, was received, ordered to be printed as a Senate document, with illustrations (S. Doc. 91–32), and referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 24575

Nomination: Senate received one Navy nomination. Page 24604

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Hughes; Arthur B. Hanson, American Newspaper Publishers Association; John Delaplaine, Washington Planning and Housing Association; and Ben C. Fisher, past president, Federal Communications Bar Association.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with further testimony from Secretary David M. Kennedy and Assistant Secretary Edwin S. Cohen, both of the Department of the Treasury.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 8.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills which would extend or amend existing laws on the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

UNITED STATES-MEXICO COMMISSION FOR BORDER DEVELOPMENT AND FRIENDSHIP

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on draft legislation to authorize appropriation for expenses of the U.S. section of the United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship. Testimony was heard from Representatives de la Garza and Van Deerlin; Hon. Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; and Hon. A. F. Rodriguez, Commissioner-Director, United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship, and other officials of the Commission. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives White and Fisher.

Hearing was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Monday, September 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24697–24698

Resolutions Submitted: Two resolutions were submitted as follows: S. Res. 253 and 254. **Page 24698**

Death of Senator Dirksen: Senate adopted S. Res. 253, expressing sorrow and deep regret on the death of Senator Everett McKinley Dirksen, minority leader of the Senate, and authorizing the President of the Senate to appoint a committee, of which he shall be a member, to attend the funeral of the deceased Senator.

Senate also adopted S. Res. 254, directing Secretary of the Senate to invite Members of the House of Representatives to attend memorial services for Senator Dirksen in the rotunda of the Capitol on Tuesday, September 9, at 12 noon, and that invitations be extended to the President and members of the Cabinet, and certain other Government officials, to attend such memorial services.

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Military Procurement: By unanimous consent it was agreed that the unanimous-consent agreement order of September 4, concerning transaction of Senate business today, including debate-limitation agreement and vote on pending Proxmire amendment (No. 108) to S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, be vacated, and that such order be applied to Tuesday, September 9. **Page 24698**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:12 a.m.

Committee Meetings

CUSTOMS COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial and administrative proceedings in customs matters, receiving statements from the following witnesses: Gerald H. O'Brien, American Importers Association, New York City; Gustave Springer, Commerce and Industry Association of New York, Inc.; James H. Lundquist, Alfred R. McCauley, and Robert L. McCarty, all of the American Bar Association; Norman G. Jensen, representing Customs Brokers and Freight Forwarders of California; and statements of the Foreign Trade Association of Southern California, and World Trade Committee of the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13639–13673; eight private bills, H.R. 13674–13681; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 887–889, H. Con. Res. 325 and 326, and H. Res. 531–533, were introduced.

Pages 24653, 24695–24697

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1686, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police (H. Rept. 91–477);

H.R. 7066, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site, amended (H. Rept. 91–478); and

H.J. Res. 81, to provide for the development of the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg, Pa., amended (H. Rept. 91–479).

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Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Joelson wherein he resigns his seat in Congress. Page 24634

Memorial Services: Agreed to H. Res. 531, accepting the invitation of the Senate to attend the memorial services for the Honorable Everett McKinley Dirksen in the rotunda on Tuesday, September 9, at 12 o'clock noon. Page 24653

Authority Vacated: By unanimous consent, the authority granted the Speaker to call a recess at any time on Wednesday, September 10, was vacated. Page 24653

Recess—Apollo 11 Astronauts: Authority was granted for the Speaker to call a recess at any time on Tuesday, September 16, for the purpose of receiving the Apollo 11 astronauts. Page 24653

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 24655

Peace Corps Act: By a record vote of 282 yeas to 52 nays, the House passed H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act (75 Stat. 612), as amended.

By a record vote of 144 yeas to 186 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Foreign Affairs with instructions to report it back forthwith with a reduction in funding in the amount of $11.1 million (rejected earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a teller vote of 61 yeas to 63 nays).

Agreed to an amendment that prohibits funds for the Volunteers of America program or any similar program involving the service or training of foreign nationals in the United States.

H. Res. 527, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 24655–24669

Condolence Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 532, expressing the sense of sorrow of the House on the death of Senator Dirksen. Appointed the following as members of the funeral committee on the part of the House:

Representatives Boggs, Gerald R. Ford, Arends, Dawson, Price of Illinois, Kluczynski, Springer, Rhodes, Poff, Bob Wilson, Cramer, Gray, Collier, Michel, Smith of California, Derwinski, Murphy of Illinois, Pucinski, Rostenkowski, Shipley, Anderson of Illinois, Findley, McClory, Reid of Illinois, Morton, Yates, Annunzio, Brown of Ohio, Erlenborn, Taft, Railsback, and Mikva. Page 24695

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Resumed hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved a number of real estate projects. Testimony was heard from Departments of the Army, Navy, and Air Force witnesses.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on H.R. 9312, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Gibbons and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CONSUMER PROTECTION OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on the draft report from the study group on Food and Drug Administration consumer protection objectives and programs submitted to Commissioner Ley on July 14, 1969. Testimony was heard from Maurice Kinslow, head of the study group; Winton B. Rankin, Deputy Commissioner, FDA; and Albert H. Stevenson, Associate Administrator for Consumer Protection, HEW.

Joint Committee Meetings

AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held executive hearings on existing agreement for cooperation between the United Kingdom and the United States, receiving testimony from Theos Thompson, member, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Tuesday, September 9, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24765–24824

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2865–2875; and S. Res. 255.

Pages 24776, 24779

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 227, authorizing loans to Indian tribes for acquisition of lands within its reservation, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–393);

H.J. Res. 614, proclaiming the week of September 28–October 4, 1969, as National Adult-Youth Communications Week (S. Rept. 91–394); and

S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–395). Page 24776

Bill Referred: H.R. 11039 was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 24765

Funeral Expenses: S. Res. 255, authorizing payment of expenses for funeral of the late Senator Dirksen was adopted. Page 24825

Memorial Services Proceedings: Proceedings of memorial services held today in the rotunda of the Capitol for Senator Dirksen appear in today's record on pages 24824–24825. Pages 24824–24825

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: By 90 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Proxmire amendment No. 107, requiring disclosure for 3-year period of certain information by former military officers of the rank of navy captain and colonel, and above, and former civilian Defense employees of grade GS–15 and above, who are employed by a defense contractor engaged in contracts with the Department of Defense totaling $10 million or more annually; and

Rejected: By 23 yeas to 64 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment No. 108, reducing by $533 million funds for procurement of aircraft by the Air Force, and limiting to a maximum of 58 the number of C–5A cargo aircraft which may be purchased until the Comptroller General makes a comprehensive study of the cost of such aircraft within 90 days after enactment.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale-Case amendment No. 146, delaying authorizations of funds for nuclear aircraft carrier designated CVAN–69 until Comptroller General has submitted to the Congress a comprehensive study of the issues connected with the size and composition of our aircraft carrier force.

Pages 24779, 24823, 24825–24859, 24862–24864

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MAIN BATTLE TANK

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony concerning the MBT–70 (main battle tank) from Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard. Committee also considered a report of the General Accounting Office and plan of the Department of Defense concerning the MBT–70.

Committee announced that it unanimously agreed to reaffirm its previous recommendation to provide funds ($55.4 million) for research and development and production of pilot models of this tank.

MORTGAGE CREDIT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions began hearings on S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, receiving testimony from Eugene A. Gulledge, president, National Association of Home Builders; C. R. Mitchell, U.S. Savings and Loan League; William George Richards, National League of Insured Savings and Loan Associations; Dr. Edward E. Edwards, professor of economics, University of Indiana; Don E. Dixon, National Association of Real Estate Boards; Alfred W. Teichmeyer, U.S. Plywood-Champion Papers, Inc.; Robert E. Canton, president, National-American Wholesale Lumber Association; and Loren F. Dorman, National Lumber and Building Material Dealers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held hearings on the following bills: S. 60, to create a catalog of Federal assistance programs; S. 2035, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs; and S. 2479, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969, with testimony from Farris Bryant, Chairman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Subcommittee also received testimony from Nils A. Boe, Director, Office of Intergovernmental Relations, who directed his remarks to S.J. Res. 117, authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Special Subcommittee on the Outer Continental Shelf held an executive organizational meeting where it discussed proposed program for hearings and studies on questions relating to the national boundaries of the continental shelf.

ALASKA PIPELINE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held informational hearings for the purpose of affording the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System Co. the opportunity to present its plans for construction and operation of an oil pipeline in Alaska.

NOMINATIONS, ADULT-YOUTH COMMUNICATIONS WEEK

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations: John F. Kilkenny, of Oregon, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Ninth Circuit; Ozell M. Trask, of Arizona, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Ninth Circuit; Eugene A. Wright, of Washington, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Ninth Circuit; Peter Mills, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Maine; Wayman G. Sherrer, to be U.S. attorney for the northern district of Alabama; John H. deWinter, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Maine; Harold S. Fountain, to be U.S. marshal for the southern district of Alabama; Charles S. Guy, to be U.S. marshal for the eastern district of Pennsylvania; and Marvin G. Washington, to be U.S. marshal for the western district of Michigan.

Committee also approved H.J. Res. 614, proclaiming the week of September 28–October 4, 1969, as National Adult-Youth Communications Week.

NUTRITION AND THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee began a series of hearings regarding nutritional problems of the elderly, having as its witnesses Senator Williams, New Jersey; Mrs. Gordon Canfield, Paterson, New Jersey, Municipal Office for Aging; Dr. Maurice Linden, medical director, Philadelphia State Hospital; Dr. Frederick J. Stare, Harvard University School of Public Health; David Marlin, Michael Johnson, and John Thornberry, all of the National Council of Senior Citizens; and Jennie Wilmot and Peter Hughes, both of the American Association of Retired Persons.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 13682–13708; four private bills, H.R. 13709–13712; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 890 and 891, H. Con. Res. 327 and 328, and H. Res. 534–537, were introduced. **Pages 24924–24925**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13000, to implement the Federal employee pay comparability system, to establish a Federal Employee Salary Commission and a Board of Arbitration, amended (H. Rept. 91–480);

H. Res. 534, providing for the consideration of H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement (H. Rept. 91–481);

H. Res. 535, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13300, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the extension of supplemental annuities and the mandatory retirement of employees (H. Rept. 91–482); and

H. Res. 536, providing for the consideration of H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907 (H. Rept. 91–483). **Page 24924**

Memorial Service: House moved in a body to the rotunda for a memorial service for the late Senator Dirksen. At the conclusion of the service, the Members returned to the House Chamber to conduct legislative business. **Page 24869**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 24869**

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. **Page 24870**

Camping—National Park System: By a record vote of 334 yeas to 55 nays, the House passed H.J. Res. 247, relating to the administration of the national park system.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

Agreed to a clarifying amendment.

H. Res. 461, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 24870–24878**

Indian Land: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 471, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (48 Stat. 108).

Agreed to the committee amendments.

Rejected an amendment in the nature of a substitute that was basically the same as the committee bill, but would withhold land title.

H. Res. 462, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 24871, 24878–24886**

Recess: Authority was granted the Speaker to call a recess at any time tomorrow, subject to call of the Chair. **Page 24886**

Rule Adopted—Electoral Reform: Agreed to H. Res. 491, providing for the consideration of, and 6 hours of debate on, H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President. **Pages 24886–24891**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on general farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session for continued markup of housing legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade met in executive session for markup of the Export Control Act. No announcements were made.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Concluded hearings on H.R. 1047, coal mine safety. Testimony was heard from Senator Cooper and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of foreign aid bill, H.R. 11792.

Committee to continue Thursday, September 11.

JUDGMENT COLLECTIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs concluded a hearing on judgment collections. Testimony was heard from George H. Revercomb, Associate Deputy Attorney General and Gregory J. Ahart, Deputy Director, Civil Division, General Accounting Office.

ALASKA NATIVES LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded hearings on H.R. 13142, to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

DEFENSE FACILITIES AND INDUSTRIAL SECURITY

Committee on Internal Security: A subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 12699, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950 to authorize the Federal Government to institute measures for the protection of defense production and of classified information released to industry against acts of subversion. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Quillen, and Waggonner and Albert Green, Chief, General Law Division, Office of Chief Counsel, U.S.C.G.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Resumed hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from Department of Transportation witnesses.

AMERICAN REVOLUTION BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2462, provides that the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission shall submit to the President a comprehensive report by July 4, 1970 (now July 4, 1969). Provides for appropriations through fiscal year 1970 (now fiscal year 1969).

WAGE BOARD EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service held a hearing on H.R. 8764, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage board employees. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES' SERVICE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, with 1 hour of debate, and making in order the committee substitute as an original bill for purpose of amendment on H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907. Testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACT AND RAILROAD RETIREMENT TAX ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, and waiving points of order against section 6 of H.R. 13300, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to provide for the extension of supplemental annuities and the mandatory retirement of employees. Testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT COMMISSION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R.

474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement. Testimony was heard from Representatives Holifield and Horton.

VETERANS HOME LOANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13369, amended, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38 of the United States Code.

Wednesday, September 10, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24999–25049

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2876–2887; and S.J. Res. 148–149 and S. Con. Res. 36. **Pages 25004, 25011**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 560, to establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–396); and

S.J. Res. 149, extending for 3 months authority to limit interest rates or dividends payable on time and savings deposits and accounts (S. Rept. 91–397).

Page 25004

National Adult-Youth Communications Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 614, proclaiming the week of September 28–October 4, 1969, as National Adult-Youth Communications Week. **Page 24996**

Golden Eagle Program: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas. **Pages 24996–24999**

Bills Referred: H.R. 471 and H.J. Res. 247 were referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 25057**

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the pending amendment to which is Mondale-Case amendment No. 146, delaying authorizations of funds for nuclear aircraft carrier designated CVAN–69 until Comptroller General has submitted to the Congress a comprehensive study of the issues connected with the size and composition of our aircraft carrier force.

Under unanimous-consent agreement further debate on this amendment will be limited to 4½ hours beginning at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, September 12, time to be equally divided and controlled between the proponents (Senator Mondale) and the opponents (Senator Stennis), the vote thereon to be taken at 3 p.m.

Pages 25049, 25051–25079

Confirmations: Senate confirmed six judicial nominations, two to be U.S. attorneys and four to be U.S. marshals. **Page 25081**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Joseph S. Farland, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Pakistan; Nancy Hanks, of New York, to be Chairman of the National Council on the Arts; four judicial; and 142 Army nominations in the rank of general. **Pages 25079–25081**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MORTGAGE CREDIT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings on S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, receiving testimony from William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and Nat S. Rogers, vice president, American Bankers Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 22.

INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting an original joint resolution (S.J. Res. 149) extending for 3 months authority to limit interest rates or dividends payable on time and savings deposits and accounts.

PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATIONS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 11039, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970. One amendment to the bill would reduce authorizations to $92.8 million.

Committee also approved for reporting the following nominations: Charles T. Cross, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore; Jack W. Lydman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Malaysia; Robinson McIlvaine, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya; Douglas MacArthur II, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Iran; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Panama; Charles W. Adair, Jr., of Florida, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Charles W. Yost, of New York, William B. Buffum, of New York, Representative Fascell, of Florida, Representative Whalley, of Pennsylvania, and Shirley Temple Black, of California, all to be U.S.

representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly; and Christopher H. Phillips, of New York, Glenn A. Olds, of New York, Rita E. Hauser, of New York, William T. Coleman, of Pennsylvania, and Joseph E. Johnson, of New Jersey, all to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly. Prior to their approval, Messrs. Cross and Lydman were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on the following bills: S. 60, to create a catalog of Federal assistance programs; S. 2035, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs; and S. 2479, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Robert P. Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget, whose statement was read by Dwight Ink, Assistant Director; and Raymond P. Shafer, Governor of Pennsylvania, representing the National Governors' Conference.

Hearings continue on Friday, September 12.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2453 and 2806, bills to further promote equal employment opportunities for American workers. Witnesses heard were Howard Glickstein, Staff Director, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights; W. L. Thornton, president, Southern States Industrial Council; Julius Hobson, Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Lucille Shriver, National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.; Edward T. Anderson, Friends Committee on National Legislation; and Mrs. Nelson A. Burgess, Unitarian-Universalist Women's Federation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PHS HOSPITAL CLOSINGS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings to receive testimony concerning the recent closing of Public Health Service hospitals in Detroit and Savannah, receiving testimony from Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by Dr. Joseph English, Administrator, and Dr. Robert Van Hoek, Associate Administrator, both of Health Services and Mental Health Administration; and Dr. John Walsh, vice president for health affairs, Tulane University (also former Director, Division of Hospitals, Public Health Service).

Hearings continue on Friday, September 12.

NUTRITION AND THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued a series of hearings regarding nutritional problems of the elderly, having as its witnesses Senator Kennedy; John B. Martin, Commissioner, and Dr. Marvin Taves, Director, Research and Development Grant, both of the Administration on the Aging; Mrs. Sandra Howell, Gerontological Society, St. Louis University; Mrs. Regina Fanin, Northeast Kentucky Area Development Council; Mrs. Ann Turpeau, Washington Urban League; Mrs. Samuel Strouse, Meals on Wheels, Inc., Baltimore; and Douglas Holmes, Center for Community Research, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 13713–13737; four private bills, H.R. 13738–13741; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 892 and 893 and H. Con. Res. 329–331, were introduced. **Page 24995**

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: H.R. 13369, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38 of the United States Code, amended (H. Rept. 91–484). **Pages 24994–24995**

Recess: House went into recess at 12:03 p.m. to permit Members to attend funeral services for the late Senator Dirksen. The recess ended at 2:50 p.m. **Page 24962**

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight Thursday, September 11, on the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970. **Page 24962**

Electoral Reform: After consuming 2 hours and 8 minutes of general debate on H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President, the Committee of the Whole rose.

Further consideration of the measure will continue tomorrow. There are 3 hours and 52 minutes time of general debate remaining. **Pages 24962–24979**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL FORESTS TIMBER SUPPLY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests met in executive session and approved for full commit-

tee action H.R. 12025, amended, National Forests Timber Supply Act of 1969.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session for continued markup of housing legislation.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

BRIEFING ON POLAND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for briefing by Hon. Walter J. Stoessel, Jr., U.S. Ambassador to Poland.

UNITED STATES-MEXICO COMMISSION FOR BORDER DEVELOPMENT AND FRIENDSHIP

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session to consider draft legislation to authorize appropriation for expenses of the U.S. section of the United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship but took no action on it.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY—ALASKA PIPELINE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1706, amended, a private bill to provide for the conveyance of certain mineral rights in and under lands in Pike County, Ga.;

H.J. Res. 224, to change the name of Pleasant Valley Canal, Calif., to Coalinga Canal; and

H.R. 5968, amended, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass home as a part of the park system in the National Capital.

Following action on the above bills, the committee afforded the Trans-Alaskan Pipeline System Co. the opportunity to present its plans for construction of an oil pipeline in Alaska.

DEFENSE FACILITIES AND INDUSTRIAL SECURITY

Committee on Internal Security: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 12699, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950 to authorize the Federal Government to institute measures for the protection of defense production and of classified information released to industry against acts of subversion. Testimony was heard from J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney General of Internal Security, Department of Justice; Daniel O'Connor, chairman, Americanism Committee, American Legion; Francis W. Stover, national legislative director, VFW; Francis McBarron, national commander, Catholic War Veterans; and Alfred Berry, president, American Society for Industrial Security.

Hearings continue Wednesday, September 24.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 12374, H.R. 12780, and related bills, airways and airport development. Testimony was heard from John H. Shaffer, Administrator, FAA; Leo Seybold, vice president for public affairs, Air Transport Association; and Dr. Paul W. Cherington, Assistant Secretary for Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation.

IMMIGRATION ASPECTS OF EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on the immigration aspects of the exchange program. Testimony was heard from John Richardson, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

MILITARY PERSONNEL AND CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES' CLAIMS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13696, amended, to amend the Military Personnel and Civilian Employees' Claims Act of 1964, as amended, with respect to the settlement of claims against the United States by civilian officers and employees for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their services. The committee also acted on private claims bills.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, held a hearing on H.R. 279, the Newspaper Preservation Act, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edmondson, Matsunaga, Devine, Quillen, and Belcher. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Fulton of Tennessee, Friedel, Evins, Rhodes, and Lloyd.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 17.

MERCHANT MARINE ACT—PASSENGER VESSELS SAFETY STANDARDS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12605, amended, to amend section 613 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended; and H.R. 210, amended, to eliminate requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards.

WAGE BOARD EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on H.R. 8764, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage board employees. Testimony was heard from Hon.

Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Manpower and Reserve Affairs.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates held a hearing on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from J. Edward Day, president, Associated Third Class Mail Users.

Hearings continue Friday, September 12.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from representatives of American Federation of Government Employees and Air Traffic Control Association.

VETERANS' HOME LOANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13369, amended, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38 of the United States Code.

Thursday, September 11, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Representative Mikva; Betty Furness, National Committee on Tax Justice; Philip H. Willkie, Rural-Small Town-Small City Coalition, Inc.; Joel Barlow, National Machine Tool Builders Association, American Machine Tool Distributors Association, and National Tool, Die and Precision Machining Association; Charles W. Stewart, Machinery and Allied Products Institute; J. T. Higgins, American Textile Manufacturers Institute, Inc.; James B. Irvine, Association for Advanced Life Underwriting; Leonard Kust, Westinghouse Electric Corp.; Mrs. Caryl Terry, Parents Without Partners, Inc.; Miss Dorothy Shinder, Single Persons Tax Reform; Richard W. Edwards, Jr., Washington, D.C.; and Benjamin Botwinick, Metropolitan Taxicab Board of Trade, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee continued hearings regarding nutritional problems of the elderly, having as its witnesses Patricia Carter, Hudson Guild, New York City; Margaret Lehafeld, Lydia Rosso, and Sarah Keisler, all of Project Find, New York City; Duane West, Watts Labor Community Action Committee; and Constance McCarthy, Chief, Rhode Island Public Health and Nutrition Service.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 13742–13772; three private bills, H.R. 13773–13775; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 894–899, H. Con. Res. 332–338, and H. Res. 538–540, were introduced. **Pages 25181–25182**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13304, to provide for educational assistance for gifted and talented children (H. Rept. 91–485);

H.R. 13310, to provide for special programs for children with specific learning disabilities (H. Rept. 91–486); and

H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–487). **Page 25181**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Economic Development Problems of the Committee on Public Works received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 25125**

Electoral Reform: Concluded all general debate, and began reading for amendment, H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President, when the Committee of the Whole rose.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue on Monday, September 15. **Pages 25125–25166**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 17. **Page 25167**

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas, was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 25180**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program. Testimony was heard from Patrick B. Healey, executive

secretary, National Milk Producers Association, and Warren Hageman, vice president in charge of Pacific Coast Products, Del Monte Corp., representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings continue Tuesday, September 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13763, the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act for fiscal year 1970.

PROCUREMENT OF JUDGE ADVOCATES AND LAW SPECIALIST OFFICERS FOR THE ARMED FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on, and approved for full committee action, H.R. 4296, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the procurement and retention of judge advocates and law specialist officers for the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Representative Pirnie; Hon. Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Maj. Gen. Kenneth J. Hodson, USA, Judge Advocate General, Army; Rear Adm. Jos. B. McDevitt, USN, Judge Advocate General, Navy; Maj. Gen. Robert W. Manss, USAF, Judge Advocate General, AF; and Rear Adm. W. L. Morrison, General Counsel, USCG.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Vice Adm. William P. Mack, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, DOD; accompanied by L. Howard Bennett, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Civil Rights and Industrial Relations Division; Hon. William K. Brehm, Assistant Secretary of the Army, MRA; Vice Adm. C. K. Duncan, Chief of Naval Personnel, MRA; Dr. Curtis W. Tarr, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, MRA, accompanied by Dr. Theodore C. Marrs, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Reserve Affairs.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 12937, amended, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development.

INTERNATIONAL CLAIMS SETTLEMENT ACT—PAN AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY AUTHORIZATION—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11711, to amend section 510 of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 to extend the time within which the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission is required to complete its affairs in connection with the settlement of claims against the Government of Cuba; and H.J. Res. 746, amended, to amend the joint resolution authorizing appropriations for the payment by the United States of its share of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History.

The committee also continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill.

24TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session for briefing on the forthcoming 24th General Assembly of the United Nations by Hon. Charles W. Yost, U.S. representative to the United Nations.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—GRANT CONSOLIDATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on H.R. 7366, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act; and H.R. 10954, Grant Consolidation Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from James M. Beggs, Under Secretary of Transportation.

NETWORK NEWS PROGRAM

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session to consider production of a network news program.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing and heard testimony on private claims bills.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Economic Development Programs met in executive session to consider proposed survey of area redevelopment administration, accelerated public works, and EDA programs. No announcements were made.

Friday, September 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25233–25290

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2888–2895; and S.J. Res. 150.

Pages 25241–25242

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from the calendar and passed the following three bills:

Indian land: S. 227, authorizing loans to Indian tribes for acquisition of lands within its reservation, with amendments;

Employer contributions: S. 2068, to amend the Labor Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day-care centers, with an amendment (motion to reconsider tabled); and

Interest rates: S.J. Res. 149, extending for 3 months authority to limit interest rates or dividends payable on time and savings deposits and accounts.

Pages 25234, 25329–25331

Golden Eagle Program: Senator Harris entered a motion to reconsider the vote on Wednesday, September 10, of S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas, and requested that papers thereon be returned by the House of Representatives. Page 25237

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, taking action on amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: By 84 yeas to 0 nays, modified Mondale substitute amendment No. 146, further modified by Senator Stennis, to add a new section calling for comprehensive study by the Congress prior to April 30, 1970, of past and projected costs and effectiveness of attack aircraft carriers and their task forces, and a thorough review of considerations which went into decision to maintain the present number of attack carriers, the result of which study will be considered prior to authorizing production or procurement of nuclear aircraft carrier designated as CVAN–70.

Rejected: By a vote of 7 yeas to 75 nays, Mondale amendment No. 146 prohibiting expenditure of funds for production or procurement of nuclear aircraft carrier designated CVAN–69 until a comprehensive study (by April 30, 1970) of past and projected costs and effectiveness of attack aircraft carriers and their task forces may be made.

By a vote of 51 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Pastore motion to table modified Mondale substitute amendment No. 146, similar to that as described above.

Pending at adjournment was McGovern amendment No. 130, reducing by $80 million funds for Air Force research and development, test, and evaluation, and limiting to $20 million funds for such activities in connection with advanced manned strategic aircraft.

Pages 25290–25304, 25309–25335

Revised Budget Estimates: Senate received a letter from the President approving recommendations of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget to revise budget estimates for fiscal year 1970 upward by $1.452 billion. Page 25240

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Ozell M. Trask, of Arizona, John F. Kilkenny, of Oregon, and Eugene A. Wright, of Washington, each to be a U.S. circuit judge for the Ninth Circuit; six to be Ambassadors, as follows: Douglas MacArthur II, of the District of Columbia, to Iran, Robinson McIlvaine, of Pennsylvania, to the Republic of Kenya, Jack W. Lydman, of New York, to Malaysia, Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to Panama, Charles T. Cross, of California, to the Republic of Singapore, and Charles W. Adair, Jr., of Florida, to Uruguay; Charles W. Yost, of New York, William B. Buffum, of New York, Representative Fascell, of Florida, Representative Whalley, of Pennsylvania, and Shirley Temple Black, of California, all to be U.S. representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly; Christopher H. Phillips, of New York, Glenn A. Olds, of New York, Rita E. Hauser, of New York, William T. Coleman, of Pennsylvania, and Joseph E. Johnson, of New Jersey, all to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 24th session of the U.N. General Assembly; and Leonard E. Alderson, to be U.S. marshal for the western district of Wisconsin. Page 25337

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; L. Ralph Mecham, of Utah, to be Federal Cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission; seven judicial, four to be U.S. attorneys and three to be U.S. marshals; one Army in the rank of general; 20 Marine Corps in the rank of general; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps.

Pages 25336–25337

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MOBILE HOMES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings on S. 2740, authorizing FHA to insure loans financing mobile homes, and on the subject of mobile homes in general. Testimony was received from William B. Ross, Acting Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Mortgage Credit; Nathaniel Keith, president, National Housing Conference; John M. Martin, Mobile Homes Manufacturers Association, also representing Trailer Coach Association; and Burr Gray, president, Mobile Housing Association of America, Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 15.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Mortimer Caplin, the National Tax Equality Association; Rev. Homer Jolly, S.J., president, Loyola University; Robert E. McKenna, American

Business Association; William J. Lehrfeld, the National Fraternal Congress of America; Edwin Steers, Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America; George F. Kachlein, Jr., American Automobile Association; J. P. Janetatos, the National Club Association; Denvel D. Adams, the Disabled American Veterans; James W. Riddell, Volume Footwear Retailers of America, and Committee of Consumer Finance Companies; Walter Pozen, National Retail Merchants Association; and Robert E. Thomas, LP Gas Industry and MAPCO, Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 15.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on the following bills: S. 60, to create a catalog of Federal assistance programs; S. 2035, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs; and S. 2479, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969. Testimony was received from the following panel of witnesses representing the National Association of Counties: Clifford Tuck, National Association of County Redevelopment Coordinators, Shelby County, Tenn.; Mrs. Lois Blume, County Development Coordinator, Nassau County, N.Y.; Thomas Haga, National Association of County Planning Directors, Genesee County, Mich.; and Mrs. Ailene Lotz, County Development Coordinator, Dade County, Fla.; and the following panel of witnesses representing the Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the National Legislative Conference: W. Russell Arrington, president pro tempore, Illinois State Senate; and William S. James, president of the Maryland State Senate.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 17.

FTC

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings to receive the views of the Federal Trade Commission on practices and operations of their Commission. Testimony was received from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, and Philip Elman, A. Everette MacIntyre, James M. Nicholson, and Mary Gardiner Jones, members.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee held hearings on the nominations of George S. Ives, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Mediation Board, and Neil P. Spiers, of New York, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Ives was submitted by Senator Prouty, and in behalf of Mr. Spiers from Senator Javits.

PHS HOSPITAL CLOSINGS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings to receive testimony concerning the recent closing of Public Health Service hospitals in Detroit and Savannah, receiving testimony from Judge John B. Swainson, U.S. Circuit Court, Ninth Circuit; Representative Hagan; J. Curtis Lewis, mayor of Savannah; Hoyt Haddock and Earl Clark, Labor-Management Maritime Committee; O. William Moody, AFL–CIO Maritime Trades Department; and Col. George F. Meyer, Jr., Retired Officers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

REPORT ON FDA CONSUMER PROTECTION OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on the draft report from the study group on Food and Drug Administration consumer protection objectives and programs. Testimony was heard from Herbert L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, FDA.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877 and related bills, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of Second Class Mail Publications, Inc.

Hearings continue Monday, September 15.

CONGRESSIONAL SPACE MEDAL

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight held a hearing on H.R. 13435, to provide for a Congressional Space Medal. Testimony was heard from Paul G. Dembling, Deputy Associate Administrator and Vice Chairman, NASA.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC ENERGY LEGISLATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings on the following bills: H.R. 12697, to extend the AEC's compulsory patent licensing authority; S. 1878 and H.R. 9644, setting penalties for unauthorized dealings in nuclear material and manufacture of atomic weapons; and H.R. 9648, authorizing AEC to levy civil monetary penalties for violations of regulations, order, and license conditions. Testimony was received from Joseph F. Hennessey, General Counsel, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

DISASTER RELIEF

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6508, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969.

Monday, September 15, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25434–25463

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 2896. Page 25436

President's Communications: Senate received the following communications from the President:

(1) Letter transmitting an amendment to the budget in the amount of $8.38 million for the Department of the Interior to accelerate development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (with an accompanying paper)—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–33; and

(2) Letter transmitting amendments to the budget in the amount of $4.0 million in budget authority and $20 million in proposals not increasing budget authority, for the Department of HEW, Department of the Interior, and Civil Service Commission (with an accompanying paper)—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–34.

Pages 25435–25436

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, the pending amendment to which is McGovern amendment No. 130, reducing by $80 million funds for Air Force research and development, test, and evaluation, and limiting to $20 million funds for such activities in connection with advanced manned strategic aircraft.

Under unanimous-consent agreement, when the Senate meets at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, September 16, and after the prayer and approval of the Journal, debate will be limited on the pending amendment, the time to be equally divided and controlled by Senator Stennis and Senator McGovern, and the vote thereon to occur not later than 4 p.m.; also, Senator McGovern shall not lose the right to modify his amendment prior to vote thereon. Pages 25465–25478, 25479–25482

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: John P. Humes, of New York, to be Ambassador to Austria; Barrington D. Parker, of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Columbia; and sundry Navy nominations.

Pages 25482–25483

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Judge Homer Ferguson and Judge William Darden, both of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals; Robert F. Froehlke, Assistant Secretary of Defense, on funds for operation and maintenance for Defense agencies; Dr. Nathan Brodsky, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Education, on funds for overseas dependents schools; Thomas D. Moran, Jr., Deputy Comptroller, on funds for claims and contingencies of DOD; and LeRoy J. Spence, on funds for retired pay.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MOBILE HOMES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 2740, authorizing FHA to insure loans financing mobile homes, and on the subject of mobile homes in general. Testimony was received from Representative Brademas; James R. Price, National Homes Corporation, Lafayette, Ind.; Clarence R. Mitchell, NAACP; Peter W. Hughes, American Association of Retired Persons; Clay Cochran, Rural Housing Alliance; and John E. Jacobs, Washington Urban League.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank; Willis W. Alexander, president, American Bankers Association; Charles H. Ogilvie, National Association of Business Development Corporations; George C. Williams, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies; I. Shirley Tark and Arthur Roth, cochairmen of the Bankers Committee for Tax Equity; Edward P. Clark, Committee on Taxation, National Association of Mutual Savings Banks; George L. Bliss, Council of Mutual Savings Institutions; C. R. Mitchell, U.S. Savings and Loan

League; William J. McKeever, past president, National League of Insured Savings Associations, and president, Public Federal Savings and Loan Association; and Franklin Hardinge, Jr., California Savings and Loan League.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POPULATION GROWTH

Committee on Government Operations: Committee held hearings on S. 2701, to create a commission to study all aspects of population growth and the American future. Witnesses heard were James R. Schlesinger, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; Russell Train, Under Secretary of the Interior; Dr. Herman Philip Miller, Bureau of the Census; Philander Claxton, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Population Matters; Dr. Thomas Bryant, Office of Economic Opportunity; Dr. Glen E. Wegner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health Legislation; Dr. Alan F. Guttnacher, Planned Parenthood World Population, New York City; John D. Rockefeller III, New York, N.Y.; Phillip Hauser, Center for Population Research, University of Chicago; Dr. Sheldon Segal, the Population Council, New York City; and Rodney Shaw, United Methodist Church, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency began hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the runaway drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, and 2637), receiving testimony from John Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs; and John N. Mitchell, Attorney General of the United States.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 17.

NUTRITION AND THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee held hearings to receive testimony concerning the relationship between the administration's proposed welfare program and the present food stamp program. Witnesses heard were Secretary of HEW Robert H. Finch and Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 13776–13801; nine private bills, H.R. 13802–13810; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 900–902, H. Con. Res. 339, and H. Res. 541 and 542, were introduced. **Pages 25433–25434**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11711, to amend section 510 of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 to extend the time within which the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission is required to complete its affairs in connection with the settlement of claims against the Government of Cuba (H. Rept. 91–488);

H.J. Res. 746, to amend the joint resolution authorizing appropriations for the payment by the United States of its share of the expenses of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History, amended (H. Rept. 91–489); and

H.R. 11542, to promote the advancement of science and the education of scientists through a national program of institutional grants to the colleges and universities of United States (H. Rept. 91–490). **Page 25433**

Presidential Message—Child Health: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress a report on special project grants for health of school and preschool children—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. **Page 25340**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Fish and Wildlife of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 25341**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Park police age limits: S. 1686, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police; and

Indians: S. 1766 (in lieu of H.R. 9756), to provide for the disposition of a judgment recovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of Flathead Reservation, Mont., in paragraph 11, docket No. 50233, U.S. Court of Claims.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Court leave: H.R. 12979, to amend title 5, U.S.C., to revise, clarify, and extend the provisions relating to court leave for employees of the United States and the District of Columbia.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Indians: H.R. 4869, to further the economic advancement and general welfare of the Hopi Indian Tribe of the State of Arizona;

Indians: H.R. 9477, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation; and

National historic site: H.R. 7066, to provide for the establishment of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site. **Pages 25341–25348**

Bill Returned to Senate: Read a letter from the Secretary of the Senate requesting the return to the Senate the bill S. 2315, to restore the golden eagle program to

the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act. The House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from further consideration on the bill.

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Eisenhower Historic Site: Passed H.J. Res. 81, to provide for the development of the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg, Pa., amended. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S.J. Res. 26, a similar Senate resolution was passed in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of H.J. Res. 81, as passed. Pages 25349–25351

Student Loans: By a record vote of 322 yeas to 60 nays, with 3 voting "present," the House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 13194, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize Federal market adjustment payments to lenders with respect to insured student loans when necessary in the light of economic conditions, in order to assure that students will have reasonable access to such loans for financing their education (title amended).

Objection was heard to a motion to vacate this passage and pass S. 2721, a similar Senate bill, in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 13194 as passed. Pages 25351–25369

Astronaut Medals: Passed H.J. Res. 775, to authorize the President to award appropriate medals honoring those astronauts whose particular efforts and contributions to the welfare of the Nation and of mankind have been exceptionally meritorious (amended and sent to the Senate). Pages 25369–25372

Electoral Reform: Continued reading for amendment H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President. When the Committee of the Whole rose, the Dowdy substitute was pending. This substitute provides for a district plan under which a candidate gets one electoral vote for each congressional district he carries and two for each State. If a candidate gets less than a majority of the electoral vote, the decision goes to a joint session of Congress with each Member getting one vote.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 25372–25393

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 25432

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STRATEGIC MATERIALS AND MILITARY NEEDS FOR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power held an executive hearing on strategic materials and military needs for transportation. Testimony was heard from William N. Lawrence, Chief, Materials Policy Division, Office of Emergency Preparedness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Marine Corps witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EFFECTS OF POPULATION GROWTH ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources held a hearing on the effects of population growth on natural resources and environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HELIUM PROGRAM REVIEW

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on a review of the helium program. Testimony was heard from Hollis Dole and Harold Lipper, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Internal Security: Began hearings on H.R. 959, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett; J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney General for Internal Security, Department of Justice; Merrill T. Kelly, Deputy Director of Counter Intelligence and the Assistant Chief of Staff for Internal Security, U.S. Army; and Joseph Schiebel, assistant professor of Russian history and the director of the Russian studies program, Georgetown University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 754, amended, to amend section 19(e) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 to extend the period of time in which the Commission would report to Congress on results of its study of institutional investors. Testimony was heard from members of the Securities Exchange Commission.

REPORT ON FDA CONSUMER PROTECTION OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on the draft report from the Study Group on Food and Drug Administration Consumer Protection

Objectives and Programs. Further testimony was heard from Herbert L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, FDA.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

IMMIGRATION ASPECTS OF THE EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on immigration aspects of the exchange program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Harold Margulies, formerly with the American Medical Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER BANK ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 11707 and related bills, The Water Bank Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kleppe and Andrews and public witnesses.

BRIEFING ON FISHERY CONFERENCE IN BUENOS AIRES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation, together with members of the full committee and the Subcommittees on Inter-American Affairs and International Organizations and Movements of the Committee on Foreign Affairs met in executive session for briefing by representatives of the Department of State on the recent fishery conference held in Buenos Aires, Argentina, concerning the solution of mutual problems relating to fishing in the southeast Pacific.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877 and related bills, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National Newspaper Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25536–25574

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2897–2906. **Page 25539**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1479, increasing to $15,000 automatic insurance for members of the Armed Forces (S. Rept. 91–398);

S. 2003, to provide life insurance readjustment benefits to Vietnam-era veterans, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–399);

S. 1471, increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–400);

S. 1650, to provide that VA insurance policies provide double indemnity for death resulting from service-connected injuries or diseases while in a combat zone, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–401);

S. 2186, to provide dismemberment insurance coverage under servicemen's life insurance program, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–402);

H.R. 9526, providing that employer contributions do not have to be made under the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act for service performed for public international organizations (S. Rept. 91–403);

S. 2335, authorizing District of Columbia to enter into compact with other States for cooperation in the handling of juvenile delinquents, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–404);

S. 2601, to reorganize the courts of the District of Columbia, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–405); and

H.J. Res. 250, authorizing the President to proclaim September 17, 1969, "General von Steuben Memorial Day" in observance and commemoration of the birth of the general (S. Rept. 91–406). **Page 25539**

Bills Referred: H.R. 4869 was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, and H.R. 12979 was referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Pages 25536–25537**

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 7066, establishing William Howard Taft National Historic Site, was placed on the calendar. **Page 25537**

Astronaut Medals: Senate took from the desk and passed without amendment H.J. Res. 775, authorizing President to award appropriate medals honoring astronauts for exceptionally meritorious efforts in behalf of the Nation. **Page 25574**

Apollo 11 Astronauts: Senate attended a joint meeting with the House for the purpose of hearing an address by the Apollo 11 astronauts. **Pages 25536, 25577**

Von Steuben Memorial Day: Senate took from the desk and passed without amendment H.J. Res. 250, authorizing President to proclaim September 17, 1969, "General von Steuben Memorial Day" for observance and commemoration of the birth of the general. **Page 25601**

Student Loans: Senate took from the desk, passed, and returned to the House H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans (with an amendment which would strike language of this bill and substitute therefor language of S. 2721, related Senate bill, with title amended). **Page 25602**

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military

procurement, taking action on amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: By 85 yeas to 0 nays, modified Proxmire substitute amendment providing that no funds be available for payment of independent research and development in excess of $468 million, such limitation not to be applicable in the case of formally advertised contracts or to other firmly fixed price contracts competitively awarded; and

Rejected: By 32 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), McGovern amendment No. 130, reducing from $95 million to $20 million funds for research and development, test, and evaluation for the advanced manned strategic aircraft (AMSA).

Pending at adjournment was Cooper amendment to provide that support to local forces in Laos and Thailand be limited to the providing of supplies, material, equipment, and facilities, including maintenance thereof, and to the providing of training for such local forces.

Pages 25574–25608

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Henry J. Costanzo, of the District of Columbia, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank; two judicial, one to be U.S. attorney and one to be U.S. marshal; and one Air Force in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from the following witnesses: Rear Adm. Robert H. Weeks, Defense Communications Agency; Lt. Gen. Earl C. Hedlund, Defense Supply Agency; and William B. Petty, Defense Contract Audit Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SHOE MANUFACTURERS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business held hearings to receive testimony concerning problems of the small domestic shoe manufacturers, receiving testimony from Senator Smith; Representative Cleveland; Robert S. Lockbridge, chairman, accompanied by Mark E. Richardson, president, National Footwear Manufacturers Association; Maxwell Field, president, New England Footwear Association; and Richard Cohen, former owner and president, David Shoe Co., Lynn, Mass.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Robert W. Haack, president, New York Stock Exchange; Donald T. Regan, president, Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc., on behalf of the Association of Stock Exchange Firms; Roland M. Bixler, Tax Council; Dave Ehlers, Gibraltar Growth Fund, Inc.; Harley H. Hinrichs, associate professor of economics, U.S. Naval Academy and University of Maryland; Thomas L. Waterbury, professor of law, University of Minnesota; John Seath, International Telephone & Telegraph Corp.; John A. Cardon, Washington, D.C.; Leon O. Stock, Crown Textile Manufacturing Corp.; Arthur M. Wood, president, Sears, Roebuck & Co.; Raymond H. Giesecke, Council of Profit Sharing Industries; and William F. Drake and V. Henry Rothschild 2d, American Pension Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following nominations: Vincent de Roulet, of New York, to be Ambassador to Jamaica; Joseph S. Farland, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Pakistan; William E. Schaufele, Jr., of Ohio, to be Ambassador to Upper Volta; William C. Trueheart, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Nigeria; John Patrick Walsh, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Kuwait; and Robert H. B. Wade, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Committee also held hearings on the nominations of Joel Bernstein, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and Ernest Stern, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

GAO DEFENSE AUDITS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings to receive testimony as to the capability of the General Accounting Office to analyze and audit expenditures of the Defense Department, having as its witness Comptroller General Elmer B. Staats.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee began hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FTC

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued hearings to

receive views of the Federal Trade Commission on practices and operations of the Commission. Today's witness was Commissioner James M. Nicholson.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee approved for reporting the nominations of George S. Ives, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Mediation Board, and Neil P. Spiers, of New York, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2453, to further promote equal employment opportunities for American workers. Witnesses heard were Thomas E. Harris, associate general counsel, AFL–CIO; and Andreas C. Yslas, national legal adviser, American GI Forum.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty met in executive session to consider S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 13811–13827; three private bills, H.R. 13828–13830; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 903, H. Con. Res. 340–347, and H. Res. 543–546, were introduced. Pages 25649–25650

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 543, providing for the consideration of H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California (H. Rept. 91–491);

H. Res. 544, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality (H. Rept. 91–492);

H. Res. 545, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12884, to amend title 13, U.S.C., to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census (H. Rept. 91–943); and

H.J. Res. 224, to change the name of Pleasant Valley Canal, Calif., to Coalinga Canal (H. Rept. 91–494).

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Recess—Apollo 11 Astronauts: The Speaker called a recess at 12:03 p.m. to receive the Apollo 11 astronauts. Appointed, as escorts on the part of the House, Representatives Albert, Boggs, Hébert, Miller of California, Rodino, Gerald R. Ford, Arends, Fulton of Pennsylvania, and McCulloch. The House reconvened at 2:30 p.m. Pages 25609–25611

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 25611

Interest Rates, Dividends—Time Extension: Passed S.J. Res. 149, to extend for 3 months the authority to limit the rates of interest or dividends payable on time and savings deposits and accounts, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 25611–25612

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 85, 348, 83, and 728.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1695, 8904, 2458, 4634, 10356, and 11503.

Sent to the Senate amended: S. 757, H.R. 8694, 9910, S. 499, H.R. 2260, 2407, 11060, and 11890.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 9488, 1783, S. 564, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 2817, 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 3571, 10658, S. 267, 620, 632, 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 2477, 2963, 5000, 7567, 11500, 12089, 11968, 1782, and H. Res. 422. Pages 25612–25617

Private Bill: Cleared for the President H.R. 4658, a private bill, by concurring to the Senate amendment thereto. Page 25617

Electoral Reform: Continued reading for amendment H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President.

A motion to limit debate to 45 minutes on the pending Dowdy substitute and all amendments thereto was agreed to by a division vote of 31 yeas to 24 nays, when the Committee of the Whole rose.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 25618–25634

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Wednesday, September 24.

STRATEGIC MATERIALS AND MILITARY NEEDS FOR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power continued executive hearings on strategic materials and military needs for transportation. Testimony

was heard from Rear Adm. J. H. Maurer, Special Assistant for Strategic Mobility, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings continue Friday, September 19.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Representative Biaggi; and Maj. Howard L. Richey, 1st Lt. Allen Green, and 1st Lt. Robert C. Ogg from Camp LeJeune.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVILIAN ENCROACHMENT ON MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations held a hearing on growing civilian encroachment on military installations. Testimony was heard from Barry J. Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Installations and Logistics, and William H. Point, Real Property Management, DOD.

REGULATION OF EXPORTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4293, amended, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports.

HEALING ARTS PRACTICE ACT— TRANSFERS TO BLOOD BANK

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 10295, to amend the Healing Arts Practice Act, District of Columbia, 1928, regulating the practice of the healing art in the District of Columbia; and H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer by licensed blood banks in the District of Columbia of blood components within the District of Columbia. The committee also considered H.R. 664 but took no action on it.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued markup of H.R. 1047, coal mine safety.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of foreign aid legislation. No announcements were made.

BRIEFING ON CURRENT OKINAWAN SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for briefing on the current Okinawan situation by Hon. Armin H. Meyer, U.S. Ambassador to Japan, and Richard Lee Sneider, Special Assistant to the Ambassador for the Okinawan negotiations.

OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC). Testimony was heard from Hon. Herbert Salzman, Assistant Administrator, Office of Private Resources, Agency for International Development.

EFFECTS OF POPULATION GROWTH ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources continued hearings on the effects of population growth on natural resources and environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 6037, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Rosenthal, Dwyer, Matsunaga, Wydler, Patten, Koch and Mikva; also Dr. James Goddard, former Commissioner, FDA; and Esther Peterson, former Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

HELIUM PROGRAM REVIEW

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining continued hearings on review of the helium program. Testimony was heard from LeRoy Culbertson, vice president, natural gas and gasoline, Phillips Petroleum Co.; Thomas J. Milhaupt, vice president, marketing, Union Carbide Corp., Linde Division; and Alan Greenstan, Townsend & Greenstan, consultant.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on H.R. 959, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950. Testimony was heard from Elbridge Durbrow, former Ambassador to Vietnam.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

WATER CARRIER MIXING RULE— SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8298, amended, water carrier mixing

rule; and H.J. Res. 754, amended, to amend section 19(e) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 to extend the period of time in which the Commission would report to Congress on results of its study of institutional investors.

IMMIGRATION ASPECTS OF THE EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on immigration aspects of the exchange program. Testimony was heard from Dr. C. H. William Ruhe, director, Medical Education Division, American Medical Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

WATER BANK ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 11707 and related bills, the Water Bank Act. Further testimony was heard from Representative Andrews and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Zwach.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Agency and a National Advisory Committee on the Oceans and Atmosphere. Testimony was heard from Dr. Edward Wenk, Jr., Executive Secretary, National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development.

Hearings continue Thursday, September 18.

DESOLATION WILDERNESS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 850, designating the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California. After passage, insert House-passed language in S. 713. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspinall and Representative Saylor.

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 12549, to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality. After passage, insert House-passed language in S. 1075. Testimony was heard from Representatives Saylor, Dingell, and Pelly.

CONFIDENTIALITY OF CENSUS INFORMATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate and waiving points of order against lines 4 through 9 on page 5 of, H.R. 12884, to amend title 13, United States Code, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census. Testimony was heard from Representatives Charles H. Wilson and Derwinski.

AIRWAY USER CHARGES

Committee on Ways and Means: Began hearings on proposed airway user charges. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Transportation John A. Volpe; John H. Shaffer Administrator, FAA; and John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, CAB.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began a series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Nicholas Johnson, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission; and Stanley S. Surrey, Harvard Law School (formerly Assistant Secretary of the Treasury).

Hearings continue on Friday, September 19.

Wednesday, September 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25717–25781

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2907–2917; S. Res. 256–259; and S. Con. Res. 37. **Pages 25721, 25725–25726, 25793**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 246, to print additional copies of part 21 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (S. Rept. 91–407);

S. Res. 247, to print additional copies of part 22 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (S. Rept. 91–408);

S. Res. 248, to print additional copies of part 23 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (S. Rept. 91–409);

S. Res. 250, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Economics of Aging" (S. Rept. 91–410);

S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, with individual views (S. Rept. 91–411);

H. Con. Res. 193, to print additional copies of a revised

edition of "The Capitol," with amendments (S. Rept. 91-412);

H. Con. Res. 309, to print a listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study, with amendments (S. Rept. 91-413);

H.R. 11039, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal 1970, with amendments (S. Rept. 91-414); and

S. Res. 258 and 259, providing for payment of gratuities for survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written reports). Page 25721, 25726

Bills Referred: Sundry House-passed bills were referred to appropriate Senate committees. Page 25781

Committee Assignments: Senate adopted S. Res. 256, making changes in assignments to committees as follows:

Senator Bellmon—off Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, on Committee on Agriculture and Forestry;

Senator Cook—off Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, on Committee on Commerce;

Senator Hansen—off Committee on Commerce, on Committee on Finance;

Senator Griffin—off Committee on Government Operations, on Committee on the Judiciary; and

Senator Mathias—off Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences, on Committee on Government Operations. Page 25792

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, adopting additional amendments thereto as follows:

By 86 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cooper amendment No. 165, to provide that support to local forces in Laos and Thailand be limited, except where protection of U.S. personnel is directly concerned, to the providing of supplies, material, equipment, and facilities, including maintenance thereof, and the providing of training for such local forces; and by voice vote, Miller amendment to Cooper amendment No. 165, adding above language which provided exception "where protection of U.S. personnel is directly concerned";

By 85 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Proxmire amendment No. 163 authorizing and directing Comptroller General to conduct a study and review on profits made by Defense contractors and subcontractors on contracts on which there is no formally advertised competitive bidding, and to submit report thereon to the Congress no later than December 31, 1970; and

By 71 yeas to 10 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cook amendment setting troop level for U.S. Armed Forces at 3,461,000, and to reduce that level by the same number of troops which are withdrawn from Vietnam after July 1, 1969.

Pending at adjournment was Hartke amendment No. 164, calling for a study of requirements to be fulfilled by future carrier-borne aircraft and the projected capability of the F-14-type aircraft to fulfill these requirements, results of such study to be considered prior to authorizing funds therefor. Under unanimous-consent agreement, at the close of routine morning business on Thursday, September 18, debate will be limited on the pending amendment to 2 hours, to be equally divided and controlled by Senator Hartke and Senator Stennis. Pages 25793–25809

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: George S. Ives, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Mediation Board; Neil P. Spiers, of New York, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; five to be Ambassadors as follows: Vincent de Roulet, of New York, to Jamaica, John Patrick Walsh, of Illinois, to Kuwait, William C. Trueheart, of Florida, to Nigeria, Joseph S. Farland, of the District of Columbia, to Pakistan, and William E. Schaufele, Jr., of Ohio, to Upper Volta; Robert H. B. Wade, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and two judicial nominations to be U.S. attorneys. Page 25811

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be U.S. representative to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; Verne B. Lewis, of Maryland, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, Henry DeWolf Smyth, of New Jersey, and Theos J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, all to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; Idar Rimestad, of North Dakota, to be U.S. representative to the European Office of the U.N., with the rank of Ambassador; William B. Macomber, Jr., of New York, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State; Francis G. Meyer, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; Dean Burch, of Arizona, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission; Robert Wells, of Kansas, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission; James V. Day, of Maine, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner; Isabel A. Burgess, of Arizona, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board; and two judicial, one to be U.S. attorney and one to be U.S. marshal. Page 25811

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 858, authorizing increased wheat acreage allotments for privately owned irrigable farms in the area of

Tulelake division of the Klamath project, California (amended);

S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act (amended);

S. 2214, to exclude potatoes for all types of processing from provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act (amended);

S. 2226, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with regard to appointment of review committee members;

S. 55, private bill (relating to certain land in Apache National Forest, Ariz.);

S. 2832, to defer for 1 year payment of inverse wheat export subsidies for 1968 to producers; and

The nomination of Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Committee also approved 10 watershed projects.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from the following witnesses: Vice Adm. Lloyd M. Mustin, Defense Atomic Support Agency; Rear Adm. Donald M. Showers, Acting Director, Defense Intelligence Agency; and Dr. Donald M. MacArthur, Deputy Director of Research and Technology, on funds for biological and chemical warfare.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

SHOE MANUFACTURERS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business continued hearings to receive testimony concerning problems of the small domestic shoe manufacturers, receiving testimony from Noel Hemmendinger, American Importers Association; George O. Fecteau, general president, United Shoe Workers of America; John E. Mara, general president, Boot & Shoe Workers Union; Irving R. Glass, Tanners Council of America, whose statement was presented by Herbert Miller; and Arthur A. DeSantis, Italy-America Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

"SORED" HORSES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment held hearings on S. 2543, to prohibit the movement in interstate and foreign commerce of "sored" Tennessee walking horses whose hoofs have been rendered sore by certain type treatments in order to induce exaggerated gait. Witnesses heard were Frank J. Mulhern, Agriculture Research Service, Department of Agriculture; John Seigenthaler, editor, accompanied by Wendell Rawls, Jr., sportswriter, both of the Nashville Tennessean, H. Karl Yenser, American Horse Shows Association and American Walking Horse Association; Jack Short, National Walking Horse Trainers Association; Mrs. Pearl Twyne, American Horse Protection Association; Miss Alice Harrington, Committee on Humane Legislation, New York; Frank J. McMahon, Humane Society of the United States; Mrs. Christine Stevens, Animal Welfare Institute; and Dr. William Porter, veterinarian of Virginia.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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D.C. REVENUE, AND HOME RULE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969; S. 2164, to establish a Commission on Government for the District of Columbia; and without amendment S. 2163, to establish in the House of Representatives the Office of the Delegate from the District of Columbia.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Daniel E. Rinehart, of Maryland, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; and William H. Quealy, of Virginia, to be a judge of the U.S. Tax Court.

Committee also considered H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act, but made no announcements and will meet again on Friday, September 19.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Senator Javits; John D. Rockefeller III, New York City; Dr. Ernest L. Wilkinson, president, Brigham Young University; Dr. Roland C. Matthies, Committee on Gift Annuities; William P. Thompson, National Council of the Churches of Christ; William R. Consedine, U.S. Catholic Conference; Leonard S. Silk, National Assembly for Social Policy and Development, Inc.; Walter H. Wheeler, Jr., Pitney-Bowes, Inc., on behalf of the United Community Funds and Councils of America; Kyran M. McGrath, American Association of Museums; Perry T. Rathbone, Association of Art Museum Directors; H. Stewart Dunn, Jr., Longworth Foundation, Inc.; John J. Schwartz, American Association Fund-Raising Counsel, Inc.; W. Lloyd Tupling, Sierra Club; and Bronson P. Clark, American Friends Service Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee approved the nominations of Joel Bernstein, of Illinois, and Ernest Stern, of the District of Columbia, each to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

BRAZIL

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Ambassador to Brazil, C. Burke Elbrick.

GAO DEFENSE AUDITS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings to receive testimony as to the capability of the General Accounting Office to analyze and audit expenditures of the Department of Defense, having as its witnesses Senator Cranston, Senator Schweiker, and Senator Case.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on the following bills: S. 60, to create a catalog of Federal assistance programs; S. 2035, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs; and S. 2479, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Senator Boggs; Representative Roth; Wayne S. McGown, National Association of State Budget Officers; Louis L. Goldstein, comptroller of the State of Maryland; and Frank N. Zullo, mayor of Norwalk, Conn., representing the National League of Cities, and U.S. Conference of Mayors.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration H.R. 11609, authorizing construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C., prior to which action, in open session, testimony thereon was received from Dr. Leslie L. Glasglow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, receiving further testimony from the nominee; and John P. Frank, an attorney of Phoenix.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the runaway drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Dr. Stanley Yolles, Director, and Dr. Sidney Cohen, Director, Division of Narcotic Addiction and Drug Abuse, both of the National Institute of Mental Health.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUST FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 1369, permitting employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products, and S. 1370, permitting employer contributions for a joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective-bargaining agreements. Testimony was received from Walter Mason, building and construction trades; Anthony A. Benintend, Associated General Contractors; Harry P. Taylor, Associated General Contractors, Philadelphia; Henry Berger, National Association of Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors; and Joseph B. Whatley, Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors' National Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty met in executive session to consider S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, but did not conclude action thereon and adjourned until Friday, September 19.

FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings to receive testimony as to the need for additional dams in the Potomac River Basin for flood control, water supply, and recreation; the flood problem in the Four Mile Creek Basin in Arlandria, Va.; and flooding in areas of West Virginia and in the James River Basin, Va., due to Hurricane Camille. Testimony was received from Brig. Gen. Richard H. Groves, Deputy Director of Civil Works, who was accompanied by other officials of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Testimony was received from local witnesses as follows:

Four Mile Run, Arlandria, Va.—Mayor Charles E. Beatley, Jr., of Alexandria; Virginia State Senator Henry Howell, and other local witnesses; and

Potomac River Basin—Senators Tydings and Mathias; Representative Gude; and numerous local witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow on flooding in the James River Basin and needed flood control improvements in the Souris River in North Dakota.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. Res. 246, 247, and 248, to print additional copies of parts 21, 22, and 23, respectively, of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

S. Res. 250, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Economics of Aging";

H. Con. Res. 309, to print a listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study (amended);

H. Con. Res. 193, to print additional copies of a revised edition of "The Capitol" (amended); and

Two original resolutions (S. Res. 258 and 259) providing for payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 13831–13865; four private bills, H.R. 13866–13869; and 23 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 348–365 and H. Res. 547–551, were introduced. Pages 25929–25931

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 6508, to provide assistance to the State of California for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent storms, floods, and high waters (H. Rept. 91–495). Page 25929

Student Loans: Disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 13194, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize Federal market adjustment payments to lenders with respect to insured student loans when necessary in the light of economic conditions, in order to assure that students will have reasonable access to such loans for financing their education, and ask for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Green of Oregon, Brademas, Carey, Hathaway, Burton of California, Thompson of New Jersey, Scheuer, Stokes, Clay, Ayres, Quie, Reid of New York, Erlenborn, Esch, Dellenback, Scherle, and Steiger of Wisconsin. Page 25815

Electoral Reform: Continued reading for amendment H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President.

By a teller vote of 159 yeas to 192 nays, rejected the Dowdy substitute, which provided for a district plan under which a candidate gets one electoral vote for each congressional district he carries and two for each State. If a candidate gets less than a majority of the electoral vote, the decision goes to a joint session of Congress with each Member casting one vote.

Rejected the Eckhardt substitute, which provided that electors are mandated to ballot for the candidate receiving the largest vote in their State. If no candidate had a majority, Congress would select the two highest contenders and the procedure would be the same as in the district plan (rejected by a teller vote of 64 yeas to 98 nays).

By a teller vote of 147 yeas to 179 nays, rejected the Poff substitute, which proposed a proportional plan, under which the electoral vote of a State would be divided among the candidates in proportion to their share of the popular vote. In the event of no electoral vote majority, the decision would go to a joint session of Congress, with the choice being between the two highest contenders, each Member having one vote. Prior to the teller vote, a perfecting amendment to the substitute was agreed to.

Rejected the Wylie substitute by a voice vote. This substitute would incorporate the winner-take-all plan, the district plan, the proportional plan, and the direct popular vote plan, and incorporate these plans into one package and allow the States to select the plan of their choice.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 25815–25838

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PERISHABLE AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 9857, to amend the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act.

FEDERAL SEED ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1836, to amend the Federal Seed Act.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Col. J. W. Downie, Chief, Counter Intelligence, Department of the Army; Capt. J. Q. Edwards, Deputy Director, Naval Investigative Service Headquarters, Department of the Army; and Charles A. Russell, Chief, Analysis and Dissemination, Counter Intelligence, Department of the Air Force.

CRIME CONTROL AND COURT REFORM

Select Committee on Crime: Held a hearing on recommendations for crime control and prevention and suggestions for court reform. Testimony was heard from New York City Representatives Murphy, Scheuer, Podell, and Chisholm.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued mark-up of H.R. 1047, coal mine safety. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 6037, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs. Testimony was heard from Representative Halpern; Joseph A. Califano, Jr., former Special Assistant to the President; Louis J. Lefkowitz, attorney general, New York; Rodney Leonard, former Administrator, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; William G. Kaye, former Executive Director, President's Commission on Consumer Interests, and Miss Helen Nelson, Illinois Federation of Consumers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NETWORK NEWS PROGRAM

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session for continued investigation concerning the production of a network news program.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

VETERANS' INSURANCE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Insurance concluded a hearing on pending insurance bills. Testimony was heard from Edward Golembieski, director, National Rehabilitation Committee, American Legion; Francis W. Stover, director, National Legislative Service, VFW; and William Gardiner, assistant director, National Legislative Service, DAV.

AIRWAY USER CHARGES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposed airway user charges. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26057–26137

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2918–2930; S.J. Res. 151 and 152; and S. Res. 260. **Pages 26100–26101**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 55, private bill (S. Rept. 91–415);

S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–416);

S. 858, authorizing increased wheat acreage allotments for privately owned irrigable farms in the area of Tulelake division of the Klamath project, California, with amendments. (S. Rept. 91–417);

S. 2214, to exclude potatoes for all types of processing from provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–418);

S.J. Res. 152, providing a 90-day extension of housing laws which expire on October 1, 1969 (S. Rept. 91–419); and

H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–420). **Pages 26100–26101**

Swearing In of Senator: Oath of office was taken by Senator Ralph T. Smith, who was appointed to serve the unexpired term of the late Senator Dirksen until the election of a Senator to fill such vacancy in the next general election. **Page 26056**

Committee Assignments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 260, assigning Senator Smith of Illinois to serve on the Committees on Aeronautical and Space Sciences and Labor and Public Welfare. **Pages 26056–26057**

Disaster Relief: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 6508, proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969. **Pages 26089–26100**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 17 measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C. employer contributions: H.R. 9526, providing that employer contributions do not have to be made under the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act for service performed for public international organizations.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Printing: H. Con. Res. 193, to print additional copies of a revised edition of "The Capitol"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 309, to print a listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

GI life insurance: S. 1479, increasing to $15,000 automatic insurance for members of the Armed Forces.

With amendment and cleared for House:

NSF authorizations: S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970;

Vietnam veterans insurance: S. 2003, to provide life insurance readjustment benefits to Vietnam-era veterans;

Veterans' dependents: S. 1471, increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans;

Veterans double indemnity insurance: S. 1650, to provide that VA insurance policies provide double indemnity for death resulting from service-connected injuries or diseases while in a combat zone;

GI dismemberment insurance: S. 2186, to provide dismemberment insurance coverage under servicemen's life insurance program;

D.C. court reorganization: S. 2601, to reorganize the courts of the District of Columbia; and

D.C. juvenile compact: S. 2335, authorizing District of Columbia to enter into compact with other States for cooperation in the handling of juvenile delinquents.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Gratuity: S. Res. 258, providing payment of gratuity to survivor of deceased Senate employee;

Gratuity: S. Res. 259, providing payment of gratuity to survivor of deceased Senate employee;

Printing: S. Res. 246, to print additional copies of part 21 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

Printing: S. Res. 247, to print additional copies of part 22 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

Printing: S. Res. 248, to print additional copies of part 23 of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders"; and

Printing: S. Res. 250, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Economics of Aging."

Pages 26057–26082

Military Procurement: By a vote of 81 yeas to 5 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, prior to which action it rejected the following amendments:

By 63 yeas to 23 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cannon motion to table substitute Hartke amendment No. 164, calling for study of requirements to be fulfilled by future carrier-borne aircraft and projected costs of the F–14-type aircraft and its capabilities to meet such requirements, the results of which study shall be considered prior to funding for production or procurement of F–14-type aircraft; and

By 22 yeas to 63 nays, Brooke amendment No. 167, which would have created 15-member Commission on National Security Policy to make a full and complete study of national security policy and programs, and reporting its recommendations to the President and the Congress not later than December 31, 1970.

Unanimous consent was obtained to authorize the Secretary of the Senate to make technical and clerical corrections in the engrossment of S. 2546, and that the bill be printed as passed.

Pages 26138–26159, 26165–26188

Authority To Sit: By unanimous consent, Committee on Finance was authorized to sit during the session of the Senate on Friday, September 19. Page 26173

NASA Authorizations: Senate made its pending business H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, adopting by a voice vote, Proxmire amendment (to the committee substitute amendment) requiring certain information to be disclosed by certain former employees (grade GS–15 and above) of NASA who are employed by aerospace contractors doing $10 million or more business annually with NASA. Pages 26173, 26188

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Joel Bernstein, of Illinois, and Ernest Stern, of the District of Columbia, each to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and Thomas K. Cowden, of Michigan, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation. Page 26200

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the Senate with amendments H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $1,544,819,900, an increase of $4,635,200 over the House-passed figure of $1,540,184,700. Budget estimates on this bill totaled $1,569,454,500.

NOMINATION, AND HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of A. Sydney Herlong, Jr., of Florida, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission; and an original joint resolution (S.J. Res. 152) providing a 90-day extension of certain housing laws which expire on October 1, 1969.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senators Holland and Gurney appeared in support of the nomination of Mr. Herlong.

MORTGAGE CREDIT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions met in executive session and

agreed to recommend S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, to the full committee with amendments.

D.C. CRIMINAL LAWS AND PROCEDURES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on S. 2602, proposed D.C. Public Defender Act of 1969, and S. 2869, to revise the criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses Donald Santarelli, Associate Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Thomas A. Flannery, U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia; Charles Duncan, Acting D.C. Public Safety Director; and Gilbert Hahn, Jr., Chairman, D.C. City Council.

Hearings continue on Thursday, September 25.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Logan Wilson, American Council on Education; Herman L. Trautman, professor of law, Vanderbilt University; T. W. Van Arsdale, Federation of Independent Colleges and Universities; Clarence Schaps, executive vice president, Tulane University; Miss Susan Thompson, Lutheran Council in the U.S.A.; Dr. Eugene Stockstill, the Association of Independent Colleges in Virginia; Louis J. Fox, Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, Inc.; George H. Heyman, Jr., Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of New York; Donald A. McCormack, National Parks Association; C. Stanley Lowell, Americans United for Separation of Church and State; Glen McDaniel, Litton Industries, Inc.; Howard M. Lee, Employee Relocation Real Estate Advisory Council; and Wilbur Cohen, University of Michigan, and former Secretary of HEW.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 22.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, receiving testimony from Judge Lawrence E. Walsh, New York City; and George Meany, president, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the runaway drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Dr. Henry Brill, American Medical Association Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse; Mayor Hugh Curran of Bridgeport, Conn.; Judge Samuel Tedesco, Superior Court, Bridgeport, Conn.; and Mayor Bruno Giordiano, of Stamford, Conn.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 24.

NARCOTICS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics resumed hearings on bills designed to reduce the problem of narcotics and drug abuse (S. 2608 and S. 1816), with testimony from John E. Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Department of Justice; Dr. Helen Nowlis, professor of psychology, University of Rochester; Judge Charles W. Halleck, District of Columbia court of general sessions; Dr. Henry Brill, American Medical Association Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence; and Dr. James Goddard, Electronic Data Processing Technology, Inc., Atlanta.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on flooding in the James River Basin, Va., due to Hurricane Camille, receiving testimony from Representative Broyhill of Virginia; Mills E. Godwin, Jr., Governor of Virginia, who was accompanied by several heads of departments of the government of Virginia; Mayor Phil J. Bagley, Jr., of Richmond; and numerous other public witnesses.

Subcommittee also held hearings to receive testimony as to the need of flood control improvements in the Souris River Basin, N. Dak., with testimony from Senator Burdick; and Col. F. E. Anderson, Assistant Director of Civil Works for Central Divisions, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 13870–13891; eight private bills, H.R. 13892–13899; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 904–908, H. Con. Res. 366 and 367, and H. Res. 552 and 553, were introduced. **Pages 26055–26056**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Postal Systems of the U.S. Armed Forces—San Francisco Critique" (H. Rept. 91–496); and

Conference report on H.R. 11582, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independ-

ent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–497). Page 26055

Electoral Reform: By a record vote of 338 yeas to 70 nays, the House passed H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President.

Rejected a motion to recommit the measure to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report it back forthwith, incorporating the "district plan" (rejected by a record vote of 162 yeas to 246 nays).

Agreed to an amendment that adds the word "inability" to the phrase "death or withdrawal" in the proviso that Congress may by law provide, regarding candidates or President-elect or Vice-President-elect.

While in the Committee of the Whole, rejected the following:

An amendment that sought to raise the plurality necessary for election from 40 percent to 45 percent (rejected by a teller vote of 67 yeas to 87 nays);

A substitute to the previous amendment that sought to raise the plurality from 40 percent to 50 percent (rejected by a teller vote of 71 yeas to 91 nays);

An amendment that provided this constitutional amendment be submitted to State ratifying commissions in lieu of State legislatures (rejected by a division vote of 9 yeas to 63 nays);

An amendment that would provide for congressional control over voter eligibility in the States;

A substitute to the previous amendment that would leave to Congress the prerogative to establish uniform voter qualifications;

An amendment that provided if no pair of candidates received a 40-percent plurality, the decision would go to a joint session of Congress, with the choice being between the two highest contenders;

A point of order was sustained against an amendment dealing with redistricting;

An amendment that would transfer from the States to Congress control over times, places, and manner of holding elections and entitlement to inclusion on the ballot;

An amendment that proposed, for a run-off situation, that each State would ballot according to the number of of congressional seats, this would then be totaled proportionately;

An amendment that would prohibit candidates for President and Vice President to come from the same State; and

An amendment that would provide for a separate vote for President and Vice President. Pages 25966–26008

California Disaster Act: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 6508, to provide additional assistance for the reconstruction of areas damaged by major disasters, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 26010

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NAVY MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 8662, to authorize command of the U.S.S. *Constitution* (IX–21) by retired officers of the U.S. Navy. Testimony was heard from Capt. T. E. Bass, Director, Officer Distribution Division, Bureau of Naval Personnel;

H.R. 8664, to authorize an increase in the number of flag officers who may serve on certain selection boards in the Navy and in the number of officers of the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve who are eligible to serve on selection boards considering Reserves for promotion. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. D. W. Cooper, USN, Assistant Chief for Personnel Control, Bureau of Naval Personnel;

H.R. 9564, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band; and

H.R. 10317 amended, to adjust the rank of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Jonas M. Platt, Assistant Chief of Staff G–1, U.S. Marine Corps.

FEDERAL PROPERTY TRANSFER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 7618 amended, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the Federal Government to the Board of Public Information, Okaloosa County, Fla. Testimony was heard from Representative Sikes and Department of the Air Force witnesses.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 13827, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1969.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

CRIME CONTROL AND COURT REFORM

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on recommendations for crime control and prevention and suggestions for court reform. Testimony was heard from retired U.S. Supreme Court Justice Tom Clark and District Juvenile Court Judge Orman W. Ketcham.

Further hearings will be held in various other cities.

CHANCERY SITE AUTHORIZATION—EYE PROTECTIVE DEVICES IN SCHOOLS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 8656, to authorize a chancery site; and H.R. 9528, eye protective devices in schools. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses on H.R. 8656, and from the National Society for Prevention of Blindness and D.C. government and school officials on H.R. 9528.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 1047, coal mine safety.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of foreign aid bill.

Committee to continue Tuesday, September 23.

BRIEFING ON KOREA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for briefing on Korea by Hon. William J. Porter, U.S. Ambassador to Korea.

OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC). Testimony was heard from Hon. Herbert Salzman, Assistant Administrator, Office of Private Resources, AID; and Prof. Jack Behrman, University of North Carolina.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 6037, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolff; Hon. Wilbur J. Cohen, former Secretary of HEW; Ralph Nader, Esq.; David Swankin, Washington representative of Consumers' Union, and Edward Berlin, Esq., representing Consumers' Federation of America.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INDIAN LEGISLATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 3247 and S. 73, to amend the act of December 11, 1963 (Rosebud Sioux Tribe); H.R. 4226 and S. 921, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation; and H.R. 3334, H.R. 4821, and S. 74, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota. Testimony was heard from Representatives Berry and Foreman; Louis Bruce, Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 12374 and H.R. 12780, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue Tuesday, September 23.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony on private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

HUNTER SAFETY—WILDLIFE AND FISH RESTORATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held hearings on H.R. 1048, to amend the act of September 2, 1967, to provide for a program of Federal financial assistance to establish hunter safety programs in the several States; and H.R. 12475, to revise and clarify the Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act and the Federal Aid in Fish Restoration Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Agency and a National Advisory Committee on the Oceans and Atmosphere. Testimony was heard from James M. Beggs, Under Secretary of Transportation.

Hearings continue Tuesday, September 23.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session to consider postal reform. The committee ordered reported a report entitled "Postal Systems of the U.S. Armed Forces—San Francisco Critique."

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AIRWAY USER CHARGES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposed airway user charges. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY, POST OFFICE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26263–26310

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2931–2939; S.J. Res. 153; and S. Res. 261. Pages 26266, 26276

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 681, proposing an amendment to the Constitution relating to the election of the President and Vice President, was referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Page 26314

Peace Corps Authorizations: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendments H.R. 11039, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970. Senate insisted on its amendments and asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Gore, Aiken, and Mundt.

Subsequently, Senator Javits entered motion to reconsider vote on passage of this bill. Pages 26242–26245

NASA Authorizations: After adopting committee substitute, as amended, Senate, by voice vote, passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Prior to passage, Senate rejected the following amendments thereto: (1) modified Yarborough amendment increasing authorizations by approximately $222 million; and (2) Yarborough amendment increasing authorizations by approximately $116 million.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Anderson, Holland, Cannon, Mrs. Smith of Maine, and Curtis.

Unanimous consent was obtained to authorize the Secretary of the Senate to make technical and clerical corrections in engrossment of H.R. 11271, and that the bill be printed as passed. Pages 26310–26333, 26335

Appropriations—Interior: Senate took up H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior. Pages 26335–26336

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 11582, fiscal 1970 appropriations, for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, thus clearing the bill for the President. Pages 26337–26339

Student Loans: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans, and agreed to conference with the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pell, Yarborough, Randolph, Williams (New Jersey), Kennedy, Mondale, Eagleton, Prouty, Javits, Dominick, and Schweiker. Page 26339

Vice Presidential Appointments: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, made the following appointments:

Senators Pastore and Aiken, to attend the 13th session, General Conference of International Atomic Energy Agency, to be held at Vienna, Austria, September 23–29, 1969;

Senators Sparkman, chairman, Stennis, Byrd of West Virginia, Pell, McIntyre, Spong, Eagleton, Mundt, Javits, Cooper, Gurney, and Stevens, to attend the North Atlantic Assembly, to be held at Brussels, Belgium, on October 16–21, 1969;

Senators Nelson and Miller, to attend the 15th session of the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization, to be held at Rome, Italy, convening November 8, 1969;

Senator Young of Ohio, to attend the 13th session, International Lead and Zinc Study Group, to be held at Geneva, Switzerland, convening October 6, 1969;

Senators Pell and Javits, to attend the Development Assistance Committee Parliamentarians Conference of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), to be held at Paris, France, on October 23–24, 1969;

Senators Fulbright and Aiken, as advisers, and Senators Sparkman, Talmadge, Byrd of Virginia, Williams of Delaware, Javits, and Cooper, as observers, to attend the annual meetings of the Board of Governors of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund, to be held at Washington, D.C., September 29 to October 3, 1969;

Senators Sparkman, chairman, Jordan of North Carolina, Yarborough, Bayh, Hollings, Metcalf, Williams of New Jersey, Allott, Thurmond, Scott, Hruska, Hansen,

Cooper, Bennett, and Mathias, to attend the meeting of the Interparliamentary Union, at New Delhi, India, to be held October 20 through November 7, 1969; and

The same Senators to serve as an official Senate delegation to respond to invitations officially received from foreign governments or parliamentary bodies, to visit in their countries while proceeding to and from New Delhi, with Senator Sparkman serving as chairman.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of A. Sydney Herlong, of Florida, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission; and William H. Quealy, of Virginia, to be a judge of the Tax Court of the United States. Page 26350

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Ernest V. Siracusa, of California, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; and Eugene A. Gulledge, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development. Page 26350

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM HEARINGS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee announced that it will hold hearings on September 29 and 30 on pending legislation dealing with school lunch program (H.R. 515, 11651, S. 2152, and 2548).

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7311, revising tariff schedules to provide that the rate of duty on parts of stethoscopes be the same as the rate on stethoscopes (amended to repeal the investment tax credit); and H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act (amended to include text of S. 2718, to modify ammunition recordkeeping requirements).

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, receiving testimony from John Bolt Culbertson, attorney, Greenville, S.C.; and Louis B. Fine, attorney, Norfolk, Va.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 23.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1809, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act.

Full committee will meet in executive session to consider this bill on Tuesday, September 23.

NARCOTICS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics continued hearings on bills designed to reduce the problem of narcotics and drug abuse (S. 2608 and S. 1816), with testimony from Creed C. Black, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Legislation; Dr. Daniel Freedman, University of Chicago School of Medicine, representing American Psychiatric Association; Dr. Richard Brotman, professor of psychiatry, New York Medical College; Dr. Dana Farnsworth, professor of hygiene, Harvard University; and Neil L. Chayet, assistant professor of legal medicine, Boston University.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 13900–13916; two private bills, H.R. 13917 and 13918; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 909, H. Con. Res. 368–371, and H. Res. 554, were introduced. Page 26414

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11582, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Receded and concurred with an amendment to Senate amendment No. 7. Pages 26351–26354

Legislative Branch Appropriations: By a record vote of 178 yeas to 94 nays, the House passed H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations by a voice vote.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to hike appropriations for compiling precedents of the House of Representatives from $13,210 to $50,000 (rejected by a division vote of 17 yeas to 59 nays);

An amendment that sought to add $325,000 in funds for the hire of student interns (rejected by a teller vote of 71 yeas to 77 nays);

An amendment that sought to reduce by $1.9 million, funds for extension of the Capitol, the remaining $100,000 to be used for an independent engineering study on the possibility of repair of the west front of the Capitol building (rejected by a division vote of 59 yeas to 92 nays); and

An amendment designed to remove the funding for the proposed James Madison Memorial Building (rejected by a division vote of 22 yeas to 103 nays).

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 24. Page 26392

Referrals: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 26414

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON MERCHANT MARINE AND NSTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Sea Power met for briefing by Robert A. Carl, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary of the Navy, on the background of the merchant marine and NSTS.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13827, amended, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1969.

TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on transportation of hazardous materials. Testimony was heard from Representatives Culver and McCarthy and Secretary of Transportation John A. Volpe.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INDIAN LEGISLATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued hearings on various Indian bills and approved for full committee action H.R. 3334, amended, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota; H.R. 4226, amended, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation; H.R. 9424, amended, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna; and S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.

FDA CONSUMER PROTECTION OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on the draft report from the study group on Food and Drug Administration consumer protection objectives and programs. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HUNTER SAFETY—WILDLIFE AND FISH RESTORATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 1048, to amend the act of September 2, 1967, to provide for a program of Federal financial assistance to establish hunter safety programs in the several States; and H.R. 12475, to revise and clarify the Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act and the Federal Aid in Fish Restoration Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877 and related bills, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Photographic Society of America and Agricultural Publishers Association.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 24.

AIRWAY USER CHARGES

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on proposed airway user taxes. Testimony was heard from Thomas S. Miles, president, National Air Transportation Conference, and Harold Hammond, president, Transportation Association of America.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Charles J. Zwick, formerly Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Lee C. White, formerly Commissioner, Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 22.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26488–26517

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2940–2947; S.J. Res. 154; and S. Res. 262. Pages 26476–26478

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2226, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with regard to

appointment of review committee members, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–421). Page 26476

Bill Referred: H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 26474

Hazardous Toys: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Moss, Hart, Pastore, Pearson, and Goodell. Pages 26516, 26517

Interior Appropriations: By unanimous vote of 83 yeas, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, after taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and Kennedy amendment to increase by $3.845 million reported funds for education and welfare services, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

Rejected: Moss amendment to increase by $1 million funds for road construction in Canyonlands National Park.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Bible, McClellan, Byrd of West Virginia, Mundt, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 26517–26548

Maritime Authorizations: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 4152, authorizing $384.6 million for programs of the Maritime Administration for fiscal year 1970, after taking the following action on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and

Rejected: By 18 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware amendment to reduce by $129 million authorized funds for acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of vessels and construction-differential subsidies and cost of national defense features in construction, reconstruction, or reconditioning of ships. Pages 26548–26556

Housing: S. 2864, Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, was made Senate's unfinished business. Page 26556

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Claude G. Ross, of California, to be Ambassador to United Republic of Tanzania; Scott Heuer, Jr., of the District of Columbia, and Anthony Faunce, of Massachusetts, to be Inspector General and Deputy Inspector General, respectively, of Foreign Assistance; Isabel A. Burgess, of Arizona, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board for term expiring December 31, 1974; three judicial; and numerous Marine Corps. Pages 26558–26559

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MORTGAGE CREDIT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on section 2 of S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, having as its witnesses Freyda P. Koplow, Commissioner of Banks of Massachusetts; William P. Sawyer, Massachusetts Federal Savings Council, Inc.; Francis Brennan, Savings Banks Association of Massachusetts; Robert H. Taylor, Federal Savings League of New England, Inc.; Sidney M. Smith, Pittsfield Cooperative Bank, Massachusetts; and Edwin G. Becker, Ohio Deposit Guarantee Fund.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Senator Metcalf; George Meany, president, AFL–CIO; former Senator George A. Smathers, American Horse Council; Albert K. Mitchell and Stephen H. Hart, National Livestock Tax Committee, accompanied by E. H. Shoemaker, Jr., American National Cattlemen's Association; G. L. Hadley, and Don F. Magdanz, both of the National Livestock Feeders Association; Gov. John B. Connally, of Texas, accompanied by Earl Rudder, president, Texas A. & M. University; Marvin McLain, American Farm Bureau Federation; Harry L. Graham, the National Farmers Organization; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Robert W. Frederick, the National Grange; E. A. Jaenke, Governor, Farm Credit Administration; Stanley Dreyer, the Cooperative League of the U.S.A.; Melvin E. Sims, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; former Senator Frank Carlson, National Federation of Grain Cooperatives; Patrick B. Healy, National Milk Producers Federation; and Irving Clark, representing Minnesota Association of Cooperatives, and numerous other organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Goodell, cosponsor of the bill; and William G. Colman, Executive Director, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 24.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education held an executive meeting for the purpose of considering its final report.

FEDERAL PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on proposed Federal pay legislation, having as its witnesses James H. Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers, and chairman, Government Employees Council; Francis S. Filbey and Patrick J. Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks; Michael J. Cullen, National Association of Special Delivery Messengers; Monroe Crable, National Association of Post Office and General Services Maintenance Employees; Leon S. Hawkins, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees; and Lonnie L. Johnson, National Association of Post Office Mail Handlers, Watchmen, Messengers, and Group Leaders.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

D.C. COURT REFORMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 13689 and H.R. 12854, reorganize D.C. courts; H.R. 13690 and H.R. 12855, bail reform; H.R. 12856, public defender system; and H.R. 6034, to enlarge criminal jurisdiction general sessions court. Testimony was heard from Donald Santarelli, Associate Deputy U.S. Attorney General.

JUDGMENT FUNDS OF SIOUX TRIBE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded a hearing on H.R. 10184 and H.R. 13819, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Sioux Tribe of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont. Testimony was heard from Representative Melcher; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of Interior for Public Land Management; Marvin Sonosky, tribal attorney, accompanied by Edward J. Reddorr, Sioux Tribe, Fort Peck, and Norman Hollow, secretary of Sioux Tribe.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on private immigration bills.

PACIFIC MARINE FISHERIES COMPACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation concluded a hearing on H.R. 13407, to consent to the amendment of the Pacific marine fisheries compact. Testimony was heard from Representative Pelly; Thor Tollefson, Director, Department of Fisheries, and Harold E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of Interior.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee approved for reporting the nominations of Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be U.S. representative to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; and Verne B. Lewis, of Maryland, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, Henry DeWolf Smyth, of New Jersey, and Theos J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, to be alternate representatives to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Anthony Downs, Real Estate Research Corp.; Vincent D. Taylor, Rand Corp.; and Roger Bolton, Williams College.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26688–26702

Bills Introduced: Four bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2948–2951; and S. Res. 263–265.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–422);

S. Res. 263, requesting additional $12,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization (no written report);

S. Res. 264, requesting additional $10,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (no written report); and

S. Res. 265, providing an additional $2,400 for expenses of Committee on the District of Columbia in investigation of matters pertaining to the District of Columbia (no written report). Pages 26684, 26688

President's Message—Education: Message was received from President transmitting third annual report of the National Advisory Council on Extension and

Continuing Education, which functions under title I of the Higher Education Act of 1965—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 26670

Housing and Urban Development: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2864, Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, after adopting the following amendments thereto:

Sparkman (for Mondale) amendment to extend the deadline for grants for basic water and sewer facilities from October 1, 1969, to May 1, 1970;

Sparkman (for Montoya) amendment to substitute for the language of section 111 (mortgage insurance for sheltered care facilities) language respecting expansion of the FHA nursing home program to include intermediate care facilities;

Hollings-Church-Kennedy amendment No. 179 to add new section respecting financing of mobile homes;

Sparkman (for Muskie) amendment providing substitute language for section 303 (utilization of private enterprise in comprehensive planning and public works planning);

Goodell amendment authorizing an adjustment in mortgage limits if price index for calendar year 1968 was higher or lower by at least 3 percent than for 1965 (instead of 1967) and authorizing an adjustment in basic dollar-per-room limitation for public housing projects if building cost index for calendar year 1968 was higher or lower by at least 3 percent than for 1965 (instead of 1967);

Cranston-Murphy amendment No. 198 to extend to victims of mud slides, the protection afforded by Flood Insurance Act of 1968;

Modified Tower amendment (for himself and others) No. 199 to assure, so far as feasible in connection with housing construction, major rehabilitation, and maintenance, that there is no unreasonable restraint against new or improved technology or materials which may reduce cost or improved quality thereof; and

Javits amendment to raise the ceilings on conventional mortgages on owner-occupied one- to three-family houses. Pages 26702–26729

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment S. 55, private bill. Page 26730

Wheat: S. 858, authorizing increased wheat acreage allotments for privately owned irrigable farms in the area of Tulelake division of the Klamath project, California, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 26730–26731

Housing: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 152, providing a 90-day extension of housing laws which expire on October 1, 1969. Page 26731

Food Stamps: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, S. 2547, extending and revising the food stamp program, and authorizing funds therefor through fiscal year 1972. Senate adopted Aiken amendment requiring Secretary of Agriculture in prescribing eligibility standards to take into account the benefits of extending the program to households which otherwise might be required to obtain welfare assistance. Pages 26729, 26732–26743

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be representative to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; and Verne B. Lewis, of Maryland, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, Henry De Wolf Smyth, of New Jersey, and Theos J. Thompson, of Massachusetts, each to be alternate representatives to the 13th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency. Page 26743

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, with testimony concerning funds for proposed construction on the west front of the Capitol from Senator Kennedy; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol; and Paul Thiry, an architect from Seattle.

Hearings continue tomorrow when public witnesses will testify.

CREDIT UNIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on H.R. 2 and S. 2298, to establish in the executive branch a National Credit Union Administration, with testimony from Creed C. Black, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Legislation; R. C. Robertson, president, Credit Union National Association, International; and Mack Rogers, president, National Association of Federal Credit Unions.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on pending passenger train service legislation (S. 674, 2750, 2865, 2887, 2939, S. Con. Res. 32, S.J. Res. 120 and 129), with testimony from Senators Moss, Williams of New Jersey, and Tydings, the latter of whom submitted a statement; Representative Adams; and Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBOCEANIC LANDS

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee to study the United Nations' suboceanic lands policy received testimony from Joseph N. Greene, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organiza-

tion Affairs; G. Warren Nutter, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; and Rear Adm. O. D. Waters, Jr., oceanographer of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Senator Baker; Governors John A. Love, of Colorado, Richard J. Hughes, of New Jersey, Daniel J. Evans, of Washington, Norbert T. Tiemann, of Nebraska, John J. McKeithen, of Louisiana, and Claude R. Kirk, Jr., of Florida, who sat as a panel of witnesses representing the National Governors' Conference, Council of State Governments; C. Beverly Briley, mayor of Nashville, and president, National League of Cities; Ivy Baker Priest, California State Treasurer; W. W. Dumas, mayor of Baton Rouge; Louis Welch, mayor of Houston; Ilus W. Davis, mayor of Kansas City, Mo.; Austin J. Tobin, executive director, the Port of New York Authority; Eads Poitevent, commissioner, Port of New Orleans; Sanford Jorgensen, city administrator of North Platte, Nebr.; and Edward A. Khayat, executive secretary, Mississippi Association of Supervisors.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations: William B. Macomber, Jr., of New York, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State; Idar Rimestad, of North Dakota, to be the U.S. representative to the European office of the U.N.; Francis G. Meyer, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; Graham A. Martin, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to Italy; and John P. Humes, of New York, to be Ambassador to Austria. Senator Javits was present to introduce Mr. Humes to the committee.

These nominations were subsequently approved by the committee and reported to the Senate.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

The nomination of Robert F. Keller to be Assistant Comptroller General of the United States;

H.R. 337, increasing rate of per diem allowance for Government employees traveling on official business (amended);

S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act (amended);

S. 406, to permit rotation of certain property whenever its remaining storage or shelf life is too short to justify its retention (amended);

S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs (amended);

S. 1366, releasing conditions in deed in certain portion of land heretofore conveyed by the United States to the Salt Lake City Corporation (amended);

S. 1707, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement (amended);

S. 1718, to convey to the city of Cheyenne certain U.S. property heretofore donated to the United States by such city (amended);

S. 2210, to permit donations of surplus property to public museums (amended);

S. 2701, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future;

S.J. Res. 117, authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations;

An original resolution (S. Res. 264) requesting additional $10,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations; and

An original resolution (S. Res. 263) requesting additional $12,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization;

Committee also approved appointments to subcommittees as follows: Senator Metcalf to the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, vice Senator Muskie; Senator Gurney to the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, vice Senator Griffin; Senator Stevens to the Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, vice Senator Griffin; Senator Mathias to the Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, vice Senator Stevens; and Senator Mathias to the Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization, vice Senator Gurney.

Also, committee adopted a motion by Senator Ribicoff to authorize the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations to hold certain executive and/or open hearings.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Keller, where favoring testimony was heard from Comptroller General of the United States Elmer B. Staats.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, having as its witnesses Judge Harrison Winter, U.S. Circuit Court, Fourth Circuit; Arthur McCall, a South Carolina stockbroker; and the nominee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTITRUST—PRICING PRACTICES

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1494, to allow businessmen to file private antitrust suits to stop competitors from trying to damage their businesses by selling products at unreasonably low prices. Testimony was received from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Lynn Paulson, National Independent Dairy

Association; and Joseph Cotter, Maryland Milk Producers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1809, providing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 13919–13959; eight private bills, H.R. 13960–13967; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 910, H. Con. Res. 372–374, and H. Res. 555 and 556, were introduced. Pages 26668–26669

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 538, to grant additional travel authority for the Committee on Public Works (H. Rept. 91–498);

H. Res. 555, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4314, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds to provide employees, their families, and dependents with scholarships for study at educational institutions or the establishment of child care centers for preschool and school-age dependents of employees (H. Rept. 91–499);

H. Res. 556, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13369, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38, United States Code (H. Rept. 91–500);

H.J. Res. 754, to amend section 19(e) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, amended (H. Rept. 91–501); and

S. 92, 265, 330, 1110, 2019, H. Res. 540, H.R. 4560, 5106 (amended), 5936 (amended), and 10156 (amended), all private bills (H. Repts. 91–502 to 91–511, respectively). Page 26667

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Printing of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 26568

Presidential Message—Extension and Continuing Education: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the third annual report of the National Advisory Council on Extension and Continuing Education—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Page 26568

Bills Rereferred: The following bills, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, were rereferred to the Committee on Government Operations: H.R. 9586, for the establishment of a commission to study and promulgate a national policy respecting dispersal of population and industry; H.R. 10515, to establish a commission on population and the environment to study the impact of uncontained population growth on the natural environment; H.R. 13337, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future; H.R. 13523, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future; and Executive Communication No. 1000. Page 26568

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 26568

U.S. Capitol Extension Commission: Passed S. 1888, to change the composition of the Commission for Extension of the U.S. Capitol, clearing the measure for the White House. Page 26568

Environmental Quality: By a record vote of 372 yeas to 15 nays, the House passed H.R. 12549, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for the establishment of a Council on Environmental Quality.

Agreed to a series of amendments that—

Separate this act from the Fish and Wildlife Act;

Remove Senate confirmation of Council members;

Separates this act from other similar programs; and

A series of technical amendments.

Agreed to an amendment that seeks additional material in the report the President transmits to Congress annually, regarding the implementation of the program.

A point of order against the Daddario amendment was sustained.

Agreed to an amendment which excludes other Federal officials or agencies created by other provision of law; and places a spending ceiling on the bill.

Agreed to amend the title.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 1075, a similar Senate bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 12549 as passed.

The House insists on its amendments and asked for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Garmatz, Dingell, Aspinall, Pelly, and Saylor.

H. Res. 544, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 26569–26591

Government Procurement: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement.

Rejected an amendment that sought to provide for a bipartisan commission.

H. Res. 534, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 26591–26604

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 2601, to reorganize the courts of the District of Columbia—referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 26667

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hungate and Perkins; departmental, and one public witness. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Waldie and Scherle.

Hearings continue Thursday, September 25.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PRICE-WAGE BEHAVIOR

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 13278, to amend the Employment Act of 1946 to bring to bear an informed public opinion upon price and wage behavior which threatens national economic stability. Testimony was heard from Representative Reuss and Paul McCracken, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue Thursday, September 25.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

GPO APPRENTICES

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Printing held a hearing on H.R. 9366, to change the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employees of the Government Printing Office. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PERSONNEL AND CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES' CLAIMS ACT—AMERICAN REVOLUTION BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13696 amended, to amend the Military Personnel and Civilian Employees' Claims Act of 1964, as amended, with respect to the settlement of claims against the United States by civilian officers and employees for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service; and S. 2462, provides that the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission shall submit to the President a comprehensive report by July 4, 1970, and provides for appropriations through fiscal year 1970. The committee also acted on private immigration and claims bills.

FISH AND WILDLIFE COORDINATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 857, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for more effective protection of fish and wildlife resources from the effects of projects licensed by Federal agencies; H.R. 1058, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to protect fish, wildlife, and recreation from damages resulting from the discharge of heated effluents into certain waters; and H.R. 1061, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to require certain permits for exploring or mining oil and gas underlying the navigable waters of the United States. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolff; L. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; and C. R. Guthermuth, Wildlife Management Institute.

Hearings continue Monday, September 29.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a national oceanic and atmospheric agency and a national advisory committee on the oceans and atmosphere. Testimony was heard from Dr. Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, Department of Commerce; and Dr. Robert M. White, Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee met in executive session and voted to begin marking up postal reform legislation. The initial vote was on which of several pending bills to mark up. The committee voted to take up H.R. 4, the postal reform bill introduced by Chairman Dulski. Congressman Udall then moved that all after the enacting clause in H.R. 4 be stricken and the text of his corporation-approach bill, H.R. 11750, be substituted, subject to certain conditions. A point of order was raised and sustained to the procedure and the committee then adjourned with no date set for the next meeting.

LABOR-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4314, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds to provide employees, their families, and dependents with scholarships for study at education institutions or the establishment of child care centers for preschool and school-age dependents of employees. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representative Thompson of New Jersey.

VETERANS' HOME LOANS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate and waiving all points of order against H.R. 13369, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38 of the United States Code, as amended. Testimony was heard from Chairman Teague of Texas and Chairman Patman.

SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY—COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 538, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fallon and Representatives Kluczynski and Don Clausen.

NATIONAL CEMETERY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals concluded a hearing on H.R. 8818, to provide for the establishment of a national cemetery adjacent to the Manassas Battlefield Park, Va. Testimony was heard from Representatives Scott, Taylor, and Marsh; Mrs. Anne Snyder, chairman, Save the Battlefield Committee, Manassas, Va.; Dr. A. J. Ferlazzo, chairman, board of supervisors, Prince William County; Ben H. Thompson, National Parks Recreation Association; and representatives of the American Legion, Disabled American Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Catholic War Veterans (Department of Virginia).

AIRWAY USER TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider airway user taxes and the establishment of an airway user trust fund.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Mason Gaffney, University of Wisconsin; Allen V. Kneese, Resources for the Future, Inc.; and Lee E. Preston, State University of New York, Buffalo.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development and other regional development programs, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Thursday, September 25.

STUDENT LOANS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Joint hearing: Subcommittee on the Smithsonian Institution of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration and Subcommittee on Library and Memorials of the Committee on House Administration held joint hearings on the following bills: S. 209, authorizing funds for construction of museum support and depository facilities by the Smithsonian Institution; S. 704 and H.R. 13791, authorizing additional funds for the Smithsonian Institution; and S. 706, increasing from six to nine the number of members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Testimony was received from S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution. A written statement was submitted for inclusion in the record by Senator Anderson.

Wednesday, September 24, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26812–26845

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2952–2958; S.J. Res. 155; and S. Con. Res. 38. **Pages 26813, 26815–26816**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2210, to permit donations of surplus property to public museums, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–423);

S. 406, to permit rotation of certain Federal property whenever its remaining storage or shelf life is too short to justify its retention, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–424);

S. 1366, releasing conditions in deed in certain portion

of land heretofore conveyed by the United States to the Salt Lake City Corp., with amendments (S. Rept. 91–425);

S. 1718, to convey to the city of Cheyenne certain U.S. property heretofore donated by it to United States, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–426);

S. 1707, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–427);

H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–428);

H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–429);

S.J. Res. 117, authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations (S. Rept. 91–430); and

S. 2701, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future (S. Rept. 91–431). Pages 26812–26814

President's Message—St. Lawrence Seaway: Senate received message from President transmitting annual report of the St. Lawrence Seaway Corporation for the year ending December 31, 1968—referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 26787

Appointment by Vice President: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senator Tydings to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission in lieu of Senator Metcalf, who resigned therefrom. Pages 26812, 26890

Agriculture: S. 2226, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act with regard to appointment of review committee members, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 26788–26789

Golden Eagle Program: Senate reconsidered its action of September 10 in passing with committee amendments S. 2315, to continue in effect the unified system of annual and user fees for Federal recreation areas (Golden Eagle program). Senate then again passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2315 with committee amendments and with a Church amendment providing that user fees be charged only in certain highly developed recreation areas at Federal lakes and reservoirs. Pages 26790–26812

Food Stamps: By 78 yeas to 14 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 2547, extending and revising the food stamp program, and authorizing funds therefor through fiscal year 1972, after adopting, by 54 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified McGovern substitute for the bill (for himself and others).

Aiken motion to recommit the bill was rejected by 39 yeas to 56 nays. Pages 26845–26890

Recognition of Foreign Governments: Senate made its unfinished business S. Res. 205, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding recognition of foreign governments by the United States. Pages 26890–26891

Private Bills: Senate passed the following four private bills, on each of which a Miller amendment to restrict use of the excavated material to the tracts involved, was adopted: S. 65, 80, 82, and 81. Committee amendment to S. 81 was also adopted. Pages 26891–26892

Taft Historic Site: H.R. 7066, to establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati, was passed after adopting Mansfield amendment to substitute for its text the language of S. 560 with committee amendments, companion bill. S. 560 was then indefinitely postponed. Page 26892

Private Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 162, private Indian resolution, after adopting Mansfield amendment (for Ervin) respecting question of payment of interest on amounts owed under previous law. Pages 26892–26894

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William B. Macomber, Jr., of New York, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State; Francis G. Meyer, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; John P. Humes, of New York, and Graham A. Martin, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to Austria and Italy, respectively; and Idar Rimestad, of North Dakota, to be representative to the European office of the U.N., with rank of Ambassador. Page 26895

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Frank Charles Carlucci III, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; Henry S. Robinson, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the D.C. Council; and one Army. Page 26895

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, with testimony concerning funds for proposed construction on the west front of the Capitol from Senator Jordan of North Carolina; Representatives Stratton, Scheuer, and Schwengel; Francis Lethbridge, American Institute of Architects; William Wilkoff, American Institute of Interior Designers; Paul Thiry, an architect from Seattle; Gilmore Clarke, New York; and Mario E. Campioli, Assistant Architect of the Capitol.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAXATION OF NATIONAL BANKS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on S. 2065 and H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability

of national banks for certain taxes, with testimony from Senator Holland, accompanied by Alfred A. McKethan, on behalf of the Florida Bankers Association, and Ralph Turlington, member, Florida State Legislature; Gov. Norbert T. Tiemann of Nebraska, representing the National Governors' Conference; Robert Bloom, Chief Counsel, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; Tom C. Frost, Jr., and Matthew Hale, both of American Bankers Association; Cleo F. Jaillet, Department of Corporations and Taxation, Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and Frank Wille, National Association of Supervisors of State Banks.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on pending passenger train service legislation (S. 674, 2750, 2865, 2887, 2939, S. Con. Res. 32, S.J. Res. 120 and 129), with testimony from Senator Mansfield; George I. Bloom, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, representing the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners; Donald Beattie, Railway Labor Executives' Association; Thomas Goodfellow, Association of American Railroads; William Johnson, Illinois Central Railroad Co.; and J. R. Getty, Seaboard Coast Line Railroad Co., Richmond, Va.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBOCEANIC LANDS

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee to study the United Nations' suboceanic lands policy received testimony from Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; John E. Flipse, Deepsea Ventures, Inc., Newport News, Va.; Louis Henkin, professor of international law and diplomacy, Columbia University; Cecil Olmstead, Texaco, Inc.; and Russell E. Train, Under Secretary of the Interior.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Gov. Jack Williams of Arizona;

The following panel of witnesses representing the National Association of Counties: Conrad Fowler, county probate judge, Shelby County, Ala.; William Conner, county executive, New Castle County, Del.; Dale Anderson, county executive, Baltimore County, Towson, Md.; John Brewer, board of supervisors, Kent County, Mich.; George R. Long, Virginia Association of Counties and Conference of Executives of State Associations of Counties; Hill Healan, Georgia Association of County Commissioners; and Arthur R. Sypek, New Jersey Association of Chosen Freeholders;

The following panel of State and local officials: Lewis H. Vaden, Virginia State treasurer; David P. Buckson, Delaware State attorney general; Louis L. Goldstein, comptroller of the treasury of Maryland; John Herbert, Ohio State treasurer; William Summers Johnson, Honolulu finance director; Elmer O. Friday, Jr., Florida State senator; Thomas M. O'Connor, National Institute of Municipal Law Officers, accompanied by Brice W. Rhyne; Daniel B. Goldberg, Municipal Finance Officers Association; and Grady Patterson, South Carolina State treasurer;

William E. Simon, Investment Bankers Association of America; and Northcutt Ely, American Public Power Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Gov. Daniel J. Evans of Washington; and the following panel of witnesses: Dr. Walter W. Heller, professor of economics, University of Minnesota; Dr. Joseph A. Pechman, director of economic studies, the Brookings Institution; Dr. Daniel J. Elazer, professor of political science, Temple University; and Dr. Robert J. Lampman, Institute for the Study of Poverty, University of Wisconsin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, having as its witnesses Representative Ryan; Elliot Bredhoff, industrial union department, AFL–CIO; and Stephen I. Schlossberg, United Auto Workers' Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTITRUST—PRICING PRACTICES

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 1494, to allow businessmen to file private antitrust suits to stop competitors from trying to damage their businesses by selling products at unreasonably low prices. Testimony was received from Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; Dr. Robert Brooks, Vanderbilt University; John L. Kilcullen, Conference of American Small Business Organizations; and H. C. Thompson, president, National Congress of Petroleum Retailers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency resumed hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the runaway drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Senator

Moss; Larry A. Bear, Human Resources Administration, New York City, who represented Mayor Lindsay; Steven Ailes, representing the following drug companies: S. B. Penick & Co., Merck & Co., and Mallinckrodt Chemical Works; and Dr. Vincent Dole, Rockefeller University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUST FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 1369, permitting employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products, and S. 1370, permitting employer contributions for a joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective-bargaining agreements. Testimony was received from Gerald S. Ostrowski, director of services, National Constructors Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 13968–13994; four private bills, H.R. 13995–13998; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 911 and H. Con. Res. 375–379, were introduced.

Pages 26959–26960

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 368, H. Con. Res. 338, H. Res. 368 (amended), H. Res. 485, and H.R. 10481 (H. Repts. 91–512 to 91–516, respectively. For titles of the above, see "Printing Resolutions" below);

H.R. 210, to eliminate requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards, amended (H. Rept. 91–517); and

H.R. 12605, to amend section 613 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, amended (H. Rept. 91–518).

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today and tomorrow.

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Presidential Message—St. Lawrence Seaway Report: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the annual report of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation for the year ending December 31, 1968—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed with illustrations. **Page 26895**

Printing Resolutions: The following printing resolutions were called up and passed:

H. Con. Res. 368, providing for the printing of copies of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower;

H. Con. Res. 338, authorizing the printing as a House document of hearings on "Science and Strategies for National Security in the 1970's" by the Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments, and of additional copies thereof;

H. Res. 368, authorizing the printing as a House document of Captive Nations Week proclamations and pertinent material (amended);

H. Res. 485, authorizing reprinting of "Centralization of Federal Science Activities"; and

H.R. 10481, to amend the act of March 2, 1931, to provide that certain proceedings of the Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Inc., shall be printed as a House document. **Page 26896**

Housing: Passed S.J. Res. 152, to provide for the temporary extension of rural housing programs and Federal Housing Administration insurance authority, and to extend the period during which the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development may establish maximum interest rates on insured loans. **Page 26898**

Water Resource Development: By a record vote of 365 yeas to 16 nays, the House passed S. 574, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility investigations of certain water resource development.

Agreed to the committee amendments.

H. Res. 528, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 26898–26899, 26906–26914

Eldorado National Forest: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 850, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, in the State of California.

Agreed to an amendment, in the nature of a substitute, that restores certain wilderness areas removed by the committee bill.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 713, a similar Senate bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 850 as passed.

H. Res. 543, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 26898–26899, 26906–26914

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. **Page 26959**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills pending before the committee which would extend or amend existing laws on the general farm program or the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for continued markup of fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION OF BANK LOBBY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to consider investigation of the bank lobby and issued the following statement: "The committee members feel that this committee is not the proper forum to investigate the charges of the chairman and resolve that the chairman take up his charges with the Committee on Rules."

COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from Dr. Roger Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by C. C. Johnson, Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Service, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN SERVICE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations concluded a hearing on H.R. 13876, to amend title VIII of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended. Testimony was heard from Hon. Idar Rimestad, Deputy Under Secretary for Administration.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House a report entitled "Office of Economic Opportunity and the Medical Foundation of Bellaire, Ohio"; and a report entitled "Rural Electrification Administration's Bulletin Inhibiting Political Activities by Its Borrowers and Their Employees."

FEDERAL RENEGOTIATION BOARD

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session and heard testimony from Adm. Hyman G. Rickover relating to deficiencies in the present system of renegotiating defense contracts to avoid excessive profits. Following evaluation of Admiral Rickover's testimony, the subcommittee plans to review the deficiencies in renegotiation operations with officials of the Renegotiation Board.

PRINTING AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following printing resolutions:

H. Con. Res. 338, authorizing the printing as a House document of hearings on "Science and Strategies for National Security in the 1970's" by the Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments;

H. Con. Res. 368, providing for the printing of copies of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower;

H. Res. 368, authorizing the printing as a House document of Captive Nations Week proclamations and pertinent material;

H. Res. 485, authorizing reprinting of "Centralization of Federal Science Activities"; and

H.R. 10481, to amend the act of March 2, 1931, to provide that certain proceedings of the Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Inc., shall be printed as a House document.

FEDERAL LAND HOLDINGS FOR INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3334 amended, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota; H.R. 4226 amended, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation; H.R. 9424 amended, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna; and S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.

DEFENSE FACILITIES AND INDUSTRIAL SECURITY

Committee on Internal Security: Concluded hearings on H.R. 12699, defense facilities and industrial security. Testimony was heard from Joseph J. Liebling, Director for Security Policy, Office of the Assistant Secretary (Administration) DOD; Robert J. Goddard, director, corporate security, Hughes Aircraft Co.; Loyd Wright, chairman, Wright Commission on Government Security; and Stanley Tracy, former assistant director of FBI and member of staff of Wright Commission.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

U.S. COURTS JURISDICTION OVER CONTRACT CLAIMS—COMMEMORATION OF YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on S. 980, provides Federal courts of the United States with jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the United States; and H.J. Res. 309, commemoration of Yellowstone National Park. Testimony on S. 980 was heard from Louis Spector, Esq., American Bar Association, District of Columbia; and Lt. Col. Benjamin H. Rosker, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Directorate of Civil Law, Litigation Division, Headquarters, U.S. Air Force. Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources, Department of the Interior, testified on H.J. Res. 309.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on H.R. 279 and related bills, Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wolff and Adair; Morris J. Levin, Esq., representing certain joint operators, Washington, D.C.; Walter A. Hamilton, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Domestic Business Policy, Department of Commerce; Prof. Stephen R. Barnett, School of Law, University of California; and John R. Malone, Chicago, Ill.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Agency and a National Advisory Committee on the Oceans and Atmosphere. Testimony was heard from Under Secretary of the Interior Russell E. Train.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877 and related bills, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from Mrs. Martha Ogilvie, coordinator, School and Library Division, Field Enterprises Educational Corp.; Major Mailers and Producers of Mail Advertising Service Association represented by W. J. Janszen, chairman, Mail Advertising Educational Committee; and Joseph H. Sharlitt, counsel for the Mail Advertising Educational Committee.

WAGE-BOARD EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on H.R. 8764, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage-board employees. Testimony was heard from representatives of the General Services Administration and William H. Ryan, representative of Metal Trades Department, AFL–CIO.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

AIRWAY USER TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of airway user taxes and the establishment of an airway user trust fund.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Leonard Rapping, Carnegie-Mellon University; Gary Fromm, the Brookings Institution; and James R. Nelson, Amherst College.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, September 25, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27072–27106

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2959–2965. Page 27076

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1484, to abolish commission authorized to consider site for building a national memorial stadium in the District of Columbia (S. Rept. 91–432);

S. 2163, to establish in the House of Representatives the Office of the Delegate from the District of Columbia (S. Rept. 91–433);

S. 2164, to establish a Commission on Government for the District of Columbia, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–434); and

H.R. 10420, to provide that certain U.S. property con-

veyed in 1927 to the city of Baltimore be subject to reversion to the United States if such property is not used for public purposes (S. Rept. 91–435). Page 27075

Bills Referred: The following bill and two concurrent resolutions were referred to Committee on Rules and Administration:

H.R. 10481, to provide for printing as a House document certain proceedings of the Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Inc.;

H. Con. Res. 338, authorizing printing as a House document of hearings on "Science and Strategies in the 1970's" by the Committee on National Security Policy and Strategic Developments; and

H. Con. Res. 368, providing for printing of copies of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower. Page 27072

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, which was received from House yesterday, was today ordered to be placed on the calendar.

President's Message—Social Security: President transmitted message proposing that Congress pass legislation making certain reforms in the social security laws, including a 10-percent increase in benefits—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 27179–27181

Recognition of Foreign Governments: By 77 yeas to 3 nays, Senate adopted S. Res. 205, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding recognition of foreign governments by the United States. The committee amendments to the bill were also adopted.

Pages 27106, 27113–27118

Mexican-American Affairs: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs. Motion to reconsider passage of the bill was tabled.

Pages 27118–27121

Water Resources: S. 574, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project, was cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto.

Pages 27178–27179

Coal Mine Safety: Senate took up, considered, but did not complete action on S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.

Pages 27118, 27123–27178

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Robert Coleman Gresham, of Maryland, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; Robert Louis Johnson, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; Paul J. O'Neill, of Florida, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; and numerous Marine Corps. Pages 27182–27184

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony on behalf of funds for his department from Secretary of State William P. Rogers, who was accompanied by his associates.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 10420, to provide that certain U.S. property conveyed in 1927 to the city of Baltimore be subject to reversion to the United States if such property is not used for public purposes; and 9,204 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Also, committee received a report from Senator Smith of Maine, chairman, Special Subcommittee on Reserve General Officer Promotions.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Eugene A. Gulledge, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of HUD, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was introduced to the committee by Senator Jordan of North Carolina.

MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the report of the Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates, having as its witnesses Prof. James S. Dusenberry, Chairman, Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates; Richard C. Van Dusen, Under Secretary, Department of HUD; Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and John M. Dervan, Director, Loan Guaranty Service, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on pending passenger train service legislation (S. 674, 2750, 2865, 2887, 2939, S. Con. Res. 32, S.J. Res. 120, and 129), with testimony from Senator Allott; Reginald Whitman, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers; Stuart T. Saunders, Penn Central Co., Philadelphia; Louis W. Menk, Northern

Pacific Railway, St. Paul; M. M. Christy, Western Pacific Railroad; and Charles Webb, National Association of Motor Bus Operators.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2869, to revise the criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Bruce Terris, Democratic Central Committee; Henry Berliner, Jr., Republican Committee of the District of Columbia; Prof. Elyce Z. Ferster; Prof. Stephen B. Rosenberg; and Mrs. Patricia Wald, Neighborhood Legal Services.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 2.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, with testimony from Douglas Dillon, former Secretary of the Treasury; Mayor Sam Yorty, of Los Angeles; Stanley S. Surrey, former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; David N. Mills, Detroit; Robert M. Johnson, Informal Committee of Municipal Bond Council; Richard H. Wangerin, American Symphony Orchestra League; Osmon Springsted, president, Springsted, Inc.; Dr. Edgar F. Shannon, Jr., president, University of Virginia; J. Donald Reilly, Airport Operators Council International, Inc.; Paul J. Manafort, mayor of New Britain, and president of the Connecticut Conference of Mayors; and Irwin Karp, the Authors League of America, Inc.

GAO DEFENSE AUDITS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings to receive testimony as to the capability of the General Accounting Office to analyze and audit Defense expenditures, receiving testimony from Dr. John S. Foster, Director of Defense Research and Engineering; and Robert C. Moot, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Dr. Richard P. Nathan, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; Dr. Murray L. Weidenbaum, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Economic Policy; and Gov. Kenneth M. Curtis of Maine, accompanied by Dr. Dean Fisher, commissioner, Maine Department of Health and Welfare, and Donald MacNeil, chancellor, Portland Campus, University of Maine.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 6.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, with testimony from Representatives Clay, Chisholm, Stokes, Diggs, and Conyers; and several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Thomas Lynch, attorney general of California; Fred T. Mahaffey, National Association of Boards of Pharmacy; and Mayor Sam Yorty, of Los Angeles.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full committee consideration S. 2910, authorizing additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building; and a list of prospectuses for proposed leasing and Government-constructed facilities.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 13999–14039; one private bill, H.R. 14040; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 912 and 913, H. Con. Res. 380–384, and H. Res. 557 and 558, were introduced. Pages 27070–27071

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6600, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 91–519);

H.R. 8298, to amend section 303(b) of the Interstate Commerce Act to modernize certain restrictions upon the application and scope of the exemption provided therein, amended (H. Rept. 91–520); and

S. 1287, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972 to carry out the metric system study (H. Rept. 91–521). Page 27070

Late Reports: Committee on Government Operations received permission to file a report on the Office of Economic Opportunity by noon on Saturday, September 27; and the Committee on Armed Services received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, September 26, on military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Page 27015

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 3 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 27016

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 1. Page 27016

Subcommittee To Sit: Select Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Pages 27016–27017

Census: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 12884, to amend title 13, United States Code, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census.

By a teller vote of 107 yeas to 123 nays, rejected an amendment that would have public response to census questions, with the exception of the actual head count, on a voluntary basis (prior to the teller vote, the amendment was agreed to by a division vote of 32 yeas to 22 nays).

H. Res. 545 the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 27017–27039

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file a report by midnight Saturday, September 27, on H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development. Page 27042

Maritime Authorization: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 4152, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs for the Department of Commerce, clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 27042–27043

Presidential Message—Social Security: Received and read a message from the President containing a recommendation to increase social security benefits by 10 percent, and other reforms—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed. Pages 27043–27045

Referrals: Seven Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 27069–27070

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit concluded hearings on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Jones of North Carolina, Daniel, Long of Louisiana, and Wold; and departmental witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Baring.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: On Wednesday, September 24, in late executive session, the committee ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill for fiscal year 1970 military procurement authorization.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz, accompanied by Under Secretary James D. Hodgson; Charles A. Hagberg, administrator, Industrial Safety and Buildings Division, Department of Industrial Labor and Human Relations, State of Wisconsin; and Martin P. Catherwood, Industrial Commission, Department of Labor, State of New York.

Hearings continue Tuesday, September 30.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 13630, the Vocational Education Extension Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill.

Committee to continue Tuesday, September 30.

PRICE AND WAGE BEHAVIOR

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 13278, to amend the Employment Act of 1946 to bring to bear an informed public opinion upon price and wage behavior which threatens national economic stability. Testimony was heard from Representative Findley; Arthur Okun, former Chairman of Council of Economic Advisers; and Dr. Richard S. Landry, administrator, economic analysis and study, Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business.

LAND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation completed hearings on, and approved for full committee action, S. 2564 amended, to amend the act fixing the boundary of Everglades National Park, Fla., and authorizing the acquisition of land therein, in order to authorize an additional amount for the acquisition of certain lands for such park; H.R. 9163, to authorize the disposal of certain real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., under the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949; and H.R. 13767 amended, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Fort Donelson National Battlefield in the State of Ten-

nessee. Testimony was heard from Representatives Haley, Sikes, and Rogers of Florida, and departmental witnesses.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue Tuesday, September 30.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on antiobscenity bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives Celler, McCulloch, Bennett, and William H. Rehnquist, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 1.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on H.R. 279 and related bills, Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division; Roy C. Kruse, Hawaii Newspaper Guild, Honolulu; Eugene Swearingen, president, National Bank of Tulsa; John J. Pilch, president, International Typographical Union, Colorado Springs; and Thomas E. Harris, Esq., associate general counsel, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 1.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Agency and a National Advisory Committee on the Oceans and Atmosphere. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (R. & D.), and Brig. Gen. F. P. Koisch, Corps of Engineers.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 1.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met briefly in executive session on postal reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Thursday, October 2.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

METRIC SYSTEM STUDY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1287, authorizes $2,500,000 for the fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972 to carry out the metric system study.

DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation and Pensions met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 10912, provides for the liberalization of the conditions under which the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is required to effect recoupment from disability compensation otherwise payable to disabled veterans;

H.R. 10106, to revise the definition of a "child" for purposes of veterans' benefits provided by title 38, United States Code, to recognize an adopted child as a dependent from the date of issuance of an interlocutory decree;

H.R. 372 amended, to modify the reporting requirement and establish additional income exclusions relating to pension for veterans and their widows, to liberalize the bar to payment of benefits to remarried widows of veterans, to liberalize the oath requirement for hospitalization of veterans; and

H.R. 13576, to amend title 38 of the United States Code to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans, amended to include provisions of H.R. 3070, to amend title 38 of the United States Code to provide increased dependency and indemnity compensation to widows in need of the regular aid and attendance of another person.

SAVINGS BONDS INTEREST

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider interest on U.S. Savings Bonds.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Robert P. Mayo, Director, and James R. Schlesinger, Assistant Director, both of the Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 30.

Friday, September 26, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27252–27278

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2966–2967; and S. Res. 266.

Pages 27255–27256

Bill Referred: H.R. 12884, to protect civilian employees of the U.S. Government against unwarranted governmental invasions of their privacy, was received from House and referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 27252

Surplus Property: Senate passed with committee amendment, S. 2210, to permit donations of surplus property to public museums. Page 27278

Storage of Property: S. 406, to permit rotation of certain Federal property whenever its remaining storage or shelf life is too short to justify its retention, was passed with committee amendments.

Pages 27278–27279

Commission on Government Procurement: H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, was passed after substituting for its text the language of S. 1707, companion bill, which had first been amended by adoption of committee amendments thereto. S. 1707 was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 27279–27280

Printing: Report of the Senate delegation to the 12th meeting of the United States-Canada Interparliamentary Group, held in Ottawa in June 1969, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 35. Page 27255

Coal Mine Safety: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, adopting Metcalf amendment No. 177, to provide opportunity for any representative of the miners at the mine involved to accompany the Federal inspector on any inspection of such mine.

Senator Prouty made a point of order against Sec. 502 (assessments on coal operators and importers to provide funds for a Safety Research Trust Fund) on which the presiding officer stated that in accordance with the Senate precedents, he would not rule thereon, but referred the question to the Senate for decision. The yeas and nays were ordered on the question of whether the Prouty point of order is well taken.

Pages 27278, 27287–27290, 27291–27292, 27303–27309

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Robert F. Keller, of Maryland, to be Assistant Comptroller General of the United States; Daniel Eldred Rinehart, of Maryland, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; Eugene A. Gulledge, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and numerous Air Force.

Pages 27310–27312

Nominations: Senate received two civilian nominations. Page 27310

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—CIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Central Intelligence Agency held executive hearings, but made no announcements.

MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony on the report of the Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates, having as its witnesses Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; William McChesney Martin, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; and James V. Smith, Administrator, and Henry F. Lowe, both of Farmers Home Administration.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 29.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Wallace R. Woodbury, National Association of Real Estate Boards; Louis R. Barba, National Association of Home Builders; Carl M. Halvorson, Associated General Contractors; Leon H. Keyserling, Realty Committee on Taxation; Robert Pease, Mortgage Bankers Association of America; Harry Newman, Jr., International Council of Shopping Centers, Inc.; Philip N. Brownstein, Council of Housing Producers; Joe Sexton, National Apartment Association; Carter L. Burgess, National Corporation for Housing Partnerships; Brewster Ives, Tenant-Owned Apartment Association, Inc.; and William H. Doughty, National Association of Real Estate Investment Funds.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 29.

ICC REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings on Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1969, which provides for the appointment by the President of the Chairman of the ICC, who will have administrative authority over the Commission's affairs. Witnesses heard were Virginia Mae Brown, Commissioner, Interstate Commerce Commission, accompanied by several ICC Commissioners; and Dwight A. Ink, Assistant Director for the Office of Executive Management, Bureau of the Budget.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held and concluded hearings on the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, with testimony from Randolph Phillips, Committee for a Fair, Honest and Impartial Judiciary; Floyd B. McKissick, National Conference of Black Lawyers; Gary Orfield, professor of politics and public affairs, Princeton University; and J. Otis Cochran, Black American Law Students Association.

Committee will meet at a later date to be announced to consider this nomination in executive session.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Bard Grosse, United States National Student Association; Robert J. Bolger, National Association of Chain Drug Stores; Willard B. Simmons, National Association of Retail Druggists; Dr. Robert E. Gould, Adolescent Services Psychiatric Division, New York University-Bellevue Medical Center; and Capt. Joseph M. Mueller, Chicago Police Department, representing Mayor Daley.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 29.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL SEED—PERISHABLE COMMODITIES—AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENTS ACTS—WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1836, to amend the Federal Seed Act, as amended; H.R. 9857, to amend the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act; and H.R. 14030, to amend section 358a(a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments. The committee also approved the following watershed projects: Buck and Doe Run, Mo.; Ledgewood Creek, Iowa; Salt Lick Creek, Ky.; Swift Creek, N.C.; Upper Blackwater, Va.; Candy Jack, Wyo.; Sebastian Martin-Black Mesa, N. Mex.; and Warner Draw, Utah.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved for full committee action certain watershed projects.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Select subcommittee met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27461–27503

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced as follows: S. 2968–2971. Page 27477

Report Filed: Report was made as follows:

Report entitled "Air Force Reserve General Officer Promotions" (S. Rept. 91–436). Page 27477

Bill Referred: H.R. 12884, to assure confidentiality of information furnished in response to questionnaires, inquiries, and other requests of the Bureau of the Census, was referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service on Friday, September 26. This is the title that should have been shown for this bill on September 26, p. D 452.

Sundry Bills Passed: Four bills were passed without amendment, as follows:

Public lands—Md.: H.R. 10420, to provide that certain U.S. property conveyed in 1927 to the city of Baltimore be subject to reversion to the United States if such property is not used for public purposes (cleared for President);

Office of Intergovernmental Relations: S.J. Res. 117, authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations;

Commission on Population Growth: S. 2701, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future; and

D.C.: S. 1484, to abolish commission authorized to consider site for building a national memorial stadium in the District of Columbia. Pages 27467–27469

Coal Mine Safety: Senate continued its consideration of S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, agreeing by unanimous consent to limit further debate as follows on pending Prouty point of order against sec. 502 (assessments on coal operators and importers to provide funds for a Safety Research Trust Fund):

Senate's unfinished business, S. 2917, will be laid before Senate at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, September 30; immediately thereafter, the presence of a quorum will be ascertained by the presiding officer; on the ascertainment of a live quorum, debate will be limited to 90 minutes, equally divided, on the pending question as

to whether Prouty point of order is well taken; and on expiration of such time, vote will be taken on the point of order or any appropriate motion in connection therewith. Pages 27510–27530

Nominations: Two nominations to be Ambassador, as follows, were received: Thomas Patrick Melady, of New York, to the Republic of Burundi; and John F. Root, of Pennsylvania, to the Republic of Ivory Coast.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee held hearings on pending bills proposing amendments to the National School Lunch Act (S. 2152, 2548, H.R. 515 and 11651), with testimony from Senator Talmadge; Edward J. Hekman, Administrator, and Howard P. David, Deputy Administrator, both of Food and Nutrition Service, and Harlan J. Emery, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Josephine Martin, School Food Service Program, Georgia Department of Education; Mrs. Ethel Beckham and William Lehman, Board of Public Instruction, Dade County Public Schools, Florida; Adm. Ira H. Nunn, National Restaurant Association; Leo J. Coughlin, Canteen Corp., Chicago; and Frances E. Fischer, American Dietetic Association, Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony on the report of the Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates, having as its witnesses Louis R. Barba, National Association of Home Builders; John E. Krout, Committee on Mortgage Investments, National Association of Mutual Savings Banks; Lon Worth Crow, president, Mortgage Bankers Association of America; and Clay Cochran, executive director, Rural Housing Alliance.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Moss; Governor John B. Connally, of Texas, on behalf of the Livestock Producers Committee; Gen. Earl Rudder, president, Texas A. & M. University; George S. Dillon, Manufacturing Chemists Association; Stanley R. Fimberg, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Frederic W. Hickman, Northwest Industries, Inc.; Sidney Kess, Main Lafrentz and Co.; T. M. Evans, Crane Co.; T. F. Dixon Wainwright, Philadelphia; S. Rayburn Watkins, American Society of Association Executives; and Leon O. Stock, the Crown Textile Manufacturing Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNDERGROUND WEAPONS TESTING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S.J. Res. 155, providing for a study and evaluation of international and other foreign policy aspects of underground weapons testing. Testimony was received from Senators Gravel, Fong, Nelson, and Inouye, the latter of whom submitted a statement; Representatives Matsunaga and Mink; Dr. Kenneth Pitzer, president, Stanford University; Dr. Franklin Long, vice president, Cornell University; Dr. Jack Oliver, Lamont Geological Observatory, Columbia University; and Dr. Clarence E. Larson, Atomic Energy Commission.

Committee will meet tomorrow in executive session to discuss this proposed legislation.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued hearings on pending legislation aimed at controlling the drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), receiving testimony from Representative Koch; Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement and Operations; E. B. Anderson, of Hoffmann-LaRoche, Inc., Nutley, N.J.; and William L. Ford, National Wholesale Druggists Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PESTICIDES AND THE FARMWORKER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor held hearings to receive testimony concerning the effect that pesticides have on farmworkers, with testimony from the following witnesses: Cesar Chavez, director, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee; Dr. Harold M. Windlam, director, C. W. England Laboratories, Washington, D.C.; and Dr. H. L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, and Dr. Reo Duggan, Deputy Associate Commissioner for Compliance, both of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 14041–14074; one private bill, H.R. 14075; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 914 and 915, H. Con. Res. 385–389, and H. Res. 559 and 560, were introduced. Pages 27460–27461

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14000, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1970 for procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles, research, development, test and evaluation for the Armed Forces, and to prescribe the authorized personnel strength of the Selected Reserve of each Reserve Component of the Armed Forces; filed on Friday, September 26 (H. Rept. 91–522);

Report entitled "Office of Economic Opportunity and the Medical Foundation of Bellaire, Ohio"; filed on Saturday, September 27 (H. Rept. 91–523);

H.R. 4293, to provide for the continuation of authority for regulation of exports, amended (H. Rept. 91–524);

S. 2462, to amend the joint resolution establishing the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (H. Rept. 91–525);

H.R. 1703, 3590 (amended), 9591 (amended), 9906, 13183 (amended), and 13218, all private bills (H. Repts. 91–526 to 91–531, respectively);

H. Res. 533, to refer H.R. 3722, a private bill to the Chief Commissioner of the Court of Claims pursuant to sections 1492 and 2509 of title 28, U.S.C. (H. Rept. 91–532);

H.R. 6402, a private bill (H. Rept. 91–533); and

H.R. 13696, to amend the Military Personnel and Civilian Employees Claims Act of 1964, as amended, with respect to the settlement of claims against the United States by civilian officers and employees for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service, amended (H. Rept. 91–534). Pages 27459–27460

Veterans Home Loan Interest Rates: By a record vote of 340 yeas to 21 nays, the House passed H.R. 13369, to extend for 2 additional years the authority to set interest rates necessary to meet the mortgage market for guaranteed and insured home loans to veterans under title 38, U.S.C.

Agreed to an amendment that exempts VA housing loans from D.C. usury laws.

A point of order was sustained against the Patman amendment that sought to take money from the National Service Life Insurance Trust Fund and make it available for veteran home loans.

By a division vote of 16 yeas to 58 nays, rejected an amendment that would extend act for only 3 months in lieu of 2 years.

A point of order against an amendment that would prohibit interest rates on VA loans to exceed those of FHA loans was overruled, and the amendment was rejected by a voice vote.

H. Res. 556, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 27334–27353

Travel Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 538, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works. Pages 27355–27357

Labor-Management Trust Fund: By a record vote of 354 yeas to 1 nay, the House passed H.R. 4314, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds to provide employees, their families, and dependents with scholarships for study at educational institutions or the establishment of child care centers for preschool and school age dependents of employees.

This passage was subsequently vacated, and S. 2068, a similar Senate bill was passed in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 4314 as passed.

H. Res. 555, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 27357–27362

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 27359

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business.

LAND-GRANT COLLEGES FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS AND GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: held a hearing on H.R. 105 and H.R. 106, to establish Land-Grant Colleges in the Virgin Islands and Guam. Testimony was heard from Representative Perkins; Governor Melvin H. Evans, Virgin Islands; Dr. Lawrence Wanlass, president, College of the Virgin Islands; Mrs. Elizabeth P. Farrington, Director, Office of Territories, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded a hearing on H.R. 13432, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for migrant agricultural workers, and to provide assistance for health services for other seasonal agricultural workers. Testimony was heard from Dr. Roger Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health, HEW; and Representatives of the American Public Health Association.

AIRWAY USER TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of airways user taxes and establishment of an airway user trust fund. No announcements were made.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27579–27622

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2972–2976. Pages 27585–27586

Bill Referred: H.R. 13369, to authorize Administrator of Veterans' Administration, until October 1, 1971, to set interest rates necessary to meet mortgage market for certain guaranteed and insured loans, was referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 27579

Public Lands: Senate passed with committee amendments, S. 1366, releasing conditions in deed in certain portion of land heretofore conveyed by the United States to the Salt Lake City Corp. Pages 27580–27581

Appointments by Vice President: It was announced that the Vice President has appointed Senators Fulbright and Cook to attend the 15th conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held at Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, October 13–17. Pages 27581–27582

Wilderness: S. 713, to designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif., was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 27662

Coal Mine Safety: Senate continued its work on S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969. The Prouty point of order against section 502 (assessments on coal operators and importers to provide funds for a safety research trust fund), was withdrawn and the previously adopted unanimous-consent agreement respecting Senate action on point of order was rescinded.

By unanimous vote of 91 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Randolph amendment (for himself and others) to substitute for title V of the bill language to provide interim emergency coal mine disability benefits. Pages 27622–27632, 27636–27661

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: William B. Dale, of Maryland, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund; and numerous Army. Pages 27662–27666

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued hearings on pending bills proposing amendments to the National School Lunch Act (S. 2152, 2548; H.R. 515 and 11651), with testimony from Senator Spong; Representative Perkins; Dr. John N. Perryman, Denver, American School Food Services Association, accompanied by Rodney Ashby, Salt Lake City, Howard Briggs, Detroit, Thomas P. O'Hearn, Boston, and David R. Page, St. Louis; Mrs. Edward Ryan, National Congress of Parents & Teachers; and Harvey T. Stephens, and Edythe L. Robertson, both of Automatic Retailers of America, Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant of the Coast Guard; and Carlos C. Villarreal, Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony on current and future appropriation needs for D.C. highway and subway projects as presently contemplated from Senator Tydings; Frederick A. Babson, chairman, Jackson Graham, general manager, Schuyler Lowe, executive officer and comptroller, and Gladys Noon Spellman, chairman, Washington Suburban Transit Commission, all of the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; T. F. Airis, Director, D.C. Department of Highways and Traffic; and D. P. Herman, Budget Officer, and Comer S. Coppie, Deputy Budget Officer, both of the D.C. government.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony on the report of the Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates, having as its witnesses Nathaniel Keith, president, National Housing Conference; W. P. Bridges, Jr., and Louis H. Nevins, both of the National Association of Real Estate Boards; Francis W. Stover and Norman D. Jones, both of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Jack Sonnenblick, North American Mortgage Investors; and Ronnie J. Straw, National Telephone Cooperative Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 1938, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, receiving testimony from E. L. McCulloch, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Cleveland; and Al Chesser, United Transportation Union, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senators Proxmire and Allott; Fred W. Peel, American Mining Congress Tax Committee; Brice O'Brien, National Coal Association; John

R. Greenlee, American Iron Ore Association; Kenneth E. Tobin, Jr., National Industrial Sand Association and National Sand and Gravel Association; S. James Campbell, National Crushed Stone Association; Philip L. Corson and Robert S. Boynton, National Lime Association Tax Committee; Paul W. Seitz, National Limestone Institute, Inc.; Rhyne Simpson, Gypsum Association; John W. Roberts, Solite Corp.; and Clark Sutherland, National Clay Pipe Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNDERGROUND WEAPONS TESTING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to discuss S.J. Res. 155, providing for a study and evaluation of international and other foreign policy aspects of underground weapons testing, but took no action.

U.S. PROGRAMS IN PHILIPPINES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad held executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of the Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in the Philippines.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations began hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Brig. Gen. Leo Benade, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Military Personnel Policy); and Irvin Beard, formerly an investigator with the Army Criminal Investigations Division.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NONJUDICIAL ACTIVITIES OF JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed hearings on nonjudicial activities of Supreme Court Judges and other Federal judges, having as its witnesses Arthur J. Goldberg, a New York attorney, Tom C. Clark, Director, the Federal Judicial Center, and Stanley F. Reed, all of whom are retired Justices of the U.S. Supreme Court; Prof. Max Isenbergh, University of Virginia; Bennett Boskey, attorney, Washington, D.C.; and Dr. Eva Rubin, North Carolina State University.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969, having as its witness Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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PESTICIDES AND THE FARMWORKER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor continued hearings to receive testimony concerning the effect that pesticides have on farmworkers, with testimony from Anthony A. Bianco, Jr., Bianco Food Corp., Delano, Calif.; Dr. Paul Porter, Shell Development Research Co., Modesto, Calif.; Dr. Allen Lemmon, Assistant Director, Department of Agriculture, Sacramento, Calif.; and John Guimarra, Jr., Guimarra Vineyards Corp., Bakersfield, Calif.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RESOURCE RECOVERY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S. 2005, providing financial assistance for the construction of solid waste disposal facilities, with testimony from Secretary Robert H. Finch, accompanied by C. C. Johnson, Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, Richard Vaughan, Director, Bureau of Solid Waste, and Lewis H. Butler, Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, all of HEW; and Hollis M. Dole, Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources, accompanied by John F. O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines, and David D. Dominick, Commissioner, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, all of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 14076–14111; two private bills, H.R. 14112 and 14113; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 916, H. Con. Res. 390–393, and H. Res. 561 and 562, were introduced. Pages 27804–27805

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10106, to revise the definition of a "child" for purposes of veterans' benefits provided by title 38, United States Code, to recognize an adopted child as a dependent from the date of issuance of an interlocutory decree (H. Rept. 91–535);

H.R. 10912, to amend title 38, United States Code, to liberalize the conditions under which the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is required to effect recoupment from disability compensation otherwise payable to certain disabled veterans (H. Rept. 91–536);

H.R. 372, to modify the reporting requirements and establish additional income exclusions relating to pension for veterans and their widows, to liberalize the bar to payment of benefits to remarried widows of veterans, to liberalize the oath of requirement for hospitalization of veterans, amended (H. Rept. 91–537);

H.R. 13576, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans, amended (H. Rept. 91–538);

H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development, amended (H. Rept. 91–539);

H.R. 5968, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass home as a part of the park system in the National Capital" approved September 5, 1962, amended (H. Rept. 91–540);

H. Res. 561, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14000, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–541);

H.R. 14030, to amend section 358a(a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments (H. Rept. 91–542);

S. 1836, to amend the Federal Seed Act (53–1275), as amended (H. Rept. 91–543); and

H.R. 9857, to amend the provisions of the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, 1930, to authorize an increase in license fee (H. Rept. 91–544).

Pages 27803–27804

Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee No. 4 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Wednesday, October 1. The Subcommittee on Accounts of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit during general debate of the House today.

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Printing Resolutions Cleared: Cleared the following printing resolutions by concurring to Senate amendments thereto:

H. Con. Res. 309, authorizing printing of second listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study; and

H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing the printing as a House document of a revised edition of "The Capitol," and providing for additional copies. Page 27669

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight.

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Railroad Retirement Act—Tax Act: By a record vote of 372 yeas to 17 nays, the House passed H.R. 13300, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Tax Act to provide for the extension of supplemental annuities and the mandatory retirement of employees.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that would strike out the provisions providing for mandatory retirement, and delete provisions regarding "yellow dog" or private contracts between individual employees and management (rejected by a division vote of 60 yeas to 104 nays);

An amendment that would delay by 1 year the retirement cycle and deletes the "yellow dog" provisions (rejected by a division vote of 50 yeas to 78 nays);

By a division vote of 47 yeas to 81 nays, rejected an amendment to the previous amendment that would require management to negotiate with union in the extension of employment of a person over age 65.

H. Res. 535, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 27670–27687

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 27803

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations began hearings on H.R. 13193, to recover costs of Federal administration of marketing agreements and orders. Testimony was heard from Representatives Goodling, May, Burleson, Miller of Ohio, and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RICE INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice concluded a hearing on H.R. 8739 and related bills, to improve rice inspection. Testimony was heard from Representatives Abernethy, Leggett, and Edwards of Louisiana; departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Pickle.

MILITARY SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the Draft began hearings on H.R. 14001 and H.R. 14015, to repeal the existing statutory prohibition against changing the present method of selecting inductees. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs Roger T. Kelley.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth held a hearing on the quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Institute of Architects.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related

bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Thursday, October 2.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

LAND-GRANT COLLEGES FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS AND GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs concluded hearings on H.R. 105 and H.R. 106, to establish land-grant colleges for the Virgin Islands and Guam. Testimony was heard from Gov. Carlos Camacho of Guam and public witnesses.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of the airways and airport modernization bill.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 14000, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1970 for procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles, research, development, test, and evaluation for the Armed Forces, and to prescribe the authorized personnel strength of the Selected Reserve of each Reserve component of the Armed Forces. Bill is to be read for amendment by title instead of by section; after passage it shall be in order to take S. 2546 from the Speaker's table and amend it with the House-passed language. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rivers and Representative Arends.

DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 10912, provides for the liberalization of the conditions under which the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is required to effect recoupment from disability compensation otherwise payable to disabled veterans;

H.R. 10106, to revise the definition of a "child" for purposes of veterans' benefits provided by title 38, United States Code, to recognize an adopted child as a dependent from the date of issuance of an interlocutory decree;

H.R. 372, amended, to modify the reporting requirement and establish additional income exclusions relating to pension for veterans and their widows, to liberalize the bar to payment of benefits to remarried widows of veterans, and to liberalize the oath requirement for hospitalization of veterans; and

H.R. 13576, amended, to amend title 38 of the United States Code to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans.

AIRWAY USER TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of airway user taxes and establishment of an airway user trust fund.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of government, receiving testimony from Jack W. Carlson, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; and William W. Kaufmann, the Brookings Institution.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 6.

STUDENT LOANS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, October 1, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27859–27913

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2977–2982; and S. Res. 267.

Pages 27869–27870

Bill Referred: H.R. 13300, to provide for extension of supplemental annuities and the mandatory retirement

of railroad employees, was referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 27859

Great Plains Conservation: Senator Bellmon was named as a conferee on H.R. 10595, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program, in lieu of Senator Cook, who has resigned as a member of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

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Employer Contributions: S. 2068, to amend the Labor-Management Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day-care centers, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto.

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National Health Week: S.J. Res. 46, authorizing President to designate the period of November 16–22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week," was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 27942

D.C.: Senate passed without amendment, S. 2163, to establish in the House of Representatives the Office of the Delegate from the District of Columbia.

Pages 27942–27947

D.C.: S. 2164, to establish a Commission on Government for the District of Columbia, was passed with committee amendments. Page 27947

Coal Mine Safety: Senate continued consideration of S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, adopting three additional amendments as follows:

Modified Metcalf amendment No. 177, providing for establishment of toilet facilities in underground mines where sanitary conditions so require; Javits amendment to establish mandatory standards as to maximum noise exposure levels for all coal mines; and Kennedy amendment to make it unlawful to discriminate against any miner for calling attention to any violation of the act or testifying in connection therewith.

Pending at adjournment was Cooper amendment No. 218 (which after debate during the day had been put aside for action on other amendments), defining a "gassy" coal mine. Pages 27914, 27915–27938, 27947–27951

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nomination of L. Ralph Mecham, of Utah, to be Federal cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission; and one judicial nomination. Page 27951

Nomination: Nomination of Robert E. Wieczorowski, of Illinois, to be U.S. Executive Director of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development was received. Page 27951

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on pending bills proposing amendments to the National School Lunch Act (S. 2152, 2548; H.R. 515 and 11651), with testimony from Senator Javits; Gerard F. Devlin, representing Governor Marvin Mandel of Maryland; Harry L. Graham, National Farmers Organization; John R. Kramer, National Council on Hunger and Malnutrition in the United States; and Michael M. Galazan, National Association of Sheltered Workshops and Home Bound Programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from D. W. Oberlin, Administrator, St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; Reginald N. Whitman, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration; Francis C. Turner, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration; and John H. Reed, Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee concluded hearings on the report of the Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates, having as its witnesses William F. McKenna, National League of Insured Savings Associations; Norman Strunk, and Stephen Slipher, both of the United States Savings and Loan League; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Erma Angevine, Consumer Federation of America; and Harold Ostroff. United Housing Foundation.

POISON PREVENTION PACKAGING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Consumers held hearings on S. 2162, to authorize the establishment of standards for the child-resistant packaging of hazardous substances, with testimony from Alfred W. Snodgrass, Lockheed Shipbuilding & Construction Co., Renton, Wash.; Dr. Glen E. Wegner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of HEW for Legislation, accompanied by Henry L. Verhulst and Dr. Georg S. Maisel, Poison Control Division, Bureau of Medicine, Food and Drug Administration; Robert L. Meade, President's Committee for Consumer Interests; Richard L. Cheney, Glass Container Manufacturers Institute, accompanied by his associates; Leon L. Wolfstone, American Trial Lawyers Association, Seattle; and Charles C. Sullivan, Committee for Continuing Study of Improved Safety Closures.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIOLENCE AND CRIME IN D.C. SCHOOLS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety held hearings to receive testimony on the subject of violence and crime in the schools of the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Rev. James Coates, President, D.C. Board of Education; Charles T. Duncan, Acting D.C. Public Safety Director; William H. Simons, president, Washington Teachers' Union; and numerous other witnesses, including school principals, teachers, students, and others.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senator Tower; Gov. Dewey F. Bartlett, of Oklahoma; Emilio G. Collado, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Robert G. Dunlop, Sun Oil Co., William Spencer, First National City Bank, and George V. Myers, Standard Oil of Indiana, who sat as a panel of witnesses presenting the testimony of several petroleum and oil and gas associations; H. A. True, Jr., Independent Petroleum Association of America, and Clinton Engstrand, Liaison Committee of Cooperating Associations, who presented the testimony of numerous independent petroleum and oil and gas associations; Eberhard P. Deutsch, Permian Basin Independent Petroleum Producers Association; Joseph R. Rensch, Pacific Lighting Service Co.; Walter E. Rogers, Independent Natural Gas Association of America; William Jackman, Investors League, Inc.; Morton M. Winston, The Oil Shale Corp.; B. P. Huddleston, Citronelle-Mobile Gathering System Co., Inc.; Harold D. Rogers, North Texas Oil & Gas Association; and Prof. Arthur W. Wright, University of Massachusetts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. PROGRAMS IN PHILIPPINES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of the Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in the Philippines.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Maj. Harold D. Krashes, Chief of Legislative Liaison, Army; Lt. Col. William L. George, U.S. Army; and LaVern J. Duffy of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FRANCIS ASBURY STATUE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration S. 1968, authorizing removal and conveyance to the Methodist Corporation of the Francis Asbury statue, prior to which action, in open hearings, testimony was received from George Hartzog, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

TERRITORIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on the following four bills:

S. 232, authorizing funds to promote economic development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, with testimony from Mrs. Elizabeth P. Farrington, Director, Office of Territories, Department of the Interior;

S. 1148, providing that the College of the Virgin Islands be considered as established for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, and authorizing funds therefor, with testimony from Mrs. Farrington; Gov. Melvin H. Evans, of the Virgin Islands; Dr. N. P. Ralston, Deputy Director, Science and Education, Department of Agriculture; Ron deLugo, Virgin Islands representative; and Dr. Lawrence C. Wanlass, president, College of the Virgin Islands;

S. 1149, providing that the College of Guam be considered as established for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, and authorizing funds therefor, with testimony from Mrs. Farrington; Gov. Carlos G. Camacho, of Guam; Dr. Ralston; Antonio B. Won Pat, Guam's Washington representative; and Dr. Antonio Yamashita, president, University of Guam; and

S. 2314, granting the Virgin Islands legislature authority to lower the voting age of persons in their territory, with testimony from Mrs. Farrington; Governor Evans; Mr. deLugo; and Lloyd Williams, representing the Young Democratic Club in St. Thomas.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

James H. Brickley, to be U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan;

Duane K. Craske, to be U.S. attorney for the District of Guam;

Blas C. Herrero, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the District of Puerto Rico;

William W. Milligan, to be U.S. attorney for the Southern District of Ohio;

Edward R. Neaher, to be U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of New York;

Stanley G. Pitkin, to be U.S. attorney for the Western District of Washington;

Bart M. Schouweiler, to be U.S. attorney for the District of Nevada;

Rex K. Baumgardner, to be U.S. marshal for the Northern District of West Virginia;

Gaylord L. Campbell, to be U.S. marshal for the Central District of California;

William A. Quick, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the Western District of Virginia;

George R. Tallent, to be U.S. marshal for the Western District of Tennessee; and

Rex Walters, to be U.S. marshal for the District of Idaho.

Committee also approved the following bills:

H.J. Res. 851, requesting the President to proclaim a "Day of Bread" and "Harvest Festival";

S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years service;

S. 981, providing that the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland sit at one additional location (amended to make it a point within 5 miles from the border between Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties);

S.J. Res. 143, to extend the duration of copyright protection in certain cases;

Eight private immigration bills: (S. 533, 1775, 1797, 2096, 2231, 2443, H.R. 3165, and 3560); and

One private claim bill: (S. 476);

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on two private claims bills (S. 56 and H.R. 1721); and 69 private immigration bills: (S. 125, 158, 186, 247, 271, 468, 469, 549, 551, 555, 590, 593, 747, 767, 768, 799, 802, 871, 949, 955, 1030, 1133, 1136, 1137, 1200, 1210, 1221, 1222, 1270, 1275, 1386, 1404, 1426, 1428, 1615, 1617, 1618, 1641, 1667, 1673, 1715, 1731, 1741, 1746, 1748, 1765, 1767, 1840, 1841, 1842, 1948, 2126, 2136, 2255, 2374, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2434, 2480, 2519, 2536, 2567, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2786, and H.R. 6670).

Committee announced that it had put over for 1 week consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, and S. 1520, proposed Newspaper Preservation Act.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AND NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original bill in lieu of S. 1809, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize $2.340 billion for fiscal year 1970, and $2.732 billion for fiscal year 1971, and would provide new programs in the field of alcoholism and drug abuse.

Committee announced that it is expected that this bill, with minority views, will be reported near the end of next week.

Also, committee approved the nomination of Nancy Hanks, of New York, to be Chairman of the National Council on the Arts, prior to which action, in open hearings, testimony was received from the nominee and Michael Werboff, American Artists Professional League.

FEDERAL PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on proposed Federal employees pay legislation, having as its witness John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; and Dr. Nathan T. Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of L. Ralph Mecham, of Utah, to be Federal cochairman of the Four Corners Regional Commission.

RESOURCE RECOVERY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 2005, providing financial assistance for the construction of solid waste disposal facilities, with testimony from Dr. Hubert Heffner, Deputy Director, Office of Science and Technology; Ned D. Bayley, Jr., Director of Science and Education, Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 14114–14140; two private bills, H.R. 14141 and 14142; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 917–920, and H. Con. Res. 394 and 395, were introduced. **Pages 28038–28039**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14020, to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. Savings bonds (H. Rept. 91–545);

S. 2564, to amend the act fixing the boundary of Everglades National Park, Fla., and authorizing the acquisition of land therein, in order to authorize an additional amount for the acquisition of certain lands for such park, amended (H. Rept. 91–546); and

H.R. 1706, to provide for the conveyance of certain mineral rights in and under lands in Pike County, Georgia, amended (H. Rept. 91–547). **Page 28038**

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight Thursday, October 2 on the Public Works and Atomic Energy Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970. Page 27952

Subcommittees to Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary and the Subcommittee on Elections of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 27953

Military Procurement: After completing all general debate on H.R. 14000, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970, the first title of the bill was read and open for amendment, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 561, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a record vote of 324 yeas to 61 nays. Pages 27954–28012

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1366, releasing conditions in deed in certain portion of land heretofore conveyed by the United States to the Salt Lake City Corp., was referred to the Committee on Government Operations. Page 28038

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations continued hearings on H.R. 13193, to recover costs of Federal administration of marketing agreements and orders. Testimony was heard from Representative Tunney and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations held a hearing on H.R. 901, to remove certain restrictions against alcoholic beverages under Title I of Public Law 480. Testimony was heard from Representative Sisk and departmental and public witnesses.

Following the open hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session but took no final action, and adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the Draft continued hearings on H.R. 14001 and H.R. 14015, to repeal the existing statutory prohibition against changing the present method of selecting inductees. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service Director, and further testimony from Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs Roger T. Kelley.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COINAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on coinage legislation. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURT REFORMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on the proposed bills to reorganize the D.C. courts and criminal procedure. Testimony was heard from Donald Santarelli, Associate Deputy U.S. Attorney General.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9312 amended, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 11792, foreign aid bill.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

LAND ACQUISITIONS AND DISPOSALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2564, amended, authorizes the appropriation of $1 million for the acquisition of 6,640 acres of land, known as the Flagler tract, in the Everglades National Park, Fla.; H.R. 9163, to authorize the disposal of certain real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., under the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949; H.R. 13767 amended, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Fort Donelson National Battlefield in the State of Tennessee; and H.R. 3247 amended, to amend the act of December 11, 1963 (re Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, South Dakota).

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of the Airways and Airport Modernization Bill.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

CLAIMS INVOLVING NATIONAL GUARD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full Committee

action H.R. 2751, to amend section 715 of title 32, United States Code, to authorize the application of local law in determining the effect of contributory negligence on claims involving members of the National Guard. The Committee also acted on private claims bills.

ANTI-OBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on anti-obscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Thompson of Georgia and Lloyd. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Baring, Broyhill of Virginia, Cahill, Chappell, Collier, Denney, Fascell, Hunt, Monagan, Quillen, Robison, Skubitz, Watson, Bob Wilson, Roberts, Mathias, Minish and Thomson.

COMMISSION ON BANKRUPTCY LAWS—DISCHARGEABILITY OF DEBTS IN BANKRUPTCY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 88, to create a Commission on bankruptcy laws; and H.R. 6665 and H.R. 12250, regarding dischargeability of debts in bankruptcy. Testimony was heard from William Foley, Deputy Director, and Royal Jackson, Chief, Bankruptcy Division Administrative Office, U.S. Courts, D.C.; Referee Daniel R. Cowans, president, The National Conference of Referees in Bankruptcy, San Jose, Calif., accompanied by Gene E. Brooks, referee in bankruptcy, Evansville Ind., Charles Seligson, chairman, National Bankruptcy Conference, New York, and Prof. Vern Countryman, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Mass.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, concluded hearings on H.R. 279 and related bills, the Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Anderson of Tennessee; Hon. Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Charles A. Perlick, Jr., secretary-treasurer, American Newspaper Guild, D.C.; William Loeb, president and publisher, Manchester Union Leader and Paul Conrad, Esq., National Newspaper Association, D.C.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea", and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Agency, and a National Advisory Committee on the Oceans and Atmosphere. Testimony was heard from W. D. McElroy, Director, NSF; and Dr. Sidney Galler, Assistant Secretary for Science, Smithsonian Institution.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OBSCENE MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 10867, to amend title 39, United States Code, to exclude from the U.S. mails as a special category of nonmailable matter certain obscene material sold or offered for sale to minors. Testimony was heard from Senator Barry M. Goldwater and Representatives Staggers, Ullman, Rogers of Florida, Whitehurst, and Quillen.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Vincent E. Jay, Legislative Director, Federal Professional Association; Mrs. Rose G. Martin, executive director, National Association for Practical Nurse Education and Service; and a representative of the National Federation of Federal Employees.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Economic Development Programs began hearings on evaluations of the effectiveness of various economic development programs. Testimony was heard from Robert Podesta, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Began hearings on the administration proposals with respect to changes in the unemployment compensation laws. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz; Murray L. Weidenbaum, Assistant Secretary for Economic Policy, Department of the Treasury; and Walter H. Hamilton, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Domestic Business Policy, Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

STUDENT LOANS

Conferees: Continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through September 30, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	120	136	..
Time in session	546 hrs., 13′	442 hrs., 54′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	11,624	8,760	20,384
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	7,996
Public bills enacted into law	30	48	78
Private bills enacted into law	14	35	49
Bills in conference	3	5	8
Bills through conference	2	4	6
Measures passed, total	469	465	..
Senate bills	203	38	..
House bills	87	229	..
Senate joint resolutions	26	12	..
House joint resolutions	8	13	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	20	25	..
Simple resolutions	116	141	257
Measures reported, total	*549	*516	..
Senate bills	218	42	..
House bills	97	315	..
Senate joint resolutions	28	2	..
House joint resolutions	7	12	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	20	15	..
Simple resolutions	170	125	295
Special reports	11	23	..
Conference reports	..	5	..
Reported measures not acted on	26	97	..
Measures introduced, total	3,435	15,984	19,419
Bills	2,976	14,113	17,089
Joint resolutions	155	916	1,071
Concurrent resolutions	38	393	431
Simple resolutions	266	562	828
Quorum calls	16	104	..
Yea-and-nay votes	88	89	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 436 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 544 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through September 30, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 11,015, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	10,174
Unconfirmed	840
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 15,457, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	15,456
Unconfirmed	1
Navy nominations, totaling 18,082, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	18,082
Unconfirmed	0
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 8,242, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,493
Unconfirmed	1,749
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,409, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,301
Unconfirmed	88
Withdrawn	20
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Unconfirmed	0
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	56,833
Total confirmed	53,682
Total unconfirmed	2,678
Total withdrawn	473

Thursday, October 2, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28189–28214

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2983–2989. Page 28191

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 533, 2096, 2231, 2443, H.R. 3165, 3560, S. 1797, 1775, and 476, private bills (S. Repts. 91–437 to 91–445);

H.J. Res. 851, requesting the President to proclaim "Day of Bread" and "Harvest Festival" (S. Rept. 91–446);

S.J. Res. 143, to extend the duration of copyright protection in certain cases (S. Rept. 91–447);

S. 981, providing that the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland sit at one additional location, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–448); and

S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service (S. Rept. 91–449). Page 28191

President's Communication—Disaster Relief: President transmitted communication requesting an amendment to the budget for fiscal year 1970 in the amount of $125 million for disaster relief, which was referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–36. Page 28190

Coal Mine Safety: By unanimous vote of 73 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 2917, proposed Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, after taking the following actions on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: Metcalf amendment to make mandatory rather than permissive the imposition of civil penalties on operators for violation of mandatory health or safety standards; Cooper amendment No. 218, as amended by adoption, by 45 yeas to 31 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) of Williams (New Jersey)-Javits amendment in the nature of a substitute therefor (respecting certain electric face equipment in coal mines not classified as "gassy"; Byrd (West Virginia) amendment providing that in determining amount of a mandatory civil penalty against an operator for violation of a mandatory health or safety standard there shall be taken into consideration whether he was at fault; and Allen amendment providing that a mandatory civil penalty for violation of a mandatory health or safety standard shall be not less than $1 nor more than $25,000; and

Rejected: By 24 yeas to 53 nays, Prouty-Bellmon-Dominick amendment No. 219, to create as an independent agency the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Board of Review.

Pages 28215–28216, 28218–28221, 28227–28260

Civil Service Retirement: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, S. 2754, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress, adopting en bloc McGee amendments of a clarifying, technical nature.

Presiding officer stated that he is referring to the Senate, because of the constitutional question involved, whether the following Williams (Delaware) point of order is well taken: Sec. 207 of the bill to exclude a maximum of $3,000 per year of annuity from gross income of annuitant for income tax purposes may not originate in the Senate but in the House. By unanimous consent, it was agreed that at conclusion of routine morning business on Friday, October 3, debate on the pending question as to whether the Williams (Delaware) point of order is well taken will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided. Page 28260–28268

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Nancy Hanks, of New York, to be Chairman of the National Council on the Arts; and 12 judicial. Page 28268

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, and four judicial nominations. Page 28268

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Whitney Gillilland, Vice Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Frederick Babson, chairman, Jackson Graham, general manager, and Gladys Spellman, Washington Suburban Transit Commission, all of the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the following nominations:

Helen D. Bentley, of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Maritime Commission, with testimony from Senators Mathias and Tydings; and Representatives Fallon, Friedel, Garmatz, Heckler of Massachusetts,

Downing, and Dwyer, who represented Representative Morton;

Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; and

Isabel A. Burgess, of Arizona, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board, with testimony from Senators Fannin and Goldwater.

POISON PREVENTION PACKAGING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Consumers continued hearings on S. 2162, to authorize the establishment of standards for the child-resistant packaging of hazardous substances, with testimony from Dr. Allan K. Done, director of the poison and therapy center, University of Utah; Dr. Murray F. Franklin, Hayes Albion Corp., Jackson, Mich.; Dr. Roger J. Meyer, Infant Welfare Society of Chicago; Lt. Col. Robert G. Scherz, M.C., chief of pediatric service, Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma; Dr. Jay Arena, American Association of Poison Control Centers, Durham, N.C.; Dr. Maurice L. Tainter, Sterling Drug, Inc., New York; and James F. Hoge, the Proprietary Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2869, to revise the criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Petey Greene, United Planning Organization; Prof. William Greenhalgh, George Washington University Law Center; Sam Dash, Legal Aid Agency for the District of Columbia; James H. Heller, American Civil Liberties Union; and Hiawatha Burris, Bonabond, Inc.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 8.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senators Bellmon and Mathias; Dan Throop Smith, professor of finance, Harvard University; George S. Koch, Council of State Chambers of Commerce; Stanley Nitzburg, Commerce and Industry Association of New York; Arthur J. Packard, American Hotel and Motel Association; Carl A. Beck, National Small Business Association; Robert G. Skinner, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Richard L. Goldman, Association of Mutual Fund Plan Sponsors, Inc.; Dr. Norman Topping, president, University of Southern California, on behalf of California Independent Colleges; John Rinaldo, Rinaldo & Associates, Long Beach; Adrian Pembroke, Business Products Council Association; Ernest Giddings, American Association of Retired Persons, and National Retired Teachers Association; John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; Thomas G. Walters, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; and Miss Vivian Kellems, East Haddam, Conn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. PROGRAMS IN PHILIPPINES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of the Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in the Philippines.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Col. Jack Pruett and Warrant Officer Rex M. Harding, both of the Criminal Investigation Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs approved for full committee consideration the following measures:

S. 338, to broaden the scope of present flight-training provisions of the so-called Cold War GI bill (with amendments, one of which would incorporate the provisions of an amended version of S. 1998, modifying requirements for the farm cooperative program for eligible veterans);

H.R. 2768, eliminating 6-month limitation on nursing home care for veterans with service-connected disabilities.

H.R. 3130, authorizing VA to furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to veterans totally disabled from a service-connected disability.

H.R. 9634, to improve VA program of sharing specialized medical resources (amended to incorporate provisions of S. 2623, authorizing VA Administrator to appoint certain persons in the nursing service of the VA);

S. 1279, providing that any disability of a veteran who is a former prisoner of war is presumed to be service connected for purposes of treatment (amended);

H.R. 9334, increasing Federal payments to the States for the care of veterans in State homes (amended); and

H.R. 693, to provide that veterans who are 70 years of age or older be deemed unable to pay hospital or domiciliary expenses.

Subcommittee reported to the full committee without recommendation the following measures:

An original bill (to be introduced by Senator Cranston) to be entitled "Veterans Education and Training Assistance Amendments Act of 1969"; and

H.R. 692, extending from 6 to 9 months the time that community nursing home care may be provided for veterans.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education held an executive meeting for the purpose of considering language for inclusion in its final report.

FEDERAL PAY LEGISLATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on proposed Federal employees pay legislation, having as its witnesses Herbert F. Alfrey, National Association of Rural Letter Carriers; Patrick Zenbower, American Nurses Association; C. O. Henderson, National Federation of Professional Organizations; and Edward L. Bowley, National Postal Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RESOURCE RECOVERY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 2005, providing financial assistance for the construction of solid waste disposal facilities, with testimony from Col. John Redmond, Chairman, Environmental Pollution Control Committee, Department of Defense, accompanied by James J. Menefee and Frank R. Heller, both of the Corps of Army Engineers; Lt. Comdr. Philip J. Parisius, Naval Facilities Engineering Command; and Harvey L. Segal, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 14143–14170; two private bills, H.R. 14171 and 14172; and two resolutions, H. Con. Res. 396 and H. Res. 563, were introduced.

Pages 28188–28189

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 14159, Public Works and Atomic Energy Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–548). Page 28188

Military Procurement: Continued reading for amendment H.R. 14000, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Completed title I, and title II was read and open for amendment when the Committee of the Whole rose.

While in the Committee of the Whole, agreed to an amendment that excluded funds for the Sheridan M–551 tank.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to delete $345.5 million in procurement funds for the ABM system (rejected by a teller vote of 105 yeas to 219 nays);

An amendment that sought to reduce funds for naval vessels by $1,023.3 million (rejected by a teller vote of 92 yeas to 131 nays);

An amendment that sought to cut by $86 million funds for COBRA helicopter procurement (rejected by a division vote of 36 yeas to 92 nays);

An amendment that sought to defer $481 million requested for procurement of the fourth C–5A transport aircraft squadron (rejected by a teller vote of 60 yeas to 136 nays);

An amendment that sought to cut $77.4 million from the SRAM missile program (rejected by a division vote of 34 yeas to 88 nays);

An amendment that provided for a holdup of funds for the deployment of an antiballistic missile system until the Congress has been advised of a clear policy and definitive plans for the command and control of such system (rejected by a division vote of 32 yeas to 86 nays);

An amendment that designated $42 million for procurement of OV–10 aircraft; and

An amendment that sought to cut funds by $275 million for procurement of F–14 fighter planes.

Proceedings under the 5-minute rule continue tomorrow. Pages 28101–28176

Conferee Change: Representative Mailliard was appointed as a conferee in the conference on S. 1075, to establish a national policy for the environment; to authorize studies, surveys, and research relating to ecological systems, natural resources, and the quality of the human environment, in lieu of Representative Pelly.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 28188

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENTS AND ORDERS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations continued hearings on H.R. 13193, to recover costs of Federal administration of marketing agreements and orders. Testimony was heard from Representatives Sisk and de la Garza and public witnesses.

Following the open hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session and agreed to table H.R. 13193.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS AND ATOMIC ENERGY

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Public Works and Atomic Energy Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970, amended.

EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education began hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Gallagher, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Research, Planning, and Evaluation.

Hearings continue October 7.

NATIONAL CONSERVATION AREA IN CALIFORNIA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded hearings on H.R. 12870, to provide for the establishment of the King Range National Conservation area in the State of California. Testimony was heard from Representative Don Clausen; Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, and one public witness.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

DIETETICS AND NUTRITION

Select Committee on House Restaurant: Committee met with a bipartisan group of congressional wives for a forum discussion on dietetics and nutrition. Speaker John W. McCormack and Majority Leader Carl Albert addressed the group, followed by testimony from Dr. Jean Mayer, Special Assistant to the President on Nutrition and Chairman of the White House Conference on Food Management and Health; Dr. Ronald S. Frederickson, Director, Heart Institute, National Institutes of Health; Miss Jeanne L. Tillotson, Consultant Dietician, National Institutes of Health; Mrs. Marjorie C. Zukel, National Consultant of the Heart Disease and Stroke Control program, National Institutes of Health; retired Adm. Ira H. Nunn, National Restaurant Association; and Dr. R. J. Pearson, Jr., Capitol Physician.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration proposals with respect to changes in the unemployment compensation laws. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Friday, October 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28313–28363

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2990–2992. Page 28325

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 337, increasing rate of per diem allowance for Government employees traveling on official business, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–450). Page 28325

Day of Bread: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 851, requesting the President to proclaim "Day of Bread" and "Harvest Festival." Pages 28316–28318

Civil Service Retirement: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 9825, relating to retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress, after amending the bill by substituting for its language the amended text of S. 2754, companion bill. Prior to this action, Senate took the following additional actions on amendments to S. 2754:

Adopted: McGee amendment to strike from the bill section 207, to exclude a maximum of $3,000 per year of annuity from gross income of annuitant for income tax purposes (Williams of Delaware point of order on constitutional grounds against this language having first been withdrawn); and

Rejected: By 8 yeas to 56 nays, modified Williams of Delaware amendment to strike the language of sections 201–204 which would base annuity on the average salary for 3 consecutive years rather than 5, would allow credit of accumulated sick leave which an employee has at time of retirement, and would provide certain other stated benefits.

Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 9825, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McGee, Yarborough, Randolph, Hartke, Fong, Boggs, and Fannin. S. 2754, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

After passage of bill, Secretary of Senate was authorized to eliminate the last four lines of the Senate amendment (S. 2754, as amended) so as to conform with provisions of such amendment following elimination of section 207 (exclusion of $3,000 of annuity from income tax). Pages 28363–28373

Peace Corps: Senate adopted Javits motion to reconsider passage of H.R. 11039, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970, and the bill was then again passed with a Javits amendment to increase by

$3 million authorized appropriations for the Peace Corps for 1970.

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Gore, Aiken, and Mundt.

Pages 28373–28374

D.C. Revenue: Senate passed H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, after adopting committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, which had first been amended by adoption of Eagleton amendment to increase from $8.5 million to $10.5 million authorized appropriations to reimburse the District of Columbia for revenues lost by it during that part of the fiscal year 1970 preceding date of enactment of this bill.

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Tydings, Bible, Spong, Eagleton, Prouty, Goodell, and Mathias. Pages 28389–28390

Kennedy Center: Senate considered H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

Pending at adjournment was modified Smith of Maine amendment No. 204, barring expenditure of increased authorized appropriations and providing that none of the increase in authority to borrow from the Treasury may be used until after Comptroller General has completed an investigation of the past and projected costs of the center, report thereof to be submitted to the Congress within 60 days after enactment of the bill.

By unanimous consent, the following debate-limitation agreement was entered into: After routine morning business on Monday, October 6, further debate on the pending Smith amendment will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided. Debate on all other amendments will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; and debate on question of final passage of the bill will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided. Pages 28374–28384

North Atlantic Assembly: Vice President has appointed Senator Percy to attend the North Atlantic Assembly to be held at Brussels on October 16–21, and has also appointed Senators Kennedy and Young of Ohio to the North Atlantic Assembly in lieu of Senators Byrd of West Virginia and McIntyre. Page 28403

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Helen D. Bentley, of Maryland, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner; Secor D. Browne, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; Isabel A. Burgess, of Arizona, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board; and two judicial. Page 28403

Nomination: Nomination of Caspar W. Weinberger, of California, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, was received. Page 28403

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUBOCEANIC LANDS

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee to study the United Nations' suboceanic lands policy received testimony from Senator Pell; and Malcolm Wilkey, general counsel, Kennecott Copper Co., New York City.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Harold Passer, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Senators Tydings, Stevens, and Goodell; Representatives Patman and Vanik; former Senator Smathers, on behalf of Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co. and Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. of New York; Scott P. Crampton and H. Francis DeLone, both of American Bar Association; Donald H. Gleason, National Association of Manufacturers; Walker Winter, Chamber of Commerce of the United States; Saul Pearl, Machinery Dealers National Association; Harold Ketelhut, Freeport, Ill.; Mrs. J. M. Ford, Lawrence, Kans.; Edna Anish, Pittsburgh; Max Lupkin, Joint Handicapped Council, New York City; Paul D. Seghers, Institute on U.S. Taxation of Foreign Income, Inc.; Dr. N. R. Danielian, International Economic Policy Association; John J. Carroll, National Foreign Trade Council; William J. Nolan, Jr., U.S. Council of the International Chamber of Commerce; and Dr. John A. Perkins, president, Wilmington Medical Center, Delaware.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 6.

U.S. PROGRAMS IN PHILIPPINES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of the Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in the Philippines.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Col. James C. Shoultz and Warrant Officer Reis R. Kash, both of the Criminal Investigation Division, Army.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 6.

RESOURCE RECOVERY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 2005, providing financial assistance for the construction of solid waste disposal facilities, with testimony from Theos J. Thompson, member, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14173–14195; three private bills, H.R. 14196–14198; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 921 and H. Con. Res. 397, were introduced. Pages 28511–28512

Military Procurement: By a record vote of 311 yeas to 44 nays, with one voting "present," the House passed H.R. 14000, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to report it back with procurement and research and development money for the ABM eliminated (rejected by a record vote of 92 yeas to 271 nays, with two voting "present").

By a record vote of 223 yeas to 141 nays, the previous question was ordered on the recommittal motion.

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment that would establish a semiannual reporting procedure on expenditures and programs for chemical and biological warfare;

An amendment that provides for three-star rank for the Chief, Office of Army Reserve, and the Chief, Office of Air Force Reserve;

An amendment that strikes title V from the bill (regarding the Department of Defense keeping the Armed Services Committees of Congress fully informed with respect to the Department's activities); and

Agreed to amend the title of the bill to conform to the House bill.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to delete $23 million from the R. & D. funding for the AMSA program;

An amendment that would delete $36 million in R. & D. funding for the Northrop F–5 Freedom Fighter;

An amendment that sought to delete $45 million for the AWACS airborne radar system, $16 million for an improved CONUS interceptor, and $75 million for the SAM–D missile (rejected by a division vote of 41 yeas to 92 nays);

An amendment that would establish a semiannual reporting procedure on expenditures and programs for CBW and prohibit development of delivery vehicles for lethal agents; would also prohibit secrecy in foreign and domestic shipping and storage of material; would also insure notice of open-air testing, and place a ceiling on stockpiles;

A point of order was sustained against an amendment that would provide for the initiation of reports on costs and cost overrun on the CBW program;

An amendment that would require that the overall strength of the Armed Forces be reduced by the number of men withdrawn from Vietnam (rejected by a division vote of 38 yeas to 85 nays);

An amendment that would require the Department of Defense to submit quarterly reports on major weapons systems and projects in R. & D. or production, and profit investigations on noncompetitive bid contractors (rejected by a teller vote of 89 yeas to 109 nays);

An amendment similar to the preceding, but stressed reporting on new programs (rejected by a teller vote of 97 yeas to 100 nays); and

An amendment that sought to limit total expenditures in the bill to $19,213,740,000.

This passage was subsequently vacated, and S. 2546, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 14000 as passed. Pages 28404–28495

Member Sworn: Representative Harrington of Massachusetts presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker. Page 28487

Calendar Wednesday: Objection was heard to a request to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 8. Page 28496

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file a report by midnight Saturday, October 4, on H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage. Page 28496

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the Draft continued hearings on H.R. 14001 and H.R. 14015, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967, to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Stratton, Thompson of New Jersey, Reid, Mink, Mikva, and Adams. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Karth.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COINAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on H.R. 13252 and ordered reported favorably to

the House a clean bill, H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage. Testimony was heard from Representatives Giaimo, Conte, and Representative McClure's testimony was presented by his administrative assistant.

FEDERAL ASSISTANCE FOR EDUCATION IN FEDERALLY IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on H.R. 14060, to amend the act of September 30, 1950, relating to Federal assistance for education in federally impacted areas, to provide such assistance to areas suffering a special burden on account of children of refugees. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

FISH AND WILDLIFE COORDINATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 857 and related bills, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to provide for more effective protection of fish and wildlife resources from the effects of projects licensed by Federal agencies; H.R. 1058, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to protect fish, wildlife, and recreation from damages resulting from the discharge of heated effluence into certain waters; and H.R. 1061, to amend the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act to require certain permits for exploring or mining oil and gas underlying the navigable waters of the United States. Testimony was heard from Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources, Department of the Interior; Brig. Gen. R. H. Groves, Deputy Director of Civil Works, Office of Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army; and Harold Price, Director of Regulation, Atomic Energy Commission.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on changes in the unemployment compensation laws. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, October 6.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28587–28624

Measures Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2993; and S.J. Res. 156. **Page 28588**

CCC: S.J. Res. 111, authorizing the Commodity Credit Corporation to make an additional advance of $25 million for emergency credit revolving fund, was indefinitely postponed. **Page 28584**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 11 bills, of which nine were private, passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 3165 and 3560.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Copyrights: S.J. Res. 143, to extend the duration of copyright protection in certain cases; and

Private bills: Four private bills, S. 533, 2096, 2231, and 2443.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Courts: S. 981, providing that the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland sit at one additional location; and

Private bills: Three private bills, S. 1797, 1775, and 476. **Pages 28584–28587**

Military Procurement: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, Russell, Symington, Jackson, Cannon, McIntyre, Smith of Maine, Thurmond, Tower, and Dominick. **Pages 28641–28643**

Kennedy Center: By 62 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President, H.R. 11249, to authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, after rejecting two amendments as follows:

By 19 yeas to 53 nays, modified Smith of Maine-Goldwater amendment No. 223, barring expenditure of increased authorized appropriations and providing that none of the increase in authority to borrow from the Treasury may be used until after Comptroller General has completed an investigation of the past and projected costs of the center, report thereof to be submitted to the Congress within 60 days after enactment of the bill; and by 21 yeas to 47 nays, Smith of Maine-Goldwater-Allen amendment, barring expenditure of increased authorized appropriations until after Comptroller General has completed an investigation of the past and projected costs of the center, report thereof to be submitted to the Congress within 60 days after enactment of the bill. **Pages 28624–28641, 28643–28647**

Public Lands—Wyoming: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1718, to convey to the city of Cheyenne certain property heretofore donated by it to United States.

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of Isabel A. Burgess, of Arizona, to be a member of the National

Transportation Safety Board; and one judicial nomination. Page 28650

Nominations: Senate received the nomination of Dr. S. Paul Ehrlich, Jr., of Virginia, to be U.S. representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; and one judicial nomination. Page 28650

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Irwin Miller, Cummins Engine Co.; Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, president, University of Notre Dame; Frank C. Erwin, Jr., chairman, board of regents, University of Texas System; Dr. John A. D. Cooper, president, Association of American Medical Colleges; Felix C. Robb, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; J. George Harrar, president, The Rockefeller Foundation; Alan Pifer, president, Carnegie Corp. of New York; David Freeman, president, Council on Foundations; Merrimon Cunninggim, president, Danforth Foundation; Homer Wadsworth, president, Kansas City Association of Trusts and Foundations; W. Russell Arrington, president pro tempore, Illinois State Senate, testifying for the Citizens Conference on State Legislatures; Julius Stratton, chairman of the board, the Ford Foundation; McGeorge Bundy, president, the Ford Foundation; Whitney Young, president, The National Urban League; Whitney North Seymour, chairman of the board of directors, Council on Library Resources and the International Legal Center; James Killian, chairman, Board of Trustees of Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dana Creel, president, Rockefeller Brothers Fund; Dr. Jonas Salk, director, the Salk Institute for Biological Studies; John J. McCloy, Milbank, Tweed, Hadley, and McCloy; and John W. Macey, Jr., president, Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Philip R. Manuel, a member of the subcommittee's staff; Lt. Paul Duellman, Chicago Police Department; and Col. James C. Shoultz, Criminal Investigation Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Eugene H. Nickerson, county executive, Nassau County, N.Y.; Lawrence K. Roos, county supervisor, St. Louis County, Mo.; and James M. Gleason, county chairman, Multnomah County, Oreg.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings into the high costs of auto repairs, having as its witnesses Dr. William Haddon, Jr., president, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety; and Gerald J. Lynch, chairman and president, Menasco, Inc., Burbank, Calif. (manufacturer of shock absorbing bumpers).

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 8.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee began hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, having as its witness Postmaster General Winton M. Blount.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 14199–14213; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 922 and 923, H. Con. Res. 398, and H. Res. 564–569 were introduced.

Pages 28743–28744

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage, amended; filed on Saturday, October 4 (H. Rept. 91–549). Page 28743

Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 28651

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

American Revolution Bicentennial Commission: S. 2462, to amend the joint resolution establishing the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission; and

Federal Seed Act: S. 1836, to amend the Federal Seed Act (53 Stat. 1275), as amended.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Coalinga Canal: H.J. Res. 224, to change the name of Pleasant Valley Canal, Calif., to "Coalinga Canal";

Claims against Cuba: H.R. 11711, to amend section 510 of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 to extend the time within which the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission is required to complete its affairs in connection with the settlement of claims against the Government of Cuba;

Veterans' benefits: H.R. 10106, to revise the definition of a "child" for purposes of veterans' benefits provided by title 38, United States Code, to recognize an adopted child as a dependent from the date of issuance of an interlocutory decree;

Veterans' disability compensation: H.R. 10912, to amend title 38, United States Code, to liberalize the conditions under which the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is required to effect recoupment from disability compensation otherwise payable to certain disabled veterans; and

Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act: H.R. 9857, to amend the provisions of the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, 1930, to authorize an increase in licensee fee.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Passenger vessel construction: H.R. 210, to eliminate requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards;

Merchant Marine Act: H.R. 12605, to amend section 613 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended;

Claims: H.R. 13696, to amend the Military Personnel and Civilian Employees' Claims Act of 1964, as amended, with respect to the settlement of claims against the United States by civilian officers and employees for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service;

Frederick Douglass home: H.R. 5968, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of the Frederick Douglass home as part of the park system in the National Capital";

Securities Exchange Act: S.J. Res. 112 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 754), to amend section 19(e) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (amended to contain the provisions of H.J. Res. 754 as passed); and

Everglades National Park, Fla.: S. 2564, to amend the act fixing the boundary of Everglades National Park, Fla., and authorizing the acquisition of land therein, in order to authorize an additional amount for the acquisition of certain lands for such park.

Eligible bill not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 14030.

Pages 28653–28674

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Children's education program: H.R. 13304, to provide for educational assistance for gifted and talented children (sent to the Senate without amendment, passed by a record vote of 353 yeas);

Children's education program: H.R. 13310, to provide special programs for children with specific learning disabilities (sent to the Senate without amendment, passed by a record vote of 353 yeas);

Veterans' indemnity compensation: S. 1471, to amend title 38 of the United States Code, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans (in lieu of H.R. 13576, sent to the Senate, amended to contain the language of H.R. 13576); and

Veterans' benefits: H.R. 372, to modify the reporting requirement and establish additional income exclusions relating to pension for veterans and their widows, to liberalize the bar to payment of benefits to remarried widows of veterans, to liberalize the oath requirement for hospitalization of veterans (amended and sent to the Senate, passed by a record vote of 352 yeas).

Pages 28673–28701

Suspension Failed: H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage failed passage on a record vote of 206 yeas to 148 nays (two-thirds having failed to vote in the affirmative). Pages 28663–28674

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DOMESTIC WINE RESTRICTIONS REMOVAL

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14169, to amend section 402 of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended, in order to remove certain restrictions against domestic wine under title I of such act.

INTEREST RATE LIMITATION EXTENSION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on H.R. 13939, to extend for 1 year the authority to limit the rates of interest or dividends payable on certain deposits and accounts. Testimony was heard from William McChesney Martin, Chairman, Federal Reserve Board.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 8.

JOINT LABOR-MANAGEMENT BOARDS—EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION OF PRODUCTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 4842, Joint Labor-Management Boards; and H.R. 860, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue Wednesday, October 8.

IMMIGRATION ASPECTS OF EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on immigration aspects of the Exchange program and the use of temporary visas. Testimony was heard from Barbara M. Watson, Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State, accompanied by Frederick Smith, Jr., Deputy Administrator.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 8.

COAST GUARD AND COAST GUARD RESERVE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 13716 and related bills, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard Reserve; and H.R. 13816, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on changes in the unemployment compensation laws. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government concluded its series of hearings on the subject of economic analysis and the efficiency of Government, after receiving testimony from Charles L. Schultze, the Brookings Institution (formerly Director of the Bureau of the Budget); Milton Friedman, University of Chicago; and Ralph Nader, a D.C. attorney.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28877–28946

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2994–3000; and S.J. Res. 157–158. Pages 28901–28902

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 28946

Public Lands—Wyoming: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1718, to convey to the city of Cheyenne certain property heretofore donated by it to the United States. Pages 28876–28877

Water Pollution: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, S. 7, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, adopting the following amendments to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill:

Tydings amendment No. 178, as amended by Javits amendment as a substitute for the Tydings amendment giving Secretary of the Interior discretion to apply unobligated construction grant funds to either approved projects or to apply them to reimbursement payments to States and local governments (motion to reconsider tabled); Muskie amendment to assure same rights and privileges to a maritime insurer, so far as oil pollution is concerned, as are available to the shipowner; Mathias amendment providing an opportunity to interested persons for a public hearing regarding issuance of licenses to conduct any activity which may result in any discharge into navigable waters (motion to reconsider tabled); Curtis amendment waiving certain certifications if operating license or permit respecting construction of a facility that may result in discharge into navigable waters has been issued within 3 years after enactment; Nelson amendment No. 132 providing for a study of methods to control release of pesticides (motion to reconsider tabled); and Proxmire amendment to afford to State and local government units access to the capital market now enjoyed by them when they issue bonds for housing, university, and dormitory purposes, so they may borrow money for water and sewer construction at the lowest possible costs.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that when Senate meets at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 8, following approval of the Journal, Senator Hughes will be recognized for not to exceed 1 hour, to be followed by Senator Smith of Maine for 10 minutes. Senate will then continue on S. 7, without transaction of any routine morning business, and at 2 p.m., or as near thereto as possible, Senator Church will be recognized for not to exceed 1 hour, to be followed by further consideration of S. 7. Pages 28947–29008

Nominations: Senate received nomination of John Henry Schneider, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Patents; and five judicial nominations. Page 29008

Recess: Recessed at 5:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BANK ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on S. 2569, permitting Federal Reserve Board

to approve a bank acquisition by a bank holding company across a State line under certain conditions, with testimony from Senators Tydings, Byrd of Virginia, Spong, and Mathias; Hovey S. Dabney, president, National Bank & Trust Co., Charlottesville, and Porter Hardy, Jr., Merchant & Farmers Bank, Portsmouth, both of the Virginia Bankers Association; Herbert S. Hyatt, president, Bank of Damascus, and John P. Sippel, president, Citizens National Bank, Laurel, both of the Maryland Bankers Association; and Frank E. Bauder, Central National Bank, Chicago, representing American Bankers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ICC

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 2242, giving U.S. Courts of Appeals jurisdiction to review final orders of the ICC, and S. 2244, setting penalties for violation of the Explosives Act by carriers, having as its witnesses Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; Harry Breithaupt, Jr., Association of American Railroads; Peter T. Beardsley, American Trucking Associations, Inc.; Hollis G. Duensing, Association of Interstate Commerce Commission Practitioners; and Vernon Baker, Motor Carrier Lawyers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Henry S. Robinson, to be a member of the District of Columbia Council, prior to which action, in open session, testimony was received from Flaxie Pinkett and Edward Murphy, D.C. citizens; and Arthur A. Azlein, pastor, Michigan Park Christian Church.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Dr. Carl Kaysen, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton University; Robert Hartley, Brookings Institution; Dr. Caryl Haskins, Carnegie Institution of Washington; O. Meredith Wilson, the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences; Brooks Hays, Southern Committee on Political Ethics; Charles Stewart Mott, Charles Stewart Mott Foundation; Dr. Elvis Stahr, Audubon Society; Howard J. Privett and Joan Irvine Smith, both of the James Irvine Foundation; Byron P. Hollet, the Lilly Endowment, Inc.; Ross L. Malone, the American Bar Foundation; Lincoln Gordon, Association of American Universities; John G. Simon, professor of law, Yale Law School; Raymond B. Ondov, the Hormel Foundation; Eugene T. Hackler, American Association of Homes for the Aging and Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society; and Mitchell Rogovin, the Louis and Henrietta Blaustein Foundation, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Hewson A. Ryan, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Honduras; Clinton E. Knox, of New York, to be Ambassador to Haiti; and Claude G. Ross, of California, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania.

Committee also approved convention on conduct of fishing operations in the North Atlantic (Ex. D, 91st Cong., first sess.); and Vienna convention on consular relations, with optional protocol (Ex. E, 91st Cong., first sess.). Prior to this action, in open session, committee received testimony from Donald A. McKernan, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Fisheries and Wildlife, who testified with regard to Ex. D, and J. Edward Lyerly, Deputy Legal Adviser for Administration, State Department, who directed his remarks to Ex. E.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, receiving testimony from A. J. Cervantes, mayor of St. Louis, Mo.; Edward Henry, mayor of St. Cloud, Minn.; Wayne Anderson, city manager of Evanston, Ill.; and Graham Watt, city manager of Dayton, Ohio.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Maj. Gen. Carl C. Turner, U.S. Army, retired, former Army Provost Marshal; and Lt. Paul Duellman, Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from General Turner.

HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 2452, providing retirement benefits for officers of the Public Health Service equal to those provided for officers in the uniformed services; and S. 2549, to improve and extend programs of assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow to consider S. 2264, Communicable Disease Control Amendments.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee held hearings on the following two bills:

H.R. 13300, to extend supplemental annuities and mandatory retirement of employees under the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Retirement Tax Act, with testimony from Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, and Thomas M. Healy, member, both of Railroad Retirement Board; J. P. Hiltz, chairman, National Railway Labor Conference; C. L. Dennis, president, Brotherhood of Railway and Airline Clerks; and Robert O. Hancox, Bethlehem and New England Railway Co.; and

S. 988, permitting a retired railroad employee to receive his annuity while serving as an elected public official whose annual salary shall not exceed $5,000, with testimony from Senator Bayh, sponsor of the bill.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 14214–14234; two private bills, H.R. 14235 and 14236; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 924–936, H. Con. Res. 399, and H. Res. 570–572, were introduced. Pages 28874–28875

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "The Rural Electrification Administration's Bulletin Inhibiting Political Activities by Its Borrowers and Their Employees" (H. Rept. 91–550);

H.R. 3247, to amend the act of December 11, 1963 (77 Stat. 349), amended (H. Rept. 91–551);

H.R. 3334, to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota, amended (H. Rept. 91–552);

H.R. 4226, to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 91–553);

H.R. 9424, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna, amended (H. Rept. 91–554); and

S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain lands in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak. (H. Rept. 91–555). Pages 28873–28874

Subcommittees To Sit: Special Subcommittee on Economic Development of the Committee on Public Works, the Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Equipment of the Committee on House Administration, and the Special Subcommittee on Antitrust Enforcement of the Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Pages 28797–28798

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 620, 265, 330, and 1110.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2477, 4560, 1703, 9906, 13218, and 6402.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 1783, S. 267, H.R. 11968, 5106, 10156, 6600, and 13183.

Private resolutions agreed to: H. Res. 422, amended, and H. Res. 540.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 9488, S. 564, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 2817, 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 3571, 10658, S. 632, 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 2963, 7567, 11500, 12089, 1782, S. 92, 2019, H.R. 5936, 3590, 9591, and H. Res. 533.

Objected to and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 5000.

Further call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after calendar No. 173. Pages 28799–28804

Military Procurement: House insists on its amendments to S. 2546, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970, and agrees to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Rivers, Philbin, Hébert, Price of Illinois, Fisher, Bennett, Stratton, Arends, O'Konski, Bray, Bob Wilson, and Gubser. Page 28805

Committee Resignations: Read and accepted letters of resignation from Representatives Steiger of Arizona and Beall, wherein Representative Steiger of Arizona resigns from the Committee on the District of Columbia and Representative Beall resigns from the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 28805

Committee Elections: Agreed to H. Res. 570, electing Representative Beall to the Committee on Armed Services, Representative Thomson of Wisconsin to the Committee on the District of Columbia, and Representative Steiger of Arizona to the Committee on Government Operations. Page 28805

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 8. Page 28805

National Science Foundation Authorization: By a record vote of 384 yeas to 5 nays, the House passed H.R. 10878, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation.

Agreed to an amendment that reduces authorization by $3.3 million.

Agreed to an amendment calling for a 2-year authorization, with the provision that funding ceases at expiration of authorization, to the extent such appropriation has not theretofore actually been made.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for with-

holding of funds for anyone convicted of rioting or violence.

H. Res. 475, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

This passage was subsequently vacated, and S. 1857, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 10878 as passed. Agreed to amend the title to conform to the House bill. Pages 28805–28817

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 571, electing Representative Reid of Illinois to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct. Page 28817

Civil Service Retirement: Cleared for the President H.R. 9825, to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 of title 5, United States Code, relating to civil service retirement, by concurring to the Senate amendment thereto. Pages 28817–28820

Commission Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Edwards of California wherein he resigns from the National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Mikva to fill the vacancy. Page 28820

Referrals: Nine Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 28873

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases resumed hearings and heard testimony from Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue Thursday, October 9.

D.C. COURT REFORMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on court reorganization and criminal law procedure. Testimony was heard from representatives of the D.C. Bar Associations.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session for markup of H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. No announcements were made.

FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY IN RETAIL MEAT PRICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies began hearings on Federal Responsibility in Retail Meat Prices. Testimony was heard from Representatives Purcell, Melcher, Price of Texas, and May and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Economic Development Programs concluded hearings on evaluations of the effectiveness of various economic development programs. Testimony was heard from the Federal Cochairmen of the title V regions as follows: L. Ralph Mecham, Four Corners Regional Commission; Alfred E. France, Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission; Stewart Lamprey, New England Regional Commission; G. Fred Steele, Jr., Coastal Plains Regional Commission; and E. L. Stewart, Jr., Ozarks Regional Commission.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development held a further hearing on centralization of Federal science activities. Testimony was heard from Dr. Emanuel Piore, vice president, International Business Machines Corp.; and Dr. Barnaby Keeney, chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities.

Hearings continue Thursday, October 9.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT

Committee on Small Business: Special Subcommittee on Small Business and the Robinson-Patman Act began hearings and heard testimony from Representatives Patman and Moss and Government and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on changes in the unemployment compensation laws. Testimony was heard from Representative Matsunaga and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy began a series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Secretary David M.

Kennedy and Assistant Secretary Murray L. Weidenbaum, both of the Treasury Department; and Robert P. Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, October 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29118–29146

Bills Introduced: Six bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3001–3006; S.J. Res. 159; and S. Res. 268–270. Pages 29118–29119

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 158, authorizing the minting of clad silverless dollars bearing the likeness of the late President Dwight David Eisenhower (S. Rept. 91–451); and

S. Res. 269, authorizing additional expenditures by Committee on Finance of $10,000 (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 29118–29119

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 29065

Government Employees' Per Diem: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 337, increasing rate of per diem allowance for Government employees traveling on official business. Page 29042

SEC: S.J. Res. 112, to extend time for completion of certain studies by the Securities and Exchange Commission, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 29042

Environmental Quality: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Church, Nelson, Allott, and Jordan (Idaho). The conferees were instructed to insist upon certain language in the bill. Pages 29066–29089

Water Pollution: Senate passed, by unanimous vote of 86 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), H.R. 4148, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, after Committee on Public Works had been discharged from its further consideration, and the bill had been amended by substituting for its language the amended text of S. 7, companion bill. Prior to these actions, Senate had taken the following actions on additional amendments to S. 7 as follows:

Adopted: Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill which had first been amended by adoption of the following amendments:

Stevens amendment No. 217 (on behalf of himself and others), to add to the bill title IV—Alaska Village Safe Water Facilities; by 77 yeas to 6 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Muskie amendment as a substitute for title II—Environmental Quality; and Kennedy amendment directing Secretary of the Interior to engage in certain research, studies, experiments, and demonstrations relative to removal of oil from any waters and prevention and control of oil pollution; and

Rejected: By 25 yeas to 62 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment to delete title III—Property Acquisition.

S. 7, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Randolph, Bayh, Montoya, Boggs, Cooper, and Baker. Pages 29041, 29046–29065, 29089–29102

Interest Equalization Tax: Senate took up for consideration H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act. All committee amendments were adopted en bloc, with the exception of the one adding to the bill an additional section on ammunition recordkeeping requirements, which was later amended on Bennett motion to except from its provisions .22 caliber rimfire ammunition. Pages 29103–29104, 29116–29118

Everglades National Park: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 2564, authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Fla., clearing the bill for the White House. Page 29105

Treaty Received: Senate received message from President transmitting consular convention between United States and Belgium, signed at Washington on September 2, 1969 (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.). The message recommended early and favorable consideration toward advice and consent to ratification of the convention. The convention was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 29065–29066

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Clinton E. Knox, of New York, to be Ambassador to Haiti; Hewson A. Ryan, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Honduras; Claude G. Ross, of California, to be Ambassador to Tanzania; and Henry S. Robinson, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the D.C. Council. Pages 29149–29150

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Manuel Ruiz, Jr., of California, to be a member of the Commission on Civil Rights; numerous diplomatic and foreign service; and numerous Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Pages 29146–29150

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee held hearings jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, receiving testimony from Barry J. Shillito, and Edward J. Sheridan, both of whom are an Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; Perry J. Fliakas, Director for Housing Programs, Defense Department; and Maj. Gen. John C. Dalrymple, Director of Installations, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EISENHOWER DOLLAR

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 158, authorizing the minting of clad silverless dollars bearing the likeness of the late President Dwight David Eisenhower.

BANK ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings on S. 2569, permitting Federal Reserve Board to approve a bank acquisition by a bank holding company across a State line under certain conditions, with testimony from Robert Bloom, Chief Counsel, Comptroller of the Currency; Joseph W. Barr, D.C. Bankers Association; L. A. Jennings, chairman of the board, Riggs National Bank; H. Wise Kelly, Jr., the National Bank of Fairfax, Virginia; Harry P. Guenther, National Association of Supervisors of State Banks; and Horace R. Hansen, Independent Bankers Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. ANTICRIME BILL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on S. 2980, to strengthen the D.C. laws relative to test for drivers under the influence of alcohol, shoplifting, and unauthorized use of credit cards, with testimony from Robert S. Kneipp, Chief Assistant Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia, and William H. Press, Washington Board of Trade, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded hearings on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, after receiving testimony from Senators Yarborough and Percy; Representative Blackburn; Arthur J. Goldberg, Denver Post Employees Stock Trust; Richard E. Thigpen, the Duke Endowment; Mrs. Bruce Benson, League of Women Voters of the United States; Paul Anthony, Southern Regional Council, Inc.; Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; Reed Larson, National Right To Work Committee; Dr. Kenneth Clark, Metropolitan Applied Research Center, Inc.; Roger A. Clark, the Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation; Lyman C. Conger, Kohler Co.; Albert E. Arent, Phoebe Waterman Foundation, Inc.; Isaac N. P. Stokes, Phelps-Stokes Fund; William H. Baldwin, the Kresge Foundation; Sydney Howe, the Conservation Foundation; Herman W. Liebert, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Yale University; and John M. Stalnaker, National Merit Scholarship Corp.

Committee will begin executive consideration of this proposed legislation tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969, with testimony from the following State legislators: State Representative Richard A. Pettigrew, of Florida; State Senator Edward L. Marcus, of Connecticut; Speaker Charles Kurfess, of Ohio; and Assemblyman Jesse Unruh, of California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Carmine S. Bellino, a member of the subcommittee's staff; and Patrolman Ernst Martin, Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into the high costs of auto repairs, having as its witnesses Arthur Mertz and J. F. Gill, National Association of Independent Insurers; Dean W. Jeffers, Nationwide Insurance Companies, Columbus, Ohio; and Roger H. Wingate, Loss Prevention Department, Liberty Mutual.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 2264, authorizing funds for programs in the field of communicable disease control.

Full committee will meet tomorrow to consider pending health and veterans' legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 14237–14265; seven private bills, H.R. 14266–14272; and eight resolu-

tions, H.J. Res. 937–942, H. Con. Res. 400, and H. Res. 573, were introduced. Pages 29242–29243

Peace Corps Act: House disagrees to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act (75 Stat. 612), as amended; and agrees to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Morgan, Zablocki, Hays, Adair, and Mailliard. Page 29150

Subcommittee To Sit: Special Subcommittee on Small Business and the Robinson-Patman Act of the Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 29150

Public Works and Atomic Energy Appropriations: By a record vote of 397 yeas to 3 nays, the House passed H.R. 14159, Public Works and Atomic Energy Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1970.

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations was rejected by a voice vote.

By a record vote of 215 yeas to 187 nays, the previous question was ordered.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that would omit planning funds for a flood control dam in the Gaysville area of Vermont by reducing funds available for general construction by $500,000 (rejected by a division vote of 26 yeas to 39 nays);

An amendment that sought to add $115,000 to general construction funds to restore the Salem Church Reservoir in Virginia;

An amendment seeking to specify funding for preconstruction planning for the Big Walnut Reservoir in Indiana (rejected by a division vote of 22 yeas to 36 nays);

An amendment that sought to prohibit funding for the proposed permanent gravesite or memorial for Robert F. Kennedy at Arlington National Cemetery (rejected by a division vote of 27 yeas to 74 nays); and

An amendment that would increase funding for construction grants for waste treatment works by $400 million (rejected by a teller vote of 146 yeas to 148 nays). Pages 29151–29221

Referral: One Senate-passed bill, S. 1718, to convey to the city of Cheyenne certain property heretofore donated by it to the United States—referred to the Committee on Government Operations. Page 29242

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WINE RESTRICTIONS—FOOD STAMP PROGRAM INCREASE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14169, to amend section 402 of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended, in order to remove certain restrictions against domestic wine under title I of such act; and H.J. Res. 934, to increase the appropriation authorization for the food stamp program for fiscal 1970 to $610 million.

D.C. AFFAIRS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 10335, to revise certain provisions of the criminal laws of the District of Columbia relating to offenses against hotels, motels, and other commercial lodgings;

H.R. 10336 amended, to revised certain laws relating to the liability of hotels, motels, and similar establishments in the District of Columbia to their guests; and

H.R. 9528 amended, to require students and teachers in the District of Columbia public schools to wear protective devices for their eyes while engaged in certain activities in those schools.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Allen, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Education, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGH-SPEED PHOTOGRAPHY—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Con. Res. 178, to express the sense of Congress on participation in the Ninth International Congress on High-Speed Photography, to be held in Denver, Colo., in August 1970. The committee also continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

RETAIL MEAT PRICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies continued hearings on Federal responsibility in retail meat prices. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ALASKA PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session for consideration of proposed modification of PLO 4582 (the Alaska land freeze order) to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

Committee to continue consideration October 21.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of the airways and airport modernization bill, H.R. 12374.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

MARITIME LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 13987, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Charles Murphy, Chief, Merchant Marine Safety, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and voted to proceed with markup of postal reform using Chairman Dulski's bill, H.R. 4, as the vehicle for writing reform legislation. A motion by Congressman Udall to substitute language in the first section of the bill to specify that the reform would be accomplished by conversion of the Department into a public corporation as proposed by the administration was defeated by a tie vote of 13 to 13. The committee will proceed to title II of the bill when they meet again next Tuesday, October 14.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT

Committee on Small Business: Special Subcommittee on Small Business and the Robinson-Patman Act continued hearings with testimony from Prof. George J. Stigler, University of Chicago, Department of Economics (acted as Chairman of the White House Task Force which reported on productivity and competition to President Nixon); and Richard Posner, University of Chicago Law School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAY USER TAXES—UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and completed consideration of airway user taxes. The committee then began consideration of changes in the unemployment compensation laws.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Geoffrey H. Moore, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; and Solomon Fabricant, National Bureau of Economic Research.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STUDENT LOANS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, October 9, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29386–29458

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3007–3015; and S. Con. Res. 39.

Pages 29389–29390, 29398

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 150, authorizing the President to designate October 12–18, 1969, as National Industrial Hygiene Week (S. Rept. 91–452). **Page 29389**

Bill Referred: H.R. 14159, fiscal year 1970 appropriations for public works and atomic energy, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 29485**

President's Message—Adult Education: Senate received message from the President transmitting second annual report of the National Advisory Committee on Adult Basic Education—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Page 29389**

Committee Assignment: The Acting President pro tempore announced that Vice President has appointed Senator Smith (Illinois) to Special Committee on Aging, in lieu of the late Senator Dirksen. **Page 29386**

Alliance for Progress: The Acting President pro tempore, on behalf of the Vice President, appointed the following Senators as advisers to the 3d Inter-American Conference of Ministers of Labor on the Alliance for Progress to be held October 17–19 at Washington, D.C.: Senators Williams (New Jersey) and Javits. Page 29386

Dirksen Eulogies: Majority leader announced that on Wednesday, October 29, there will be a period set aside for delivery of remarks on the life, character, and services of the late Senator Dirksen. Page 29389

Interest Equalization Tax: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act, adopting by 65 yeas to 16 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), the remaining amended committee amendment to add an additional section to the bill providing that no person holding a Federal license to sell ammunition "shall be required to record the name, address, or other information about the purchaser of shotgun ammunition or rifle ammunition generally available in commerce." This amendment had been amended on Bennett motion to add to its language the last four words "generally available in commerce." Prior to the amendment today of the committee amendment, Senate rejected, by 19 yeas to 65 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dodd motion to table the amendment.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference, and appointed as conferees Senators Long, Anderson, Gore, Williams (Delaware), and Bennett.

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Oil and Gas Compact: Senate began consideration of S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact. Page 29485

Authority To Report: During adjournment until 10 a.m. Monday, October 13, all committees were authorized to file reports, together with any minority or supplemental views. Page 29487

Confirmations: Two judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 29487

Nomination: Nomination of Clarence M. Coster, of Minnesota, to be an Associate Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance, was received. Page 29487

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee continued hearings jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, receiving testimony in behalf of construction for their respective departments from Rear Adm. J. V. Bartlett, Vice Commander, and W. P. Tiencken, both of the Naval Facilities Engineering Command; Capt. W. N. Ginn, Jr., Naval Ship Systems Command; A. W. Abbott, Naval Air Systems Command; and G. H. Goddard, Director, and Brig. Gen. Maurice R. Reilly, Deputy Director, both of Civil Engineering, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee began executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, and agreed that it would not subject State and local bond interest to Federal income tax. Committee also agreed to delete that provision in the House bill which would provide a subsidy for State and local governments which choose to issue their bonds on a taxable basis and pay competitive market rates of interest on them.

Committee agreed to retain the provision in the House-passed bill which subjects interest earned on so-called arbitrage bonds to Federal income tax.

Also, committee added to the bill a provision which will require in the future that State and local bond interest be reported on the tax return for statistical purposes only.

A press release setting forth Chairman Long's statement on committee decisions today may be found in today's Record on pages 29434–29435.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held routine hearings on the following nominations: Thomas Melady, of New York, to be Ambassador to Burundi; John F. Root, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ivory Coast; Scott Heuer, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Inspector General, Foreign Assistance; Anthony Faunce, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Inspector General, Foreign Assistance; Henry J. Costanzo, of the District of Columbia, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank; Robert E. Wieczorowski, of Illinois, to be the U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, who was introduced to the committee by Senator Percy; and Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

SURPLUS PROPERTY

Committee on Government Operations: Ad hoc subcommittee held hearings on the following surplus property bills:

S. 2583, conveying certain U.S. property to Washakie

County, Wyo., and S. 2584, permitting donation of surplus property to States for use in establishing public museums, with testimony from Senator McGee, sponsor of the bills;

S. 2563, authorizing disposal of surplus urban real property to public housing agencies for public housing purposes, with a written statement submitted by Senator Hart, sponsor of the bill;

S. 2591, providing for distribution of surplus personal property to State and local police organizations, with testimony from Senator Gurney, sponsor of the bill; and

S. 2867, to remove a preference accorded to the District of Columbia over State governments in the disposition of excess real property, with testimony from its sponsor, Senator Spong.

Other witnesses heard in connection with this proposed legislation were: Lewis Tuttle, Office of Personal Property Disposal, and Curtis A. Roos, Office of Real Property Disposal, both of the General Services Administration; Sol Elson, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, and Mrs. Mary M. Goggin, Office of General Counsel, both of the Department of HEW; Conrad Mallett, Detroit Housing Commission; Frank Holloman, Division of Fire and Police, Memphis; and Stanley Izbicky, National Association of State Agencies for Surplus Property.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witness June Collins, a theatrical agent, who formerly operated out of Saigon.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 13.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 10 to 6, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

Committee also approved S.J. Res. 150, authorizing the President to designate October 12–18, 1969, as National Industrial Hygiene Week.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into the high costs of auto repairs, having as its witnesses Andre Maisonpierre, Washington office, American Mutual Insurance Alliance; Ray W. Stahl, claim department, Travelers Insurance Co.; and Mel Stark, Washington office, American Insurance Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 14.

VETERANS AND HEALTH LEGISLATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H.R. 11959, to increase rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute);

H.R. 2768, eliminating 6-month limitation on nursing home care for veterans with service-connected disabilities;

H.R. 3130, authorizing VA to furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to veterans totally disabled from a service-connected disability;

H.R. 9634, to improve VA program of sharing specialized medical resources (amended to incorporate provisions of S. 2623, authorizing VA Administrator to appoint certain persons in the nursing service of the VA);

S. 1279, providing that any disability of a veteran who is a former prisoner of war is presumed to be service connected for purposes of treatment (amended);

H.R. 693, to provide that veterans who are receiving pensions are exempted from oath of inability to pay expenses for hospital care (amended);

H.R. 9334, increasing Federal payments to the States for the care of veterans in State homes (amended);

S. 2452, providing retirement benefits for officers of the Public Health Service equal to those provided for officers in the uniformed services;

S. 2264, authorizing funds for programs in the field of communicable disease control; and

H.R. 11702, to improve and extend programs of assistance to medical libraries.

HIGHWAY ADVERTISING, AND MADISON LIBRARY BUILDING

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting S. 2910, authorizing additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building.

Subcommittee on Public Roads approved for full committee consideration S. 1442, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to enter into agreements with the States for programs to control advertising along interstate highways.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 14273–14301; four private bills, H.R. 14302–14305; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 943 and 944, H. Con. Res. 401–403, and H. Res. 574–577, were introduced. **Pages 29385–29386**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 894, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship (H. Rept. 91–556);

H. Res. 574, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage (H. Rept. 91–557);

H. Res. 575, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4293, Export Control Act Extension (H. Rept. 91–558); and

H. Res. 576, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13000, Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969 (H. Rept. 91–559). Page 29385

Subcommittee To Sit: Special Subcommittee on Small Business and the Robinson-Patman Act of the Select Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 29314

Agricultural Appropriations: House disagrees to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 11612, Department of Agriculture and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970, and agrees to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Hull, Shipley, Evans of Colorado, Mahon, Langen, Michel, Edwards of Alabama, and Bow.

A motion was made to instruct managers on the part of the House to insist on the $20,000 subsidy payment limitation.

A point of order against the motion was overruled.

By a record vote of 181 yeas to 177 nays, a motion to table the motion regarding instructing House managers was agreed to (prior to the record vote, the motion was agreed to by a division vote of 64 yeas to 44 nays).

A request for recapitulation was denied.

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Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 29317

Railroad Employees Hours of Service: By a record vote of 371 yeas, the House passed H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon," approved March 4, 1907.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for exemption from the provisions of this act for railroads which employ not more than 15 employees, exception can be granted by the Secretary of Transportation.

H. Res. 536, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 29317–29327

Educational TV and Radio: By a record vote of 280 yeas to 21 nays, with 1 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 7737, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 by extending the provisions thereof relating to grants for construction of educational television or radio broadcasting facilities and the provisions relating to support of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

By a record vote of 131 yeas to 190 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce with instructions to report it back with a $10 million cut in funding for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Rejected an amendment similar to the recommittal motion while in the Committee of the Whole.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 1242, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 7737 as passed.

H. Res. 526, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 29327–29346

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 15. Page 29346

Water Pollution Control: Disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 4148, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Blatnik, Jones of Alabama, Wright, Fallon, Cramer, Harsha, and Grover.

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Presidential Message—Adult Basic Education: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the second annual report of the National Advisory Committee on Adult Basic Education—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Page 29347

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PRODUCTION RESEARCH AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8536, to authorize production research under marketing agreement and order programs.

A motion to report H.R. 9655, Honey Promotion and Research Act of 1969, was rejected but the bill will probably come up for reconsideration at the next meeting.

The subcommittee also considered H.R. 10710 but deferred action on it.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Gen. Kenneth J. Hodson, Judge Advocate General of the Army.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Prof. Joel Fleishman, Yale University.

Hearings continue Tuesday, October 14.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Gallagher and representatives of the American Federation of Teachers.

Hearings continue Tuesday, October 14.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from George Gorbell, Manufacturing Chemists Association, and Andrew Kalmykow, American Insurance Association.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 15.

RELOCATION PAYMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held hearings on H.R. 10266 and H.R. 14008, to amend the Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963 to provide relocation payments for persons displaced from their places of residence or business as a result of construction financed thereunder. Testimony was heard from Preston Valien, Acting Associate Commissioner for Higher Education, HEW.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue Tuesday, October 14.

RETAIL MEAT PRICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Special Studies continued hearings on Federal responsibility in retail meat prices. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue Tuesday, October 14.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Coughlin and Kyl. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Hosmer, McKneally, Wyatt, Goodling, Wolff, Edwards of Alabama, Edwards of Louisiana, Fisher, and Haley.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea"; and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Agency. Testimony was heard from Lieutenant Governor of California Ed Reinecke and Dr. T. S. Austin, Director, National Oceanographic Data Center.

Hearings continue Tuesday, October 14.

MARITIME LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 13987, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from William E. Cleary, president, New York Tugboat Exchange; Capt. Charles L. Jones, Marine Engineers; and Leone Pheriot, Gulf Offshore Marine Service Association.

Hearings continue Monday, October 13.

OBSCENE MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on obscene mail matter. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorn, Erlenborn, and Minshall, who was accompanied by Edward Harris and Louis P. Hehman; Raymond P. Gauer, national director, Citizens for Decent Literature.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from A. E. Weatherbee, Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of the Treasury, accompanied by Bernard J. Beary, Deputy Director of Personnel, and Mrs. Esther C. Lawton, Assistant Director of Personnel for Classification and Pay Administration; and Mr. Stuart Clarke, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Personnel and Training, HEW.

FEDERAL SALARY COMPARABILITY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, making in order the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment, on H.R. 13000, Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Chairman Dulski and Representatives Udall and Gross.

COINAGE ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on Coinage. Testimony

was heard from Chairman Patman and Representatives Blackburn and McClure.

EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports. Testimony was heard from Chairman Patman and Representative Blackburn.

FEDERAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES CENTRALIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development concluded hearings on centralization of Federal science activities with testimony from Dr. H. Guyford Stever, president, Carnegie-Mellon University.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE ROBINSON-PATMAN ACT

Committee on Small Business: Special Subcommittee on Small Business and the Robinson-Patman Act continued hearings with testimony from Angus McDonald, director of research, Farmers Union; Miles W. Kirkpatrick, chairman, antitrust section, American Bar Association (acted as chairman of the American Bar Association Commission To Study the Federal Trade Commission); and Robert Pitofsky, who acted as counsel to ABA Commission To Study the FTC.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of changes in the unemployment compensation laws. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Monday, October 13.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from George A. Christie, chief economist, McGraw-Hill Information Systems Co.; Sidney Goldstein, Federal Highways Administration, Department of Transportation; and Michael Sumichrast, Economics Department, National Association of Home Builders.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 13.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29593–29667

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3016 (introduced during adjournment on October 10 under prior authority)–S. 3024; and S.J. Res. 160. Page 29597

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act (S. Rept. 91–453)—reported during adjournment on October 10 under prior authority. Page 29551

Bill Referred: H.R. 8449, limiting hours of service of railroad employees, was referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 29551

President's Message—Status of Legislative Proposals: Senate received message from President outlining his major legislative proposals to Congress, and urging early and favorable action on them—ordered to lie on the table. Pages 29593–29596

Veterans: S. 1471, increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans, was cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 29584

Student Loans: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 13194, to increase funds for college student loans. Pages 29584–29590

Oil and Gas Compact: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact. Pages 29667–29673

Antipoverty: Senate took up S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act. Pages 29676–29683, 29686–29689

Treaty Received: Tax convention with the Kingdom of the Netherlands, together with related protocol, signed at Washington, D.C., July 15, 1969 (Ex. G, 91st Cong., first sess.), was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 29689

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Lewis Hoffacker, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Cameroon; and numerous Air Force nominations. Pages 29689–29702

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued executive hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony on proposed funds for the F–111-type aircraft from the following Air Force officials: Lt. Gen. John W. O'Neill, Vice Commander, Air Force Systems Command; Lt. Gen. George S. Boylan, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff for Programs and Resources; and Brig. Gen. A. L. Esposito, program director, F–111 program.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Lt. Gen. F. J. Clarke, Chief of Engineers, Maj. Gen. Francis P. Koisch, Director of Civil Works, Col. Robert E. Snetzer, District Engineer at Mobile, and Col. Herbert R. Haar, Jr., Division Engineer at New Orleans, all of the Army; Floyd Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation; David D. Dominick, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration; George W. Toman, Deputy Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration; and Jacob D. Vreeland, Washington representative, Tennessee Valley Authority.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 15.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, October 10, Military Construction Subcommittee continued hearings jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, receiving testimony from Perry J. Fliakas, Director for Housing Programs, Edward J. Sheridan, Assistant Secretary for Installations and Housing, and John Heard, Director for Construction Programs, all of DOD; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief of the National Guard Bureau; Vice Adm. Lloyd M. Mustin, Director, Defense Atomic Support Agency; Lt. Gen. Donald V. Bennett, Defense Intelligence Agency; Lt. Gen. Earl C. Hedlund, Defense Supply Agency; and Dr. Louis W. Tordella, National Security Agency.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 15, when public witnesses will be heard.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 1938, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, having as its witnesses Thomas M. Goodfellow, president, and R. R. Manion, both of Association of American Railroads; Sam B. Burton, Southern Pacific Co., San Francisco; and P. H. Croft, president, American Short Line Railroad Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee, in morning and afternoon executive sessions, continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking numerous additional actions thereon, a summation of which may be found in a press release to be printed in the Congressional Record dated Tuesday, October 14.

On Friday, October 10, committee took the following actions:

(1) Agreed to delete section 802 of the bill which would have reduced the maximum tax on earned income from 70 to 50 percent;

(2) Rejected administration's suggestion that the Federal income tax deduction be disallowed in the case of State and local gasoline taxes;

(3) Agreed to retain present law requiring taxpayers to hold a capital asset for 6 months if the gain from the sale of the asset is to qualify for capital gains tax treatment;

(4)Agreed to delete section 331 of the House-passed bill which would have imposed a tax on amounts received as deferred compensation based on the rates which would have been applied if the deferred amount had been received in the year in which earned; and

(5) Modified rules of the House bill for repealing the 7-percent investment tax credit so as to conform to committee's decision of September 19, 1969, relative to the repeal of the credit, with a change thereto concerning railroad rolling stock.

A press release setting forth Chairman Long's statement on these actions may be found in today's Record on page 29632.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its study of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, with testimony from Senator Percy; James B. Conlisk, Jr., superintendent of Chicago police; and Maj. Gen. Carl C. Turner, U.S. Army, retired, and former Army Provost Marshal.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, October 10, ad hoc subcommittee held hearings on the nominations of John Steven Horn and Maurice B. Mitchell, to be members, and Howard A. Glickstein, to be staff director, all of the Commission on Civil Rights. Representatives Rogers of Colorado and Brotzman appeared in support of Mr. Mitchell. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration proposal for a postal corporation, with further testimony from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount. Testimony was also received from Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 16.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 14306–14324; two private bills, H.R. 14325 and 14326; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 945–950, H. Con. Res. 404 and 405, and H. Res. 578, were introduced. Pages 29755–29756

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 13194, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize Federal market adjustment payments to lenders with respect to insured student loans when necessary in the light of economic conditions in order to assure that students will have reasonable access to such loans for financing their education (H. Rept. 91–560);

H.R. 13767, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Fort Donelson National Battlefield in the State of Tennessee, amended (H. Rept. 91–561);

H.R. 9163, to authorize the disposal of certain real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Georgia, under the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (H. Rept. 91–562); and

H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States (H. Rept. 91–563). Page 29755

Interest Equalization Tax: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to send to conference H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax. Pages 29702–29703

Department of Interior Appropriations: House disagrees to amendments of the Senate to H.R. 12781, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1970; and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Hansen, Kirwan, Marsh, Flynt, Mahon, Reifel, McDade, Wyatt, and Bow. Page 29703

Child Protection Act: House insists on its amendment to S. 1689, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards; and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Moss, Murphy of New York, Springer, and Keith. Page 29703

Late Report: Committee on Education and Labor received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States. Page 29703

Presidential Message—Reform: Received and read a message from the President urging congressional action on various legislative proposals submitted by the administration—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 29712–29715

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERAL FARM AND FOOD STAMP PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: On Friday, October 10, the committee continued hearings on all pending bills which would extend or amend the general farm program or the food stamp program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Findley and Hall.

SUBMARINE STAFF INCENTIVE PAY—NAVAL FLIGHT OFFICERS' COMMAND

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, October 10, Subcommittee No. 4 held hearings on, and approved for full committee action, the following bills:

H.R. 82 amended, to amend title 37, United States Code, to modify requirements necessary to establish entitlement to incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations. Testimony was heard from Capt. H. R. Bivin, USN, Commander, Submarine Force Atlantic.

H.R. 11548, to amend title 10, United States Code, to permit naval flight officers to be eligible to command certain naval activities. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. W. D. Houser, USN, Director, Aviation Plans and Requirements Division, Office, Chief of Naval Operations.

MARITIME LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 13987, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from John H. Reid, Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; Charles Wiggins, Mississippi Valley Association; and H. George Dent, Jr., National Association for River and Harbor Contractors.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of changes in the unemployment compensation laws.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Arthur M. Okun, senior economist, the Brookings Institution; David Meiselman, professor of economics, Macalester College; and Warren L. Smith, professor of economics, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11039, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Peace Corps. As approved by the conferees, the bill would authorize $98,450,000.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29794–29881

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3025–3032; S.J. Res. 161; and S. Con. Res. 40–41.

Pages 29800–29803, 29808, 29810–29811

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2910, authorizing additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building (S. Rept. 91–454); and

S. 2452, providing retirement benefits for officers of the Public Health Service equal to those provided for officers in the uniformed services (S. Rept. 91–455).

Pages 29807–29808

Industrial Hygiene: Senate passed without amendment, S.J. Res. 150, authorizing the President to designate October 12–18, 1969, as National Industrial Hygiene Week. Page 29794

Air Pollution: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Randolph, Montoya, Bayh, Boggs, Cooper, and Dole. Page 29898

Committee Jurisdiction: By unanimous consent, it was agreed to discharge Committee on Public Works from consideration of President's message that transmitted on September 24, report of St. Lawrence Seaway Corporation for year ended December 31, 1968, and same was then referred to Committee on Commerce. It was also agreed that in the future, all matters having to do with the St. Lawrence Seaway will be referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 29898

Educational TV: S. 1242, extending authorization for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities, was cleared for Presidential action when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 29909

NSF Authorizations: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Kennedy, Pell, Eagleton, Nelson, Prouty, Dominick, and Schweiker. Page 29916

Antipoverty: By 72 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 45 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Murphy amendment to give to the Governor of a State an item veto power over operations of the legal services program in that State; by unanimous vote of 84 yeas, Williams (Delaware) amendment to add language with respect to withholding certain Federal taxes by antipoverty agencies; Miller amendment barring payment from funds for legal services program to any lawyer during period he is disbarred or suspended from practice; by 47 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment to eliminate additional authorizations for fiscal year 1970 of $292.1 million for specified programs; Prouty amendment providing that instead of limiting to 10 percent the transferability of funds from one program to another, there may be 15 percent transferred during fiscal year 1970, and 20 percent during fiscal year 1971; and modified Nelson amendment, to give the President nondelegable authority to reconsider any legal services program that has been item vetoed by a State Governor; and

Rejected: By 36 yeas to 50 nays, Javits amendment No. 241, providing that the earmarking of basic amounts for specified programs out of authorized appropriations shall apply only to fiscal year 1970 rather than to both the fiscal years 1970 and 1971; and by 33 yeas to 47 nays,

Dominick amendment to reduce by 50 percent (to $292.1 million), the additional authorizations for fiscal year 1971 for specified programs.

Pages 29881–29888, 29890–29898, 29898–29909, 29909–29916, 29916–29932

Eisenhower Dollar: Senate took up S.J. Res. 158, authorizing the minting of clad silverless dollars bearing the likeness of the late President Dwight David Eisenhower. Page 29932

Treaty Received: Senate received texts of two notes (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.), signed at Washington, and dated August 18 and 20, 1969, constituting an agreement between United States and Canada concerning adjustments in the flood control payments by the U.S. Government to the Canadian Government as a result of early completion of Arrow Dam and Duncan Dam under the Columbia River Treaty—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 29932

Nominations: Five Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general were received. Page 29933

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM LOANS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held hearings on S. 641, permitting borrowers to employ attorneys of their choice to perform legal services in obtaining farm loans, with testimony from Senators Ervin and Jordan of North Carolina; James V. Smith, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, and LaBruce W. King, FHA Division, Office of the General Counsel, both of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from HEW Secretary Robert H. Finch, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Assistant Secretary Egeberg.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch.

The full committee will meet in executive session to consider this bill on Thursday, October 16.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings on S. 2821, to provide long-term financing for expanded urban public transportation programs. Testimony was received from Senator Kennedy; John A. Volpe, Secretary of Transportation; Thomas D'Alesandro III, mayor of Baltimore, and chairman, Transportation Committee, National League of Cities; Alan K. Browne, Bank of America, San Francisco; and John Robson, of the firm of Leibman, Williams, Bennett, Baird & Minow.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 1938, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, having as its witnesses Reginald Whitman, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; D. C. Hastings, Seaboard Coast Line, Jacksonville; Albert M. Schofield, assistant vice president, Penn Central, Philadelphia; J. P. Hiltz, Jr., National Railway Labor Conference; and Edward Steinbock, locomotive engineer, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969. A summary of actions taken by the committee today are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

A summary of actions taken by the committee in morning and afternoon sessions on Monday, October 13, are embodied in a press release which appears in today's Record on pages 29866–29867.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on the high costs of auto repairs, having as its witnesses Mack W. Worden, vice president, General Motors Corp., accompanied by Frank Mingle, president, Motors Insurance Corp.; James M. Cahill, Insurance Rating Board of New York; Dag Wedmalm, Folksam Insurance Group, Sweden; and John J. Nevin, Ford Motor Co., accompanied by John Dean, American Road Insurance Co.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 16.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education held an executive meeting for the purpose of considering language for inclusion in its final report.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the usefulness of the model cities program to the elderly, having as its witnesses Robert Baida, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; John B. Martin, Commissioner, Ad-

ministration on Aging; Neil Bellows, professor of social work, Syracuse University; and Jack Leff, Council of Elders, Boston.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 14327–14354; three private bills, H.R. 14355–14357; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 951–954, H. Con. Res. 406–409, and H. Res. 579–581, were introduced. Pages 30056–30057

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act (75 Stat. 612), as amended (H. Rept. 91–564);

H.R. 14169, to amend section 402 of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended, in order to remove certain restrictions against domestic wine under title I of such act (H. Rept. 91–565);

H.J. Res. 934, to increase the appropriation authorization for the food stamp program for fiscal year 1970 to $610 million (H. Rept. 91–566);

H. Res. 579, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations (H. Rept. 91–567);

H. Res. 580, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development (H. Rept. 91–568);

H.R. 14195, to revise the law governing contests of elections of Members of the House of Representatives, amended (H. Rept. 91–569); and

Conference report on H.R. 12781, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–570).

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Vietnam Prisoners: Passed H.J. Res. 910, to declare a national day of prayer and concern for American servicemen being held prisoner in North Vietnam.

Page 29934

Late Reports: Managers on the part of the House received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 12781, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1970; and the Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight. Pages 29934–29937, 29942

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Wednesday, October 15. Page 29942

Federal Salary Comparability Act: By a record vote of 310 yeas to 52 nays, with 1 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 13000, to implement the Federal employee pay comparability system, to establish a Federal Employee Salary Commission and a Board of Arbitration.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service by a record vote of 81 yeas to 281 nays, with 1 voting "present."

By a record vote of 191 yeas to 169 nays, agreed to an amendment that requires that Congress take affirmative action on Federal Salary Commission recommendations on congressional pay increases, also deletes retroactivity provisions (agreed to earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a teller vote of 65 yeas to 51 nays).

Agreed to an amendment that includes legislative, ASC, and judicial employees in the bill.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to limit Commission's authority to advisory only, with final approval of Commission recommendations to be made by Congress, would also eliminate Board of Arbitration (rejected by a division vote of 27 yeas to 59 nays);

A point of order against an amendment that would prohibit campaigning for elections held out of State by persons on a clerk hire situation was overruled, and the amendment was rejected by a division vote of 48 yeas to 55 nays;

An amendment that sought to strike sections 2 and 3 from the bill (rejected by a voice vote);

An amendment that would postpone the effective date of the act until such date as it is enacted (eliminating retroactivity back to October 1, 1969);

A point of order was sustained against an amendment that sought to eliminate the Commission; and

An amendment that would establish a special salary range for Postal Field Service employees.

H. Res. 576, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 29942–29978

National Industrial Hygiene Week: Passed S.J. Res. 150, to authorize the President to designate the period beginning October 12, 1969, and ending October 18, 1969, as "National Industrial Hygiene Week," clearing the measure for the White House. Page 29978

Motion To Adjourn: By a record vote of 99 yeas to 210 nays, with 1 voting "present," the House rejected a motion to adjourn. Page 30009

Adjournment: By a record vote of 112 yeas to 110 nays, the House voted to adjourn. Preceding the vote on adjournment, the House failed to raise a quorum.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure, S.J. Res. 54, granting consent of Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 30054

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

USE OF DAIRY PRODUCTS—HONEY PROMOTION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 12588 amended, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 with regard to the use of dairy products. The subcommittee also approved for full committee action, without recommendation, H.R. 9655, the Honey Promotion and Research Act of 1969.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 12588 (title above) and heard testimony from Representative Sisk and departmental and public witnesses.

SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the Draft concluded hearings on H.R. 14001 and H.R. 14015, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967, to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Representatives Leggett, Bingham, Dellenback, and Steiger of Wisconsin. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Cohelan, Horton, Koch, Ottinger, Tiernan, Udall, and McCarthy.

ACCOUNTABILITY FOR U.S. PROPERTY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 13756, to amend titles 10, 32, and 37, United States Code, with respect to accountability and responsibility for U.S. property. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Harold E. Parker, Assistant Judge Advocate General, Department of the Army.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on the quality of urban life with a briefing by Dr. Conrad Taeuber, Census Bureau, on inner city structural changes.

NARCOTICS

Select Committee on Crime: Held a hearing on the narcotic and dangerous drug problem. Testimony on behalf of Dr. Roger Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, HEW, who was unable to attend, was presented by Dr. Jesse Steinfeld, Deputy Assistant Secretary.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURT REFORMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on court reorganization and criminal law procedure. Testimony was heard from Commissioner Walter E. Washington, Corporation Counsel Duncan, the Chief of Police, and other D.C. government officials.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Federation of Teachers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Agency. Testimony was heard from Herman Pollack, Department of State, and W. M. Chapman, Director, Marine Resources, Ralston Purina Co.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MARITIME LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 13987, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Association of General Contractors of America.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session to consider postal reform. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue Thursday, October 16.

MID-DECADE CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics met in executive session to consider mid-decade census. No announcements were made.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 3 hours of general debate, and limited waiver of points of order against H.R. 13827, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Barrett.

U.S. ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of

title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations. Testimony was heard from Representative Kastenmeier.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee substantially completed its decisions for purposes of drafting legislative language on the subject of amendments to the unemployment compensation laws. A press release summarizing the decisions made will be available in the committee office, 1102 Longworth House Office Building. When the drafting is completed, the committee will meet again to take final action.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Rashi Fein, Medical School, Harvard University; Arthur E. Hess, Deputy Commissioner, Social Security Administration, Department of HEW; and John H. Knowles, Director, Massachusetts General Hospital.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 22.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30138–30192

Bills Introduced: Five bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3033–3037; and S. Res. 272–275. **Pages 30149–30150**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following 23 resolutions were reported today by Committee on Rules and Administration, the titles of which may be found in this DIGEST in the actions of that committee as reported under the heading "Committee Meetings": H. Con. Res. 338, 368, S. Res. 261, 266, 267, 251, 273, 230–238, 242, 262–265, and 227 (S. Repts. 91–456 to 91–477), and S. Res. 269 (no written report); and

S. 2264, authorizing funds for programs in the field of communicable disease control, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–478). **Pages 30148–30149**

Bill Referred: One House-passed joint resolution was referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 30148**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of S. 3008, to increase availability of guaranteed home loan financing for veterans and to increase the income of the national service life insurance fund, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Finance. **Page 30211**

President's Message—Appalachian Regional Commission: Senate received message from President transmitting Appalachian Regional Commission report, "Acid Mine Drainage in Appalachia"—referred to Committee on Public Works. **Page 30108**

Library of Congress: Senate passed without amendment, S. 2910, authorizing additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building. **Pages 30150–30151**

Eisenhower Dollar: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled), S.J. Res. 158, authorizing the minting of clad silver dollars bearing the likeness of the late President Dwight David Eisenhower, after adopting, by 40 yeas to 21 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment No. 228, for himself and others (in the nature of a substitute), to provide for the dollar coin to be minted for 3 years with a silver content of 40 percent, to be followed by the cupro-nickel clad type. The title of the bill was amended to conform to the adopted substitute amendment. **Pages 30192–30206**

Interior Appropriations: H.R. 12781, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon, and agreed to House amendments to the following Senate amendments to the bill:

Amendment No. 15 (funds for surveys and research, Geological Survey);

No. 16 (funds for conservation and development of mineral resources, Bureau of Mines);

No. 20 (management and investigation of resources, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries);

No. 24 (funds for construction, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife);

No. 35 (funds for research, Forest Service); and

No. 40 (funds for salaries and expenses, National Capital Planning Commission). **Pages 30211–30216**

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in open and executive sessions, its hearings on H.R. 14159, fiscal 1970 appropriations for public works, with testimony on proposed funds for the Atomic Energy Commission from several public witnesses and AEC Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies, with testimony from Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee continued hearings jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, with testimony from Senators Schweiker, Scott, and Gurney; Representatives Eilberg, Howard, Gonzalez, and Charles Wilson of California; William Martin, Northeast Monmouth County Regional Sewerage Authority; Alfred P. Norwood, chief of sanitation, Corps of Army Engineers; Thomas Owen, Pickett Construction Co., White Plains, N.Y.; Lawrence Speiser, ACLU; Max N. Edwards, National Pollution Control Foundation, Inc.; James B. MacRae, Capitol East Housing Council, Washington, D.C.; Brig. Gen. William C. Chip, Assistant Quartermaster General, Marine Corps; and Noble Lowe, vice president, Westvaco, New York.

Today's session concludes hearings on this bill.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 2821, to provide long-term financing for expanded urban public transportation programs. Testimony was received from Eric Jonsson, mayor of Dallas; Dr. William Ronan, chairman, Institute for Rapid Transit; Walter J. Bierwagen, Amalgamated Transit Union; Thomas C. Mann, president, Automobile Manufacturers Association; and Lyman Slack, president, National Automobile Dealers Association, whose statement was delivered by Frank E. McCarthy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nomination of James V. Day, of Maine, to be a member of the Federal Maritime Commission, with testimony from Senator Smith of Maine and Representative Hathaway.

Committee also held hearings on the nominations of Dean Burch, of Arizona, and Robert Wells, of Kansas, to be members of the Federal Communications Commission, with testimony from Senator Fannin, who appeared in support of Mr. Burch, and Senator Pearson, who testified in favor of Mr. Wells. Testimony was also received from A. F. Jordan, Jr., BEST.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee, in morning and afternoon sessions, continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969. A summary of actions taken by the committee today are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

A summary of actions taken by the committee in morning and afternoon sessions on Tuesday, October 14, are embodied in a press release which appears in today's Record on pages 30171–30172.

Committee continues tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Charles Clark, of Mississippi, to be U.S. circuit judge, Fifth Circuit, where Senators Eastland and Stennis appeared in support of the nominee.

This nomination was subsequently approved by the committee and confirmed by the Senate.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items:

Amended—

S. Res. 227, requesting additional $8,600 for Subcommittee on Indian Education of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare through November 1, 1969;

S. Res. 230, requesting additional $28,800 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly;

S. Res. 231, requesting additional $4,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments;

S. Res. 232, requesting additional $15,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights;

S. Res. 233, requesting additional $25,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures;

S. Res. 234, requesting additional $65,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Internal Security;

S. Res. 235, requesting additional $9,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery;

S. Res. 236, requesting additional $25,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency;

S. Res. 237, requesting additional $4,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Revision and Codification;

S. Res. 238, requesting additional $10,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Separation of Powers;

S. Res. 242, requesting additional $9,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees;

S. Res. 251, requesting additional $30,000 for Special Committee on Aging;

S. Res. 263, requesting additional $12,000 for Government Operations Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization;

S. Res. 264, requesting additional $10,000 for Government Operations Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations;

S. Res. 265, requesting additional $2,400 for Committee on the District of Columbia;

S. Res. 262, to print additional copies of S. Doc. 35, 90th Congress entitled "Enactment of a Law";

H. Con. Res. 368, to print as a Senate document copies of the eulogies on former President Dwight David Eisenhower; and

Without amendment—

S. Res. 266, requesting additional $10,000 for Select Committee on Small Business;

S. Res. 269, requesting additional $10,000 for Committee on Finance;

S. Res. 261, to print as a Senate document a list of proposed amendments to the Constitution;

H. Con. Res. 338, to print as a House document hearings on "Science and Strategy for National Security in the 1970's"; and

S. Res. 267, to print as a Senate document report entitled "The Cost of Clean Air."

Committee also approved: (1) original resolution to print as a Senate document 70th annual report of the Society of the DAR, and (2) an original resolution relating to fees of witnesses appearing before Senate committees.

SBA PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee resumed hearings on the Federal Government's role in assisting minority business enterprise, receiving testimony from Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans, and Small Business Administrator Hilary Sandoval, Jr., both of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony on the usefulness of the model cities program to the elderly, having as its witnesses James Threatt, director, model cities program, Kansas City, Mo.; Dr. Charles B. McCreary, health planner, model cities project, Minneapolis; and Robert J. Ahrens, director, Division for Senior Citizens, Department of Human Resources, Chicago.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 14358–14375; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 955 and 956, H. Con. Res. 410 and 411, and H. Res. 582 and 583, were introduced.

Pages 30137–30138

Subcommittees To Sit: Special Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor received permission to sit during general debate of the House today, and Subcommittees No. 3 and 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Thursday, October 16.

Pages 30073–30074

Presidential Message—Acid Mine Drainage in Appalachia: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the Appalachian Regional Commission's report entitled "Acid Mine Drainage in Appalachia"—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed with illustrations.

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Department of Interior Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 12781, making appropriations for the Department of Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Receded and concurred to Senate amendment No. 41.

Receded and concurred with amendment to Senate amendments Nos. 15, 16, 20, 24, 35, and 40.

Pages 30075–30078

Vietnam Moratorium Resolution: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request for consideration of H. Res. 582, relating to demonstrations for peace.

Pages 30078–30080

Coinage Act: By a record vote of 257 yeas to 65 nays, the House passed H.R. 14127, to carry out the recommendations of the Joint Commission on the Coinage.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency with instructions to report it back containing provisions for the use of silver in minting.

Agreed to an amendment that provides that the reverse side of the Eisenhower dollar coin contain a design which is symbolic of the Eagle of the Apollo 11 landing on the moon.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for the Secretary of the Treasury to mint proof coins from such metals or alloys as he deems appropriate.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment similar to the recommittal motion (rejected by a teller vote of 58 yeas to 92 nays);

An amendment that would authorize half dollars minted in the likeness of Dwight David Eisenhower,

using 40 percent silver (rejected by a division vote of 45 yeas to 73 nays);

A preferential motion to strike out the enacting clause (rejected by a voice vote);

A point of order was sustained against an amendment that would provide for the minting of 500,000 half dollars in the likeness of Sam Rayburn, to be purchased and disposed of by the Sam Rayburn Memorial Library; and

A point of order was sustained against an amendment that would cause the Department of the Treasury to hold all silver in the Treasury for use in a commemorative coin in 1976.

This passage was subsequently vacated, and S.J. Res. 158, a similar Senate-passed measure was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 14127 as passed. Agreed to amend the title to conform to the House-passed bill.

H. Res. 574, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 30081–30103

Motion to Adjourn: By a voice vote, the House adopted a motion to adjourn. Prior to the offering of the motion, failed to raise a quorum. Page 30137

Referral: One Senate-passed bill was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 30136

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on pending watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kee, Denney, and Waldie; USDA and public witnesses.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from the Judge Advocate General of the Navy.

NARCOTICS

Select Committee on Crime: Continued hearings on the narcotic and dangerous drug problem. Testimony was heard from Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director of the National Institute of Mental Health, and Dr. Robert W. Baird.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 9257, to amend the code of laws of the District of Columbia with respect to facilities for the parking or storage of motor vehicles;

H.R. 13564, to provide that in the District of Columbia one or more grantors in a conveyance creating an estate in joint tenancy or tenancy by the entireties may also be one of the grantees; and

H.R. 13565 amended, to validate certain deeds improperly acknowledged or executed (or both) that are recorded in the land records of the Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on the above legislation and heard testimony from D.C. government and public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's, with testimony from Representative Stephens and Joe Beirne, president, Communications Workers of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from Andrew Biemiller, legislative representative, and I. W. Abel, president, Industrial Union Department, AFL–CIO; Jerome B. Gordon, president, Delphic Systems and Research Corp., New York City; and William Benton, chief of planning, programing, and budgeting systems, Department of Community Affairs, New Jersey.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

COMMISSION ON MARIHUANA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 10019 and related bills, to establish a Commission on Marihuana. Testimony was heard from Representatives Koch and Gude; John E. Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Department of Justice; and Dr. Jesse Steinfeld, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health and Medical Affairs, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, resumed hearings on conglomerate mergers. Tes-

timony was heard from Leasco Data Processing Corp. officials Saul P. Steinberg, chairman of the board and director; Bernard L. Schwartz, president and director; and A. Addison Roberts, director.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT SHIP SALES ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 14257, to amend section 11(a) of the Merchant Ship Sales Act of 1946 to require the use by the United States of privately owned U.S.-flag vessels, when available, to carry cargo. Testimony was heard from Robert Kharasch, American Unsubsidized Lines; Ed Wester, Pacific Far East Lines; and Al Maskin, legislative director, American Maritime Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

REORGANIZATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Began hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Robert H. Finch and officials of the Social Security Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30317–30373

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3038–3045. **Page 30331**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–479); and

H.R. 11702, to improve and extend programs of assistance to medical libraries, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–480). **Page 30331**

Bill Referred: H.R. 13000, proposed Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969, was referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 30374**

Calendar Call: The following two resolutions providing for authorizations and expenditures for various committees were adopted without amendment:

S. Res. 266, requesting additional $10,000 for Select Committee on Small Business; and

S. Res. 269, requesting additional $10,000 for Committee on Finance.

The following 15 resolutions providing for authorizations and expenditures for various committees were adopted with amendments:

S. Res. 251, requesting additional $30,000 for Special Committee on Aging;

S. Res. 227, requesting additional $8,600 for Subcommittee on Indian Education of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare through November 1, 1969;

S. Res. 230, requesting additional $28,800 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly;

S. Res. 231, requesting additional $4,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments;

S. Res. 232, requesting additional $15,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights;

S. Res. 233, requesting additional $25,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures;

S. Res. 234, requesting additional $65,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Internal Security;

S. Res. 235, requesting additional $9,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery;

S. Res. 236, requesting additional $25,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency.

S. Res. 237, requesting additional $4,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Revision and Codification;

S. Res. 238, requesting additional $10,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Separation of Powers;

S. Res. 242, requesting additional $9,000 for Judiciary Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees;

S. Res. 263, requesting additional $12,000 for Government Operations Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization;

S. Res. 264, requesting additional $10,000 for Government Operations Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations; and

S. Res. 265, requesting additional $2,400 for Committee on the District of Columbia.

The following four printing resolutions were adopted without amendment:

S. Res. 261, to print as a Senate document a list of proposed amendments to the Constitution;

S. Res. 267, to print as a Senate document report entitled "The Cost of Clean Air";

H. Con. Res. 338, to print as a House document hearings on "Science and Strategy for National Security in the 1970's"; and

S. Res. 273, to print as a Senate document 70th annual report of the Society of the DAR.

The following two printing resolutions were adopted with amendment:

H. Con. Res. 368, to print as a Senate document copies of the eulogies on Former President Dwight David Eisenhower; and

S. Res. 262, to print additional copies of S. Doc. 35, 90th Congress entitled "Enactment of a Law".

Pages 30318–30320

Potatoes: Senate continued consideration of and passed with amendments, S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act, after adopting all committee amendments, and Young of North Dakota (for Stevens) amendment No. 230 to include Alaska and Hawaii within the scope of the bill. Pages 30373–30379

Potatoes: S. 2214, to exclude potatoes for all types of processing from provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act, was passed after all committee amendments were adopted. Pages 30379–30380

Judges' Retirement: Senate began consideration of S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service. Page 30380

Authority To Report: All committees were authorized during adjournment until noon Monday, October 20, to file reports, with any individual, minority or supplemental views. Page 30391

Peace Corps: H.R. 11039, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Page 30391

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate $344,060,817.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies, with further testimony from Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 21.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded hearings on S. 2821, to provide long-term financing for expanded urban public transportation programs, after receiving testimony from Governor Claude R. Kirk, Jr., of Florida; Bernard F. Hillenbrand, National Association of Counties; Allen E. Pritchard, Jr., National League of Cities; Louis J. Gambaccini, Port of New York Authority, representing the Institute for Rapid Transit; and Carmack Cochran, Nashville Transit Company, representing American Transit Association.

INDEPENDENT CONSUMER COUNCIL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee for Consumers held hearings on S. 2959, to establish an Independent Consumer Council to represent interests of consumers of goods and services, with testimony from Senator Hart; Stephen Schlossberg, general counsel, United Auto Workers of America; and Mrs. Erma Angevine, and Edward Berlin, Consumer Federation of America.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969. A summary of actions taken by the committee today are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

A summary of actions taken by the committee, in morning and afternoon sessions on Wednesday, October 15, are embodied in a press release which appears in today's Record on pages 30358–30359.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

ALASKA PIPELINE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the application of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System for an 800-mile right-of-way for construction of a 48-inch oil pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska. Witnesses heard were Russell Train, Under Secretary, accompanied by William Pecora, director, United States Geological Survey, and Boyd Rasmussen, director, Bureau of Land Management, all of the Department of the Interior; Frank Murkowski, Commissioner of Economic Development, State of Alaska (representing the Governor of Alaska); Dr. John Reed, director, Arctic Institute of North America; Dr. Robert Weedin, Alaska Conservation Society, Fairbanks; David Brower, Friends of the Earth, San Francisco; Clare Conley, editor, and Michael Frome, conservation editor, Field and Stream Magazine; and Dr. Tom J. Cade, research director and professor of ornithology, Cornell University; Lloyd Tupling, Washington representative, Sierra Club; Philip A. Douglas, Sports Fishing Institute, and chairman, ad hoc Conservation Committee on the Proposed Trans-Alaska Pipeline; Dr. James E. Morrow, University of Alaska, Fairbanks; and Ernest M. Dickerman, trustee of the National Parks Association.

AUTO REPAIRS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on the high costs of auto repairs, having as its witnesses Byron J. Nichols, Chrysler Motor Corp.; Stuart Perkins, Volkswagen of America; and William Pickett, American Motors Corp.

Today's session concluded the current series of hearings on this subject.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a

postal corporation, with testimony concerning the question of financing for such a project from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; and J. Edward Day, attorney-at-law, and former Postmaster General of the United States.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 20, when transportation policies will be discussed.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14376–14398; one private bill, H.R. 14399; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 957–961, H. Con. Res. 412–414, and H. Res. 584, were introduced. Pages 30442–30443

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7618, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the Federal Government to the Board of Public Instruction, Okaloosa County, Fla., amended (H. Rept. 91–571);

H.R. 8664, to authorize an increase in the number of flag officers who may serve on certain selection boards in the Navy and in the number of officers of the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps who are eligible to serve on selection boards considering Reserves for promotion (H. Rept. 91–572);

H.R. 9564, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band (H. Rept. 91–573);

H.R. 8662, to authorize command of the United States Ship *Constitution* (IX–21) by retired officers of the United States Navy (H. Rept. 91–574);

H.R. 10317, to adjust the date of rank of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps, amended (H. Rept. 91–575);

H.R. 11548, to amend title 10, U.S.C., to permit naval flight officers to be eligible to command certain naval activities (H. Rept. 91–576);

H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967 to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces under this act (H. Rept. 91–577); and

H. Res. 584, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States (H. Rept. 91–578). Page 30442

Late Report: Committee on Armed Services received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967 to authorize modifications on the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces under this act. Page 30393

Guaranteed Student Loans: By a record vote of 326 yeas to 10 nays, and 2 "present," the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 13194, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize Federal market adjustment payments to leaders with respect to insured student loans when necessary in the light of economic conditions, in order to assure that students will have reasonable access to such loans for financing their education; clearing the measure for the White House.

Pages 30394–30401

Peace Corps Act: By a voice vote, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11039, to amend further the Peace Corps Act (75 Stat. 612), as amended; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action.

Pages 30401–30402

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 22. Page 30403

Export Control Act: By a record vote of 273 yeas to 7 nays, the House passed H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency by a voice vote.

Agreed to an amendment designed to broaden the language of the act to include "information" and "technology" in addition to "material" as items which if not restricted in export could adversely affect the national security; and

Agreed to an amendment that would alter the authority conferred on the President in the Export Control Act of 1949 by requiring the President in regulating exports to take into consideration the availability of a commodity from other nations with whom we have defense treaty commitments.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment designed to improve the competitive position of U.S. industry in the Eastern European market without limiting Presidential authority (rejected by a division vote of 10 yeas to 23 nays);

An amendment that would prohibit trade with any country which sells, furnishes equipment, or material or assistance to North Vietnam (rejected by a division vote of 53 yeas to 84 nays);

An amendment designed to require the President to obtain consent of Congress before declaring a total or substantially total trade embargo for a period of over 60 days (rejected by a division vote of 28 yeas to 44 nays);

An amendment designed to prohibit trading with countries who permit manufacturing, refining, trading, or exporting narcotics as defined in the Internal Revenue Code; and

An amendment that would require efficient review of the U.S. Commodity Control List and require the Secretary of Commerce in his quarterly report on the operations of the Export Control Office to report to Congress

the justifications for inclusion of items on the Commodity Control List (rejected by a division vote of 27 yeas to 47 nays).

H. Res. 575, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 30403–30425

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file a privileged report by midnight tonight.

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Referrals: One Senate-passed bill was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 30442

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PRODUCTION RESEARCH AUTHORIZATION—USE OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8536, to amend section 602(3) and section 608c (6)(1) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, so as to authorize production research under marketing agreement and order programs; and

H.R. 12588, amended, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 with regard to the use of dairy products.

SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT—ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967 to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces under this act.

H.R. 82, to amend title 37, United States Code, to modify requirements necessary to establish entitlement to incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations. (Amended.)

H.R. 4296, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the procurement and retention of judge advocates and law specialist officers for the Armed Forces. (Amended.)

H.R. 7618, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the Federal Government to the Board of Public Instruction, Okaloosa County, Fla.

H.R. 8662, to authorize command of the United States Ship *Constitution* (IX–21) by retired officers of the United States Navy.

H.R. 8664, to authorize an increase in the number of flag officers who may serve on certain selection boards in the Navy and in the number of officers of the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve who are eligible to serve on selection boards considering Reserves for promotion.

H.R. 9564, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band.

H.R. 10317, to adjust the date of rank of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps. (Amended); and

H.R. 11548, to amend title 10, United States Code, to permit naval flight officers to be eligible to command certain activities.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 10335, to revise certain provisions of the criminal laws of the District of Columbia relating to offenses against hotels, motels, and other commercial lodgings.

H.R. 10336, amended, to revise certain laws relating to the liability of hotels, motels, and similar establishments in the District of Columbia to their guests.

H.R. 13837, to amend the Healing Arts Practice Act, District of Columbia, 1928, to revise the composition of the Commission on Licensure to Practice the Healing Art.

H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer by licensed blood banks in the District of Columbia of blood components within the District of Columbia.

H.R. 9257, amended, to amend the code of laws of the District of Columbia with respect to facilities for the parking or storage of motor vehicles.

H.R. 13564, to provide that in the District of Columbia one or more grantors in a conveyance creating an estate in joint tenancy or tenancy by the entireties may also be one of the grantees.

H.R. 13565, amended, to validate certain deeds improperly acknowledged or executed (or both) that are recorded in the land records of the Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia; and

S. 2056, permits unmarried judges of the courts of the District of Columbia who have no dependent children to terminate their payments for survivors annuity and to receive a refund of amounts paid for such annuity.

DEBT ADJUSTMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 concluded hearings on S. 1458, to prohibit debt adjustment business in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from D.C. Government and public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Albert Shanker, president, United Federation of Teachers.

Hearings to continue on November 12.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from John A. McCart, operations director, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO, and J. Sharpe Queener, Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue Tuesday, October 21.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Printing met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development. Committee to continue Tuesday, October 21.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

COMMISSION ON MARIHUANA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 concluded hearings on H.R. 10019 and related bills, to establish a Commission on Marihuana. Testimony was heard from Representative Patten; Dr. Helen Nowlis, research consultant for student affairs, University of Rochester; William F. Buckley, Jr., editor-in-chief, "National Review"; Dr. Julius R. Krevans, dean for academic affairs and professor of medicine, Johns Hopkins University and Mitchell Ware, Esquire, superintendent, Illinois Division of Narcotics Control, Springfield, Ill.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Senator Ervin and Representatives McCulloch, Rogers of Florida and Gude. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Cramer, Winn, Taylor, Koch, and Sebelius.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Further testimony was heard from Leasco Data Processing Corp. officials Saul P. Steinberg, chairman of the board and director; Bernard L. Schwartz, president and director; and A. Addison Roberts, director.

FEDERAL COAL MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 3 hours of debate and waiving points of order against sec. 401(c)(1) of H.R. 13950, Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969. After passage of the bill it shall be in order to take S. 2917 from the Speaker's table and amend it with the House passed language. Testimony was heard from Representatives Perkins, Dent, Erlenborn, Hechler of West Virginia, Bell of California, Kee, and Daniels of New Jersey.

NASA AUTHORIZATION SUPPLEMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held hearing on NASA authorization supplement. Testimony was heard from Dr. John E. Naugle, Associate Administrator for Space Science and Applications, NASA.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz, and representatives of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue Tuesday, October 21.

Joint Committee Meetings

GREAT PLAINS PROGRAM

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 10595, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program for 10 years beginning in 1972.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30527–30575

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following six bills were reported during Senate adjournment on October 17 under prior authorization:

H.R. 693, to provide that veterans who are receiving pensions are exempted from oath of inability to pay expenses for hospital care, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–481);

H.R. 2768, eliminating 6-month limitation on nursing home care for veterans with service-connected disabilities (S. Rept. 91–482);

H.R. 3130, authorizing VA to furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to veterans totally disabled from a service-connected disability (S. Rept. 91–483);

H.R. 9334, increasing Federal payments to States for the care of veterans in State homes, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–484);

H.R. 9634, to improve VA program of sharing specialized medical resources, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–485); and

S. 1279, providing that any disability of a veteran who is a former prisoner of war is presumed to be service connected for purposes of treatment, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–486). Page 30527

Public Lands—South Carolina: Senate passed H.R. 9946, to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C. Committee amendments were adopted with a Mansfield (for Proxmire) amendment to subordinate all right and title of United States to the land to a lien to be executed by the board of education of Lee County, S.C. Page 30528

Public Health: S. 2452, providing retirement benefits for officers of the Public Health Service equal to those provided for officers in the uniformed services, was passed without amendment. Page 30575

Public Health: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2264, authorizing funds for programs in the field of communicable disease control. Pages 30576–30579

Medical Libraries: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 11702, proposed Medical Library Assistance Extension Act of 1969. Pages 30579–30584

Potatoes: Following reconsideration of its action in passing with amendments on October 16 S. 1181, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act, Senate deleted Young of North Dakota (for Stevens) amendment No. 230 to include Alaska and Hawaii within the scope of the bill, and the bill was then again passed with the original committee amendments, as reported to Senate. Pages 30529–30532

Judges' Retirement: Senate put aside further consideration for the time being of S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service, for the consideration of other business, and the bill was later ordered to be restored to the calendar. Pages 30528–30584

Legislative Appropriations: Senate began consideration of H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch. Page 30584

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Wesley L. Hjornevik, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; and one Army nomination. Page 30584

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press releases giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Thursday and Friday, October 16 and 17, appear in today's Record on pages 30553–30554 and 30564.

Committee will continue consideration of this proposed legislation tomorrow.

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad held executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Laos.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS HOME

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, October 17, Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration S. 835 and H.R. 5968, to establish the Frederick Douglass Home as part of the park system in the National Capital, prior to which action, in open session, testimony thereon was received from the following witnesses: Senators Case of New Jersey and Hart; George P. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service; Stanly Anderson, District of Columbia Councilman; the Reverend Channing Phillips, Democratic committeeman for the District of Columbia; the Reverend Samuel Frazier and Mrs. Elizabeth B. Frazier, both of D.C. Human Relations Commission; Rev. James Coates, D.C. Board of Education; Mrs. Mary Gregory, president, Frederick Douglass Historical and Memorial Association; Mrs. Llewelyn Thompson, wife of former Ambassador Thompson; and numerous public witnesses representing various organizations.

NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee concluded its series of hearings on pending

legislation aimed at controlling the drug problem (S. 1895, 2590, 2637), after receiving testimony from John Ingersoll, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Department of Justice; Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare for Health and Scientific Affairs; William L. Ford, National Wholesale Druggists' Association; Peter L. Costas, Drug Advisory Council, State of Connecticut; William B. Hennessy, president, American Pharmaceutical Association; and Bruce J. Brennan, Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association.

SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health, having as its witnesses Dr. Jesse Steinfeld, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by Dr. Leonard Fenninger and Dr. Thomas Hatch, both of National Institutes of Health, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Dr. Reuel Stallones, dean, School of Public Health, University of Texas, representing the Association of Schools of Public Health; and Dr. Myron Wegman, dean, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, representing American Public Health Association.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony concerning the matter of transportation policies from Postmaster General Winton M. Blount.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 14400–14420; four private bills, H.R. 14421–14424; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 962 and H. Con. Res. 415–419, were introduced.

Pages 30526–30527

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4296, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the procurement and retention of judge advocates and law specialist officers for the Armed Forces, amended (H. Rept. 91–579); and

H.R. 82, to amend title 37, United States Code, to modify requirements necessary to establish entitlement to incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations, amended (H. Rept. 91–580).

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Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to sit during general debate of the House today.

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Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Indian land: S. 74 (in lieu of H.R. 3334), to place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota;

Indian land: S. 921 (in lieu of H.R. 4226), to declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation; and

Indian land: S. 775, to declare that the United States shall hold certain lands in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Real estate disposal: H.R. 9163, to authorize the disposal of certain real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., under the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Indian mortgage insurance: H.R. 3247, to amend the act of December 31, 1963 (77 Stat. 349). This passage was subsequently vacated, and S. 73, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 3247 as passed;

Indian land: S. 210 (in lieu of H.R. 9424), to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna; and

Fort Donelson National Battlefield: H.R. 13767, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Fort Donelson National Battlefield in the State of Tennessee.

Eligible bill not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 14030.

Pages 30498–30503

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Peanut acreage allotments: H.R. 14030, to amend section 358a(a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments (sent to the Senate amended); and

Federal Contested Election Act: H.R. 14195, to revise the law governing contests of elections of Members of the House of Representatives (passed by a record vote of 311 yeas to 12 nays, amended, and sent to the Senate).

Pages 30504–30514

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on and approved for full committee action five watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hechler of West Virginia and Rogers of Florida.

NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, October 17, Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 6006 amended, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers under section 710(f) of title 32, United States Code.

The subcommittee deferred action on H.R. 6010, to amend title 32, United States Code, with respect to the system of courts-martial for the National Guard not in Federal service; and

H.R. 6013, to provide for the furnishing of a uniform and the presentation of a flag of the United States for deceased members of the National Guard and the Ready Reserve.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on these three bills and heard testimony from Col. Joseph W. Manske, Directorate of Supply and Services, Headquarters, USAF; Lt. Col. Lew Brundage, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Headquarters, USAF; and Lt. Col. Mishia Frederick, Chief, Supply Branch, Army Logistics Division, National Guard Bureau.

INTEREST RATE LIMITATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Resumed hearings on H.R. 13939, to extend for 1 year the authority to limit the rates of interest or dividends payable on certain deposits and accounts. Testimony was heard from William McChesney Martin, Chairman, Federal Reserve Board, and Preston Martin, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNITED STATES-RHODESIAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On Friday, October 17, Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing to examine the foreign policy aspects of United States-Rhodesian relations. Testimony was heard from David D. Newsom, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; Mrs. Margaret Schwartz, Director of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury Department; and Kenneth Davis, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.

SDS ACTIVITIES, COLUMBUS, OHIO

Committee on Internal Security: Began hearings on SDS activities in high schools and summer labor activities in Columbus, Ohio. Testimony was heard from Roger Hilton, juvenile officer of Columbus Police Department; Roy Sims, student at Central High School; and James Yantis, former student at Central High School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, October 17, Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of the National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults; and the National Foundation for the March of Dimes.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 22.

Tuesday, October 21, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30643–30769

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3046–3054; S.J. Res. 162; S. Con. Res. 42; and S. Res. 276. **Pages 30651, 30653**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 11959, to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–487);

S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition Policies Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–488); and

S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–489).

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Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees as follows:

H.R. 14030, to extend authority for transfer of peanut acreage allotments—to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry;

H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority to regulate exports—to Committee on Banking and Currency;

H.R. 13767, authorizing appropriations for Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn.—to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and

H.R. 9163, authorizing disposal of real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.—to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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President's Communication—Legislative Branch: Senate received communication from President transmitting proposed amendments to the budget for fiscal

year 1970 in the amount of $4,316,319 for the legislative branch. The communication was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–37. Page 30650

Calendar Call: On call of calendar six bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Veterans: H.R. 2768, eliminating 6-month limitation on nursing home care for veterans with service-connected disabilities; and

Veterans: H.R. 3130, authorizing VA to furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to veterans totally disabled from a service-connected disability.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Veterans: H.R. 693, to provide that veterans who are receiving pensions are exempted from oath of inability to pay expenses for hospital care;

Veterans: H.R. 9334, increasing Federal payments to States for the care of veterans in State homes; and

Veterans: H.R. 9634, to improve VA program of sharing specialized medical resources.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Veterans: S. 1279, providing that any disability of a veteran who is a former prisoner of war is presumed to be service connected for purposes of treatment.

Pages 30644–30649

Legislative Appropriations: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendments H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 53 yeas to 24 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment No. 251 (for himself and others) to eliminate $175 million of funds for extension of west front of the Capitol; and Williams of Delaware-Montoya amendment providing for reimbursement of Senate staff members for actual transportation costs for allowable trips between Washington and the home States of their Senators rather than on the basis of 10 cents per mile; and

Rejected: By 26 yeas to 49 nays, Ellender amendment to reduce by $1,389,816 funds for salaries of Senate administrative and clerical assistants.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Montoya, Proxmire, Yarborough, Pearson, and Cotton.

Pages 30769–30794

Export Control: Senate took up S. 2696, proposed Export Expansion and Regulation Act of 1969. Page 30794

Treaties Reported: The following two treaties were reported:

Convention on the conduct of fishing operations in the North Atlantic (Ex. D, 91st Cong., first sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–8); and

Vienna convention on consular relations (Ex. E, 91st Cong., first sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–9). Pages 30650–30651

Confirmations: Two civilian nominations were confirmed. Page 30798

Nominations: Three civilian and three judicial nominations were received. Page 30798

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 9857, increasing from $90,000 to $100,000 annual business requirement for license fee under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act; and S. 1455, to expand marketing order authority to apples produced in Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Illinois, and Ohio.

Committee also approved the following watershed projects: South Florida Conservancy District; North Concordia, La.; Belle Creek, Minn.; Aowa Creek, Nebr.; Upper Mill Creek, Ohio; and Mate Creek and Pond Run, both in West Virginia.

Also, committee met with Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin for the purpose of discussing the farm program.

TIMBER SUPPLY

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Soil Conservation and Forestry held hearings on S. 1832, providing more efficient development and improved management of national forest commercial timberlands, with testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; L. L. Stewart and John Crowell, both of National Forest Products Association; Harvey M. Meyerhoff and Joseph B. McGrath, both of National Home Builders Association; Spencer M. Smith, Jr., Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Brock Evans and Gordon P. Robinson, both of Sierra Club; and Cynthia E. Wilson, National Audubon Society.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Charles C. Johnson, Jr., Administrator, Consumer Pro-

tection and Environmental Health Services, and Dr. Herbert L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for air pollution control, environmental control, and Health Services and Mental Health Administration.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on S. 2876, providing candidates for congressional office with opportunities to purchase broadcast time from television broadcasting stations. Witnesses heard were Senators Tydings, Pearson, Hollings, and Harris; and Newton N. Minow, chairman, the Commission on Campaign Costs in the Electronic Era.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which is embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press release giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Monday, October 20, appears in today's Record on page 30703.

Committee will resume executive consideration of this bill on Thursday, October 23.

Committee will hold hearings tomorrow to receive testimony concerning the taxation of foundations.

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Laos.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee announced that it has postponed, until after the President's speech on Vietnam policy on November 3, its hearings on pending Vietnam resolutions originally scheduled for the week of October 27.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 232, to promote the economic development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (amended);

S. 1148, to provide land-grant status for the College of the Virgin Islands and the University of Guam (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute);

S. 2314, granting Virgin Islands Legislature authority to lower voting age upon approval by the voters of a referendum held for such purpose (amended);

S. 2062, to differentiate between private and public ownership of lands in the administration of the acreage limitation provisions of Federal reclamation law (amended);

H.R. 11609, authorizing construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C.;

S. 1968, authorizing removal and conveyance to the Methodist Corporation of the Francis Asbury statue;

H.R. 5968, to establish the Frederick Douglass Home as part of the park system in the National Capital;

An original resolution calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 202, providing that the United States disclaim any interests in certain land within the Carson National Forest, N. Mex.; and

S. Res. 143, calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 1343, a private bill relinquishing title to certain lands in Yuma County, Ariz.

Committee agreed to hold an executive meeting, probably sometime in December, for the purpose of discussing with members of the Indian Claims Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for Lands the status of claims pending before that Commission.

MIGRANT HEALTH SERVICES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 2660, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 5 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor. Witnesses heard were Dr. Roger Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by Helen L. Johnston and Dr. John Cashman, both of Health Services and Mental Health Administration, all of HEW; Dr. James E. Peavy, commissioner of health, State of Texas, and president, Association of State and Territorial Health Officers; Dr. William Dougherty, New Jersey State Department of Health, representing American Public Health Association; and William E. Scholes, National Council of Churches.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with further testimony concerning transportation aspects of such a change from Winton M. Blount, Postmaster General of the United States; and Whitney Gillilland, Vice Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14425–14447; two private bills, H.R. 14448 and 14449; and seven resolutions, H. Con. Res. 420–423 and H. Res. 585–587, were introduced. Page 30893

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 1689, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards (H. Rept. 91–581);

H.R. 13949, to provide certain equipment for use in the offices of Members, officers, and committees of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 91–582);

Conference report on H.R. 10595, to amend the act of August 7, 1956 (70 Stat. 1115), as amended, providing for a Great Plains conservation program (H. Rept. 91–584);

H. Res. 586, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967 to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the armed services under this act (H. Rept. 91–585); and

H. Res. 587, providing for the consideration of H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (H. Rept. 91–586). Page 30893

Continuing Resolution: By unanimous consent it was agreed to make it in order to consider a continuing resolution any day next week. Page 30799

D.C. Revenue: Disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 12982, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia, and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives McMillan, Abernethy, Dowdy, Cabell, Nelsen, Harsha, Broyhill of Virginia, and Hogan. Page 30799

Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on October 22, and Subcommittee No. 4 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 30799

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2963.

Sent to the Senate amended: S. 632, H.R. 5936, 9591, and 1706.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 3723, 9488, S. 564, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 2817, 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 3571, 10658, S. 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 7567, 11500, 12089, 1782, S. 92, 2019, H.R. 3590, and H. Res. 533. Pages 30799–30802

Clean Air Act: House insists on its amendment to S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research relating to fuels and vehicles under the provisions of the Clean Air Act, and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Rogers of Florida, Satterfield, Springer, Nelsen, and Carter. Page 30805

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 30802

Housing and Urban Development Act: Concluded all general debate on H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development, and read the first page of the bill for amendment. One amendment was offered, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 580, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 30805–30829

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 30892

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 12430, H.R. 12222, H.R. 13277, H.R. 13423, S. 2547, and all similar or identical bills which would amend or extend the Food Stamp Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Michel and public witnesses.

INTEREST RATE LIMITATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 13939, to extend for 1 year the authority to limit the rates of interest or dividends payable on certain deposits and accounts. Testimony was heard from representatives of the U.S. Savings and Loan League; National Home Builders Association; American Bankers Association; and the National League of Insured Savings Associations.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT—ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14252, to authorize the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare to make grants to conduct special educational programs and activities concerning the use of drugs.

The committee also continued consideration of H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, but took no final action and the meeting was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

ALASKA PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued consideration of proposed modification of PLO 4582 (Alaska land freeze order) to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

Committee to continue October 28.

SDS ACTIVITIES, COLUMBUS, OHIO

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on SDS activities in Columbus, Ohio. Testimony was heard from Bernard Donanberg, Columbus, Ohio, and his counsel, Gerald B. Leftcourt, member of New York Bar; and Herman Stofle, sergeant, intelligence bureau, Columbus Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Attorney General of the United States John N. Mitchell.

OUR NATION AND THE SEA—NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC AGENCY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources entitled "Our Nation and the Sea," and on H.R. 13247, to establish a National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Agency. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology, Executive Office of the President.

MARITIME ACADEMY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training began hearings on H.R. 8328 and related bills, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958, to require repayment of amounts paid for the training of merchant marine officers who do not serve in the merchant marine or Armed Forces; and H.R. 8785, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958, to increase the amount of assistance to such academies and to provide a minimum subsistence payable per student. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Edward J. O'Donnell, New York State Maritime College; Milton Nottingham, legislative representative, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy Alumni; Capt. Thomas Burke, vice president, Maritime Alumni Associations; and a representative of the AFL–CIO Maritime Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of postal reform.

Committee to continue Thursday, October 23.

BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 5 hours of debate, making in order committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment on, H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patman, Widnall, Moorhead, Stanton, and Brown of Michigan.

MILITARY SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 4 hours of debate on, H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967, to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the armed services under this act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hébert, Pirnie, Ichord, Horton, Pike, Nedzi, Bennett, Leggett, Thompson of New Jersey, and Ottinger.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization met for a final briefing session conducted by Walter Kravitz of the Legislative Reference Service. The briefing was on the work of the committee thus far. Public hearings are scheduled to begin Thursday, October 23.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Robert H. Finch.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional dvelopment and other regional development programs.

Wednesday, October 22, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30919–30994

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3055–3063; and S. Res. 277.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 9857, increasing from $90,000 to $100,000 annual business requirement for license fee under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act (S. Rept. 91–490);

S. 1455, to expand marketing order authority to apples produced in Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Illinois, and Ohio, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–491);

S. Res. 277, calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 202, providing that the United States disclaim any interests in certain land within the Carson National Forest, N. Mex. (S. Rept. 91–492);

S. 1968, authorizing removal and conveyance to the Methodist Corporation of the Francis Asbury statue (S. Rept. 91–493);

H.R. 11609, authorizing construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C. (S. Rept. 91–494);

S. 232, to promote the economic development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–495); and

H.R. 5968, to establish the Frederick Douglass Home as part of the park system in the National Capital (S. Rept. 91–496). Pages 30956–30971

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 30920

Bill Placed on Calendar: Committee on Banking and Currency was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority to regulate exports, which is the companion bill to S. 2696. H.R. 4293 was then ordered to be placed on calendar.

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Export Control: By 49 yeas to 24 nays, Senate passed with amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority to regulate exports. Prior to passage, Senate took the following actions on amendments to H.R. 4293:

Adopted: By 46 yeas to 27 nays, amendment to substitute for the text of H.R. 4293 the language of S. 2696, companion bill, which had first been amended by adoption of Miller amendment of a technical nature; and

Rejected earlier, by 34 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Bennett amendment (for himself and others) in the nature of a substitute for S. 2696 (which was then under consideration), consisting of the text of H.R. 4293.

S. 2696, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 30994, 30997–31018

Dirksen Eulogies: Acting majority leader announced that eulogies of the late Senator Dirksen will be heard following morning business on Wednesday, October 29.

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Veterans' Education: Senate took up H.R. 11959, proposed Veterans' Education and Training Assistance Amendments Act of 1969. Pages 31019–31023

Treaties Ratified: By unanimous vote of 80 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of the convention on the conduct of fishing operations in the North Atlantic (Ex. D, 91st Cong., first sess.); and

By unanimous vote of 81 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of Vienna convention on consular relations (Ex. E, 91st Cong., first sess.).

Pages 30940–30954, 30996–30997

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Arthur F. Burns, of New York, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System for term of 14 years from February 1, 1970; and Lewis Hoffacker, of the District of Columbia (who was nominated October 13 to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Cameroon), to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea; and the withdrawal of one judicial nomination. Page 31029

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education,

and Welfare and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from John T. Middleton, Commissioner, National Air Pollution Control Administration; Chris A. Hansen, Commissioner, Environmental Control Administration; and Charles C. Johnson, Jr., Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Health Services and Mental Health Administration.

CREDIT UNIONS, MORTGAGE CREDIT, AND FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 2, to establish a National Credit Union Administration in the executive branch of the Government; S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information; and S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit.

Committee announced that reports on these bills will be filed within 2 weeks.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Albert Bushong Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; James V. Day, of Maine, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner (reappointment); Dr. Harold C. Passer, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs; and sundry nominations in the Environmental Science Services Administration.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2876, providing candidates for congressional office with opportunities to purchase broadcast time from television broadcasting stations. Witnesses heard were Joseph Beirne, president, Communications Workers of America; Dr. Frank Stanton, president, Columbia Broadcasting System; Julian Goodman, president, National Broadcasting Co.; Leonard Goldenson, president, American Broadcasting Co.; Stimson Bullitt, president, King Broadcasting Co., Seattle; Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and Russell D. Hemenway, National Committee for an Effective Congress.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION OF FOUNDATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on taxation of foundations from Peter G. Peterson, president of Bell & Howell, Chicago, and chairman of the Commission on Foundations and Private Philanthropy.

A press release giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Tuesday, October 21, in its further consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, appears in today's Record on pages 30977–30978.

Committee will resume executive consideration of this proposed legislation tomorrow.

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Laos.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings in connection with its investigation of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Maj. Gen. Carl C. Turner, U.S. Army, retired; Gen. Jack Pruett, Criminal Investigation Division, Army; Lt. Col. Charles D. Bishop, U.S. Army, retired; and Clarence Kelley, chief, and Sgt. Thomas Whitney, both of the Kansas City, Mo., police department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIGRANT HEALTH SERVICES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on S. 2660, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 5 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor. Witnesses heard were Miss Faustina Solis, Farm Workers' Health Service, California Department of Public Health; Sister Michaeleen, Holy Cross Sister, Denver, executive director, accompanied by Sister Maurita, Sister of Mercy, Bethesda, secretary, both of the Migrant Apostolate Council of the Major Superiors of Women of the United States; Dr. John Radebaugh, director of the migrant health project, University of Rochester; and Mrs. Seth Tompkins, past chairman, Commission on Migrant Labor, State of Michigan.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony concerning transportation aspects of such a change from Stuart Tipton, president, Air Transport Association; and Edward J. Driscoll, president, National Air Carrier Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 27.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 14450–14469; four private bills, H.R. 14470–14473; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 963–965 and H. Res. 588 and 589, were introduced. Page 31132

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12588, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 with regard to the use of dairy products, amended (H. Rept. 91–587); and

H.R. 8536, to amend section 602(3) and section 608c(6)(I) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, so as to authorize production research under marketing agreement and other programs (H. Rept. 91–588). Page 31132

NSF Authorization: House insists on its amendments to S. 1857, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation pursuant to Public Law 81–507, as amended, and agree to a conference requested by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Miller of California, Daddario, Davis of Georgia, Brown of California, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Bell, and Mosher. Page 31030

Government Procurement Commission: House disagrees to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, and ask for a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Holifield, St Germain, and Horton. Page 31031

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House on October 23. Page 31031

Housing and Urban Development Act: Continued reading for amendment H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development, but came to no resolution thereon. Reading of the bill had progressed to page 44 when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

Adopted the following amendments while in the Committee of the Whole:

An amendment that provides an additional $1.5 billion in funds available to GNMA to purchase FHA and VA housing, requires par purchases of mortgages, and raised maximum mortgage amounts from $15,000 to $17,500, with proportionate increases for high-cost areas;

Agreed to a technical amendment;

An amendment designed to provide assistance in housing for low-income, elderly, or handicapped persons;

An amendment that will include insured farm housing mortgages among mortgages which GNMA may purchase;

An amendment that reduces from 25 percent to 20 percent of the tenant's income the maximum rent which may be charged under the section 236 and rent supplement program;

An amendment that provides for a review of relocation plans under urban renewal program every 2 years;

An amendment providing for the extension of the retroactive period with which certain hospital and school construction can have been undertaken and still count as part of the locality's local share of urban renewal costs;

An amendment that provides $300 million for urban mass transit and extends emergency program for 1 year;

An amendment that extends until October 1971 the authority of the VA Administrator to set maximum interest rates regarding veteran loans; and

An amendment that extends until October 1971 the authority of Administrator of FHA to establish interest rates on FHA loans (agreed to by a teller vote of 82 yeas to 71 nays).

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that sought to create a homeowners mortgage loan corporation as a Government agency, to make loans at 6½ percent or less, for wage earners making $12,000 or less (rejected by a teller vote of 78 yeas to 111 nays);

An amendment that would assist in the development of intermediate nursing home care facilities (rejected by a division vote of 39 yeas to 42 nays); and

An amendment designed to have an equal number of dwellings built to replace dwellings removed in urban renewal projects (rejected by a teller vote of 48 yeas to 50 nays). Pages 31031–31068

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 31131

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RICE INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8739 amended, to improve rice inspection.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth resumed hearings on quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Prof. Charles Haar, Harvard Law School.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 11145 and S. 1076, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps. Testimony was heard from Senator Jackson and Hon. Arnold Weber, Assistant Secretary for Manpower, Department of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

EXPENSES AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 757, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations.

SDS ACTIVITIES, COLUMBUS, OHIO

Committee on Internal Security: Concluded hearings on SDS activities in Columbus, Ohio, with testimony from Roger Hilton, juvenile officer of Columbus Police Department; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mechling of Columbus; and Richard Shaw, a committee investigator.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 12374, airways and airport development.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

FILING TORT CLAIMS—TITLE TO U.S. LANDS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 10124 amended, to amend section 2401 of title 28, United States Code, to extend the time for filing tort actions by persons under the age of 21, or insane or mentally ill, or imprisoned on a criminal charge.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 14119, to amend section 355 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, to eliminate mandatory submission for approval by the Attorney General of the title to lands acquired for or on behalf of the United States. Testimony was heard from Hon. Shiro Kashiwa, Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice; and Hon. Raymond C. Coulter, Deputy Solicitor, Department of Interior.

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CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from Chemical Bank New York Trust Co. officials William S. Renchard, chairman; Arthur P. Ringler, executive vice president—administration; and Robert I. Lipp, vice president.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MARITIME ACADEMY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training continued hearings on H.R. 8328 and related bills, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958, to require repayment of amounts paid for the training of merchant marine officers who do not serve in the merchant marine or Armed Forces; and H.R. 8785, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958 to increase the amount of assistance to such academies and to provide a minimum subsistence payable per student. Testimony was heard from Dr. A. Sanford Limouze, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, and Rear Adm. E. A. Rodgers, Maine Maritime Academy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of Magazine Publishers Association; and Mr. Elmer H. Grogan, sales manager for the New York area of Dukane Press, Inc., representing Post Card Manufacturers Association.

OBSCENE MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on obscene mail matter. Testimony was heard from Representatives Henderson and Olsen; Hon. Mario Procaccino, comptroller, city of New York; Harry Thayer, owner, Radio Station WGHQ, Kingston, N.Y.; Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union, and representatives of the Catholic Church and American Legion.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Dan Jaspan, legislative representative, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Herbert F. Alfrey, president, National Rural Letter Carriers Association.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

Committee to meet again on Friday, October 24.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett and Pepper and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy resumed its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Clifford M. Hardin, Secretary of Agriculture; Joseph Danzansky, president, Giant Food, Inc., who submitted a statement; and Ben B. Seligman, Labor Relations and Research Center, University of Massachusetts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, October 23, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 31266–31339

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3064–3070. Pages 31269–31270

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

S. 2314, granting Virgin Islands Legislature authority to lower voting age upon approval by the voters of a referendum held for such purpose, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–497). Page 31269

President's Message—Merchant Marine: Senate received message from President transmitting his proposals for a new merchant marine program to rebuild the merchant fleet and make it more competitive—referred to Committee on Commerce. Pages 31265–31266

Apples: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1455, to expand marketing order authority to apples produced in Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Illinois, and Ohio. Pages 31339–31340

Gallaudet College: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senator Yarborough to be a member of the board of directors of Gallaudet College vice former Senator Brewster. Page 31269

Calendar Call: On call of calendar five bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Agriculture: H.R. 9857, increasing from $90,000 to $100,000 annual business requirement for license fee under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act;

Great Smoky Mountains National Park: H.R. 11609, authorizing construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C.; and

Frederick Douglass Home: H.R. 5968, to establish the Frederick Douglass Home as part of the park system in the National Capital.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Francis Asbury statue: S. 1968, authorizing removal and conveyance to the Methodist Corporation of the Francis Asbury statue.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Trust Territory of the Pacific: S. 232, to promote the economic development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition: Senate took up S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Acquisition Policies Act. Pages 31367–31370

Veterans' Education: By unanimous vote of 77 yeas, Senate passed H.R. 11959, proposed Veterans' Education and Training Assistance Amendments Act of 1969, after adopting committee amendment in the nature of a substitute which was then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Prior to passage, Senate rejected Williams of Delaware amendment to substitute for the previously adopted committee substitute the language of the bill as it had passed the House, except to make the effective date of the legislation September 1, 1969, rather than the first day of the second calendar month after enactment. Pages 31339, 31341–31356, 31357, 31359–31366

Confirmations: The following eight civilian nominations were confirmed, including those of Harold C. Passer, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; Albert Bushong Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the FPC; James V. Day, of Maine, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner; and five nominations in the Environmental Science Services Administration. Page 31376

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. Page 31376

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1915, to authorize funds to provide for a new merchant marine program, with testimony from Maurice H. Stans, Secretary, accompanied by Andrew E. Gibson, Maritime Administration, both of the Department of Commerce; and John W. Warner, Under Secretary of the Navy.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment held hearings on pending legislation designed to assist the commercial fishing industry (S. 1889, 2059, 2230, 2396, 2825, and H.R. 4813). Witnesses heard were Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish, and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources; David Borgeson, Department of Natural Resources, Lansing, Mich.; Earl Conrad, Haynie Products, Inc., Reedville, Va.; J. Steele Culbertson, National Fish Meal and Oil Association, Washington, D.C.; and August Felando, American Tunaboat Association, San Diego.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2876, providing candidates for congressional office with opportunities to purchase broadcast time from television broadcasting stations. Witnesses heard were Representatives Macdonald, Vanik, and Reid of New York; Robert Squirer, the Communications Co., Washington, D.C.; Fred Papert, New York City; and Irving B. Kahn, Teleprompter Corp., New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which is embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

MILITARY SERVICE CLUBS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings in connection with its investigation of alleged mismanagement of military service clubs, having as its witnesses Sgt. Maj. William Wooldridge, and Sgt. William Higdon, both of the U.S. Army; former Army Sergeants Seymour Lazar and Navarez Hatcher; Carmine S. Bellino and LaVern J. Duffy, both of the subcommittee's staff; and William S. Fialkewicz, on loan to the subcommittee from the Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE HEARINGS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations announced that it had postponed to a later undetermined date its hearings originally scheduled for October 28–30, on S. 2483, proposed Intergovernmental Revenue Act of 1969.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 1442, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to enter into agreements with the States for programs to control advertising along interstate highways.

Committee also approved 14 public building prospectuses and 17 watershed projects.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 14474–14512; four private bills, H.R. 14513–14516; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 966–971, H. Con. Res. 424–430, and H. Res. 590, were introduced. Pages 31263–31265

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13565, to validate certain deeds improperly acknowledged or executed (or both) that are recorded in the land records of the Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 91–589);

H.R. 13837, to amend the Healing Arts Practice Act, District of Columbia, 1928, to revise the composition of the Commission on Licensure to Practice the Healing Art (H. Rept. 91–590);

H.R. 9257, to amend the code of laws of the District of Columbia with respect to facilities for the parking or storage of motor vehicles, amended (H. Rept. 91–591);

H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer by licensed blood banks in the District of Columbia of blood components within the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–592);

H.R. 13564, to provide that in the District of Columbia one or more grantors in a conveyance creating an estate in joint tenancy or tenancy by the entireties may also be one of the grantees (H. Rept. 91–593);

Report entitled "Census and Statistics Systems of Certain Countries in Europe" (H. Rept. 91–594); and

H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–595).

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on a joint resolution making further continuing appropriations. Page 31195

Land Transfer: Cleared for the President H.R. 9946, to authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the Board of Education of Lee County, S.C., by agreeing to Senate amendments thereto. Page 31195

Late Reports: Committee on the District of Columbia received permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday, October 24. Page 31195

Savings Bonds: Considered by unanimous consent and passed by a voice vote H.R. 14020, to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on United States Savings Bonds.

Pages 31196–31198

NSF Authorization: Representative Winn was appointed as a manager in lieu of Representative Bell in the conference on S. 1857, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation pursuant to Public Law 81–507, as amended. Page 31198

Presidential Message—Maritime Program: Received and read a message from the President wherein he proposes a new maritime program for the Nation—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed. Page 31200

Child Protection Act: Agreed to the conference report on S. 1689, to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to protect children from toys and other articles intended for use by children which are hazardous due to the presence of electrical, mechanical, or thermal hazards, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Page 31201

Legislative Appropriations: House disagrees to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Andrews of Alabama, Steed, Kirwan, Yates, Casey, Mahon, Andrews of North Dakota, Langen, Reifel, Wyman, and Bow.

A privileged motion was ordered that the conferees on behalf of the House be instructed to support the position of the Senate on Senate amendment No. 251, regarding funding for the west front of the Capitol.

Subsequently, a preferential motion was made to lay on the table the motion to instruct conferees (agreed to by a record vote of 199 yeas to 165 nays).

Pages 31201, 31202–31204

Housing and Urban Development Act: By a record vote of 339 yeas to 9 nays, with 3 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 13827, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development.

Agreed to a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to report it back with language that provides for construction of an equal number of dwellings as have been removed in urban renewal projects (agreed to by a division vote of 116 yeas to 92 nays).

On a request for a separate vote, agreed to the Anderson of Illinois amendment that directs the Secretary of HUD that there will be no restrictions or restraints on use of new technology in home construction except where such restraint is necessary to insure safety and healthful working conditions (agreed to earlier while in the committee of the whole by a teller vote of 130 yeas to 93 nays).

On a request for a separate vote, agreed to the Teague of Texas amendment to the committee amendment (extends until October 1971 the authority of the VA Administrator to set maximum interest rates of veteran loans), and the Brock amendment to the committee amendment (extends until October 1971 the authority of the Administrator of FHA to establish interest rates on FHA loans) agreed to by a division vote of 163 yeas to 43 nays.

While in the committee of the whole agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment that provides for FHA financing of mobile homes;

An amendment that requires safety standards for latches on medicine cabinets in federally assisted housing;

Agreed to the following amendments to the Anderson of Illinois amendment:

Would restrict the Anderson amendment to "operation break through" programs (agreed to by a teller vote of 66 yeas to 50 nays);

Provides that construction of housing must conform to local zoning and building codes (agreed to by a division vote of 67 yeas); and

Would provide for recourse in the event of faulty construction or poor material used in construction.

Rejected an amendment that would require all rules and regulations regarding housing be printed in the Federal Register.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 2864, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 13827 as passed. Pages 31204–31241

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 29. Page 31241

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC PROBLEMS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Domestic Finance met in executive session and voted

unanimously to conduct a series of grassroots hearings in various cities on current economic problems.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 11145 and S. 1076, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue Monday, October 27.

AIRWAYS AND AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 14465, in lieu of H.R. 12374, to provide for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airport and airway system, and for the imposition of airport and airway user charges.

LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations held an executive hearing on FCC's recent renewal of the licenses of WIFE AM-FM, Indianapolis. Testimony was heard from Federal Communications Commission Chairman Rosel H. Hyde.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Symington, Ichord, and Wylie.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from Arthur Levitt, Jr., president, and Edward Netter, senior vice president of Cogan, Berlind, Weill & Levitt, Inc.

MARITIME ACADEMY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training concluded hearings on H.R. 8328 and related bills, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958 to require repayment of amounts paid for the training of merchant marine officers who do not serve in the merchant marine or Armed Forces; and H.R. 8785, to amend the Maritime Academy Act of 1958 to increase the amount of assistance to such academies and to provide for a minimum subsistence payable per student. Testimony was heard from Representative Leggett and public witnesses.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and completed consideration and adopted new provisions for title II of Chairman Dulski's postal reform bill, H.R. 4. Title II, as adopted by the committee, related to the appointment of the officers of the postal service, postmasters, and rural carriers, and the elimination of political influence in the postal service.

Pending business before the committee is title III of H.R. 4, relating to transportation.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization began hearings on pending legislative reorganization bills. Testimony was heard from Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cohelan, Horton, McCarthy, McEwen, Whalen, and Koch.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POLICIES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings on the subject of "The Federal Budget, Inflation, and Full Employment, 1970–75," receiving testimony from Paul W. McCracken, Chairman, accompanied by Hendrik S. Houthakker and Herbert Stein, members, all of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970.

D.C. REVENUE

Conferees, in executive session, continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again again on Monday, October 27.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Monday, October 27.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

Monday, October 27, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 31469–31531

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3071–3074; and S. Con. Res. 43. Pages 31472–31473, 31486

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 143, calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 1343, a private bill, relinquishing title to certain lands in Yuma County, Ariz. (S. Rept. 91–498); and

S. 2062, to differentiate between private and public ownership of lands in the administration of the acreage-limitation provisions of Federal reclamation law, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–499). Page 31472

Bill Referred: H.R. 14020, to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. savings bonds, was referred to Committee on Finance. Page 31468

Indians: S. 210, to declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 31488

Hazardous Toys: Conference report was adopted on S. 1689, to require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 31468, 31532

Relocation Assistance and Land Acquisition: S. 1, proposed Uniform Relocation Assistance and Acquisition Policies Act, was passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 31533–31535

Intergovernmental Personnel: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 11, proposed Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969. Pages 31535–31546

Judges' Retirement: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service. Page 31545

Confirmations: Numerous Marine Corps nominations were confirmed. Page 31554

Nominations: Numerous Marine Corps and Coast Guard nominations were received. Page 31553

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for his Administration from Dr. Joseph T. English, Administrator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other officials of this Administration.

NOMINATIONS—FCC

Committee on Commerce: Committee held further hearings on the nominations of Dean Burch, of Arizona, and Robert Wells, of Kansas, to be members of the Federal Communications Commission, receiving testimony from Rev. Robert F. Drinan, S.J., and William B. Branch, both of the National Citizens Committee for Broadcasting, New York City; Mrs. Lillian Ambrosino, Action for Children's Television; and Robert Bennett, attorney for Citizens Committee To Save WFMT, Chicago.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in morning and afternoon executive sessions, its consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press releases giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Thursday and Friday, October 23 and 24, appears in today's Record on pages 31494–31496.

Committee will continue executive consideration of this bill tomorrow.

PHILADELPHIA PLAN

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers began hearings into the Department of Labor's Philadelphia Plan, designed to bring more minority group workers into six Philadelphia construction trades. Witnesses heard were Senators Javits, and

Brooke; Representative Pucinski; Thurman Sensing, Southern States Industrial Council, Nashville; Harry P. Taylor, General Building Contractors Association, Inc., Philadelphia; and William E. Naumann, the Associated General Contractors of America, Tucson.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education held an executive meeting for the purpose of considering language for inclusion in its final report.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony concerning transportation aspects of such a change from Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; David M. Fuquay, president, National Star Route Mail Carriers' Association; Paul R. Duke, Association of American Railroads; and James F. Pinkney, American Trucking Association, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Postmaster General Winton Blount will testify.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Margaret Mead, an anthropologist, and curator emeritus of ethnology, American Museum of Natural History.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14517–14539; four private bills, H.R. 14540–14543; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 972–974 and H. Res. 591–599, were introduced.

Pages 31646–31648

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10335, to revise certain provisions of the criminal laws of the District of Columbia relating to offenses against hotels, motels, and other commercial lodgings, amended (H. Rept. 91–596);

S. 2056, to amend title 11 of the District of Columbia Code to permit unmarried judges of the courts of the District of Columbia who have no dependent children to terminate their payments for survivors' annuity and to receive a refund of amounts paid for such annuity (H. Rept. 91–597);

H.R. 10336, to revise certain laws relating to the liability of hotels, motels, and similar establishments in the District of Columbia to their guests, amended (H. Rept. 91–598) (all the foregoing reports were filed on Friday, October 24);

H.R. 14252, to authorize the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare to make grants to conduct special educational programs and activities concerning the use of drugs (H. Rept. 91–599);

Conference report on S. 1857, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation pursuant to Public Law 81–507, as amended (H. Rept. 91–600); and

H.R. 14465, to provide for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airport and airway system, for the imposition of airport and airway user charges (H. Rept. 91–601).

Pages 31646–31648

Presidential Message—U.S. Participation in U.N.: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 23d annual report of U.S. participation in the U.N.—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed.

Page 31557

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order, and the following bills were called, considered, and passed:

Healing Arts Practice Act: H.R. 13837, to amend the Healing Arts Practice Act, District of Columbia, 1928, to revise the composition of the Commission on Licensure To Practice the Healing Arts;

Licensed blood banks: H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer by licensed blood banks in the District of Columbia of blood components within the District of Columbia;

Automobile parking and storage: H.R. 9257, to amend the code of laws of the District of Columbia with respect to facilities for the parking or storage of motor vehicles, amended;

Joint tenancy deeds: H.R. 13564, to provide that in the District of Columbia one or more grantors in a conveyance creating an estate in joint tenancy or tenancy by the entireties may also be one of the grantees; and

Deed validation: H.R. 13565, to validate certain deeds improperly acknowledged or executed (or both) that are recorded in the land records of the Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia.

Pages 31558–31565

Housing and Urban Development Act: House insists on its amendment to S. 2864, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development, and ask a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Ashley, Widnall, Dwyer, and Brown of Michigan.

Page 31571

Export Regulation: House disagrees to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports, and ask a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Sullivan, Reuss, Ashley, Widnall, Mize, and Brown of Michigan. Page 31571

Coal Mine Safety: Concluded all general debate on H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States; read the first page of the bill for amendment, when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 584, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 31566–31617

Late Report: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to file a report by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 14465, to provide for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airport and airway system, for the imposition of airport and airway user charges. Page 31619

Presidential Message—Weather Modification: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 10th annual report on weather modification submitted by the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1968—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 31619

Referrals: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 31646

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 12430 and all similar or identical bills which would amend or extend the Food Stamp Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Biester and Mikva and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On Thursday, October 23, committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Hon. George W. Romney, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(h) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from Arnold R. Weber, Assistant Secretary for Manpower, Department of Labor.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from John McCart, operations director, Government Employees Council; Chester W. Parrish, national president, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees; and George H. Efthemes, secretary, National Association of Government Engineers.

Hearings continue Wednesday, October 29.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: On Friday, October 24, committee met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

On Friday, October 24, the committee heard testimony from Representative Burton and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969.

Tuesday, October 28, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 31776–31858

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3075–3090; and S.J. Res. 163.

Pages 31791–31792

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to Committee on the District of Columbia.

Page 31776

Judges' Retirement: Senate continued consideration of S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service, agreeing by unanimous consent to the reported amendment to the bill, which was then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Yeas and nays were ordered on passage of the bill, with the vote to be taken at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, October 29. Pages 31838, 31842–31846, 31863–31864

Virgin Islands: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2314, granting Virgin Islands Legislature authority to lower voting age upon approval by the voters of a referendum held for such purpose.

Pages 31846–31847

Dirksen Eulogies: It was ordered that upon the conclusion of the record vote to be taken at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, October 29, on passage of S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service, Senate will hear eulogies of the late Senator Dirksen. Page 31846

Confirmations: Two Army nominations in the rank of general were confirmed. Page 31865

Nominations: Numerous Army and Coast Guard nominations were received. Pages 31864–31865

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for health programs and services from Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, Health Services and Mental Health Administration. Dr. Yolles was accompanied and assisted by several of his associates.

In an afternoon session, testimony in behalf of funds for the National Institutes of Health was received from its Director, Dr. Robert Q. Marston, who was accompanied by directors of the various Institutes.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation resumed its hearings on S. 1933, 2915, and 3061, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969, having as its witnesses Secretary John A. Volpe and Oscar M. Laurel, member, National Transportation Safety Board, both of the Department of Transportation; Thomas M. Goodfellow, president, Association of American Railroads; and Al Chesser, United Transportation Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press release giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Monday, October 27, appears in today's Record on pages 31808–31810.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

PHILADELPHIA PLAN

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued hearings into the Department of Labor's Philadelphia Plan, designed to bring more minority group workers into six Philadelphia construction trades, receiving testimony from Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division; George P. Shultz, Secretary of Labor; Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; and Louis Sherman, general counsel, Building and Trades Division, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Indian Education, in executive session, approved language for inclusion in its final report, which report is expected to be filed in the Senate on Friday, October 31.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, having as its witness Postmaster General Winton M. Blount, who, in a morning session, directed his remarks to the matter of rates and ratemaking, and, in an afternoon session, to the labor management relations aspects of the proposed change.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 14544–14557; four private bills, H.R. 14558–14561; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 975 and H. Res. 600, were introduced. Page 31939

Presidential Message—Incentive Awards to Servicemen: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress reports of the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation on awards made during the first 6 months of 1969 to members of the Armed Forces for suggestions, inventions, and scientific achievements—referred to the Committee on Armed Services. Pages 31866–31867

Printing Resolution: Cleared H. Con. Res. 368, providing for the printing of copies of the eulogies on Dwight David Eisenhower, by concurring to the Senate amendment thereto. Page 31867

Continuing Resolution: By a voice vote, the House passed H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending 1970.

Agreed to a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report it back forthwith eliminating the 30-day extension and providing that the measure be in effect until 5 days after the sine die adjournment of the first session of the 91st Congress (agreed to by a division vote of 137 yeas to 116 nays).

Agreed to an amendment that provides for additional funds for the Office of Education and allow it to operate at levels approved by the House last July (agreed to by a teller vote of 177 yeas to 124 nays). Pages 31867–31900

Coal Mine Safety: Briefly considered H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States.

One amendment, which seeks to strike out the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Board of Review, was pending when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow. Pages 31900–31907

Committee To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary and any of its subcommittees received permission to sit during general debate of the House on Wednesday, October 29. Page 31907

Referrals: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 31939

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 12430, H.R. 12222, H.R. 13277, H.R. 13423, S. 2547, and all other related bills to amend or extend the Food Stamp Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Montgomery and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAST GUARD OFFICER TRANSFERS—HEADSTONES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 9052 to amend section 716 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the interservice transfers of officers of the Coast Guard, and H.R. 6265, to provide that the headstone or marker be furnished at Government expense for the unmarked grave of any Medal of Honor recipient. Testimony was heard from Representative Hicks; Col. Thomas P. Harrison, Deputy Director of Personnel Management, Office Secretary of Defense; and Carl T. Noll, Chief, Memorial Division, Office of Chief of Support Services, Department of the Army.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for continued markup of H.R. 11792, foreign aid.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

ALASKA PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued consideration of Public Land Order 4582 (the Alaska land freeze order), proposed modification to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

SDS ACTIVITIES

Committee on Internal Security: Held a hearing on SDS activities in Akron and Detroit. Testimony was heard from Gerald Hankus, associate professor, Macomb Community College, Warren, Mich.; Eric Latos, student at Macomb College; Stephen Wosary, assistant principal, Garfield High School, Akron, Ohio; and Neil Wetterman, committee investigator.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 4574, to provide for the admission to the United States of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands; and

H.R. 14118, to amend section 213 of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee continued hearings on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(h) of the Immigration and Nationality

Act. Testimony was heard from Representative McEwen and James L. Hennessy, Executive Assistant to the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Winn, Fountain, Devine, Foreman, and Van Deerlin. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Cabell, Dorn, Downing, Harvey, Minshall, O'Neal, and Utt.

PRESIDENT'S MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on the President's maritime program. Testimony was heard from Hon. Maurice H. Stans, Secretary of Commerce, and Hon. Andrew Gibson, Maritime Administrator.

Hearing was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met for a panel discussion on coastal zone management.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and voted to reconsider title II of Chairman Dulski's postal reform bill, H.R. 4, relating to the appointment of postmasters.

Upon reconsideration, the committee rejected the provision granting an exemption to the residence requirement for postmasters at a first-class post office having more than 100 employees.

The committee then took final action and approved title II as amended.

The pending order of business at the next meeting, Thursday, October 30, will be title III, relating to transportation.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization met in executive session on pending legislative reorganization bills.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Lowenstein and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Thursday, October 30.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began hearings on the subject of environmental effects of producing electric power, receiving testimony from Lee DuBridge, Science Adviser to the President; and John N. Nassikas, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from AEC Chairman Seaborg.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, October 29, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 32109–32177

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3091–3093. Pages 32141–32144

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 966, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 until 5 days after sine die adjournment of the first session of the 91st Congress, and providing funds for operation of Office of Education programs at the level provided in H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 32109

President's Communication—Appropriations: A communication from the President relating to the present status of appropriation bills in Congress was received—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Pages 32110, 32141

Committee Assignment: Vice President announced his appointment of Senator Jordan of Idaho to be a member of the Select Committee on Standards and Conduct vice Senator Pearson, resigned therefrom. Page 32110

Judges' Retirement: By 61 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment S. 1508, permitting retirement of judges at full annuity at any age after 20 years' service. Page 32112

Dirksen Eulogies: Numerous addresses in tribute to the life, character, and public service of the late Senator Dirksen were heard.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that these eulogies be printed as a Senate document and that Senators be granted time until November 15 to include their tributes therein. Pages 32112–32141

Reclamation Law: Senate took up S. 2062, to differentiate between private and public ownership of lands in the administration of the acreage-limitation provisions of Federal reclamation law. Page 32177

Nomination: One Air Force nomination in the rank of general was received. Page 32177

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Roderick Murray, Director, Division of Biologics Standards, and Dr. Kenneth M. Endicott, Director, National Cancer Institute, both of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dean Burch, of Arizona, and Robert Wells, of Kansas, to be members of the Federal Communications Commission; and routine Coast Guard nominations.

Also, committee discussed, but took no final action on, pending airport and airways legislation.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued its hearings on S. 1933, 2915, and 3061, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969, having as its witnesses George I. Bloom, chairman, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, on behalf of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners; Ralph Nader, attorney at law, Washington, D.C.; Arnold B. Elkind, Chairman, National Commission on Product Safety; and William E. Skutt, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press release giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Tuesday, October 28, appears in today's Record on pages 32148–32150.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Thomas Patrick Melady, of New York, to be Ambassador to Burundi;

John F. Root, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ivory Coast;

Scott Heuer, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Inspector General, Foreign Assistance;

Anthony Faunce, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Inspector General, Foreign Assistance;

Henry J. Costanzo, of the District of Columbia, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank;

Robert E. Wieczorowski, of Illinois, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; and

Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

WEAPONS TESTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State William P. Rogers testify and answer questions with regard to S. Res. 210 and 211, resolutions expressing the sense of the Senate with regard to suspending the testing of multiple independently targetable reentry vehicles (MIRV), and other pending related resolutions.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 9477 and S. 2357, providing for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, with testimony from Senator Hatfield; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; and representatives of the Umatilla Tribe; and

S. 2063, authorizing sale of inherited interests in allotted lands in the Tulalip Reservation, Wash.; S. 2873,

to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213 acres of land; and S. 2619, relating to travel and transportation expenses of teachers in schools operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, with testimony from Assistant Secretary Loesch.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 2473, granting U.S. district courts jurisdiction to resolve controversy with respect to jurisdiction to regulate a public utility, receiving testimony from Judge Solomon Liss, Supreme Bench of Baltimore City; and the following representatives of the American Bar Association: Prof. A. J. G. Priest, University of Virginia Law School; John E. Stephen; Everett I. Willis; Thomas M. Deboise; and Francis X. Welch.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure began hearings to receive testimony on the administration of the Selective Service System, and proposals for its reform. Witnesses heard were Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Betty M. Vetter, executive director, Scientific Manpower Commission; and Al Levine, who was accompanied by other representatives of the American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Gen. Lewis B. Hershey and others.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 14562–14594; one private bill, H.R. 14595; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 976 and 977, H. Con. Res. 431 and 432, and H. Res. 601–604, were introduced. Pages 32005, 32108

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 602, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14252, to authorize the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare to make grants to conduct special educational programs and activities concerning use of drugs (H. Rept. 91–602); and

H. Res. 603, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 589, to express the support of Congress and urge Federal departments and agencies to support the international biological program (H. Rept. 91–603).

Pages 32107–32108

Subpena Duces Tecum: Read a subpena issued by the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York, requesting a number of House records, in connection with a grand jury investigation of the Seafarers Political Activity Donation Committee.

Subsequently agreed to H. Res. 601, authorizing the Clerk of the House to comply with the subpena duces tecum. Pages 32005–32008

Suspension of Rules—Legislative Program: Unanimous consent was granted to put business under "Suspension of the Rules" over from Monday, November 3, until Wednesday, November 5. Pages 32006–32008

Presidential Message—Office of Alien Property: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the annual report of the Office of Alien Property—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Page 32009

Coal Mine Safety: By a record vote of 389 yeas to 4 nays, the House passed H.R. 13950, to provide for the protection of the health and safety of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Education and Labor with instructions to report it back forthwith with section 112 deleted, regarding limited pay guarantees for miners idled by withdrawals or closures and retroactive emergency assistance of $136 per month (increased for dependents) to miners totally disabled by black lung, or to their widows (amendment was rejected earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a voice vote).

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment that deletes the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Board of Review and establishes in lieu an Interim Compliance Panel for review of health and safety standards;

An amendment that provides for reassignment of miners who already have black lung to working areas in which the dust level is at 1 milligram per cubic meter of air;

An amendment that substitutes a new title III, providing for updated safety standards and technology for underground coal mines;

An amendment that would provide funds to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, for aid to miners for X-ray and examination;

An amendment to the preceding amendment that provides for safety standards on allowable noise levels in mine working areas; and

Agreed to a technical amendment.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that would permit the Secretary of the Interior to modify, according to attainability, health standards set by the Secretary of HEW (rejected by a division vote of 26 yeas to 53 nays); and

An amendment that would limit to a 4-year period the time in which mine operators would have to modernize all electrical equipment used in mining, seeking spark-free equipment.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 2917, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 13950 as passed.

Agreed to amend the title to conform to the House bill.

House insists on its amendment to the bill, and asks a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Dent, Pucinski, Hawkins, Mink, Burton of California, Ayres, Erlenborn, Bell, and Scherle. Pages 32009–32076, 32083

Clerk Designate: Read a communication from the Clerk of the House wherein he designates certain employees to sign all papers and do other acts which would be authorized in the absence of the Clerk. Page 32076

Draft Reform Rule Considered: Consumed 41 minutes of debate on H. Res. 586, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14001, Selective Service Amendment Act of 1969, when agreement was reached on a motion to postpone further consideration of the rule until Thursday, October 30. Pages 32076–32083

Referral: One Senate-passed bill was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 32107

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on all bills to amend or extend the Food Stamp Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Javits and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and adopted a motion to have a clean bill introduced on foreign aid by a vote of 27 for, 8 against, and 2 voting present. Committee to vote on clean bill tomorrow.

PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations held a hearing on S.J. Res. 90, proposed International Conference on a Patent Cooperation Treaty. Testimony was heard from Eugene M. Braderman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Commercial Affairs and Business Activities, Department of State; and Robert W. Beart, senior vice president, Illinois Tool Works, Inc., and chairman of the Patents and Trademarks Committee of the Illinois Manufacturers Association.

FEDERAL PROPERTY AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 4599, to extend for 2 years the period for which payments in lieu of taxes may be made with respect to certain real property transferred by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and its subsidiaries to other Government departments. Testimony was heard from Representatives Macdonald of Massachusetts, Donohue, Thompson of New Jersey, Shriver, Skubitz, Harrington, and Preyer; Dwight Ink, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Friedel and Robison.

Hearing was adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SDS ACTIVITIES

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on SDS activities in Detroit. Testimony was heard from Stuart Pott, staff investigator, and Sgt. Alan Crouter, Detroit Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

DISTRICT COURT JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 began hearings on S. 952 and related bills, authorizes the appointment of additional district court judges in the various specified States. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dennis, Dellenback, Burke of Florida, Rogers of Florida, Fuqua, Anderson of Illinois, Ashley, Wolff, and Latta. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Blanton, Bob Wilson, Kuykendall, Anderson of Tennessee, Bolling, Patman, Utt, Van Deerlin, and Roberts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Daniel J. Freed, professor, Yale Law School; David Isbell, Esq., vice chairman, American Civil Liberties Union, District of Columbia; Robert Kasanof, Esq., National Association of Defense Lawyers; Hon. Daniel

Beren, Pennsylvania State representative; and John deLaittre, president, Citizens Committee of Georgetown.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT SHIP SALES ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 14257, to amend section 11(a) of the Merchant Ship Sales Act of 1946 to require the use by the United States of privately owned U.S.-flag vessels, when available, to carry cargo. Testimony was heard from Hon. John W. Warner, Under Secretary of the Navy.

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued panel discussion on coastal zone management.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from Louis A. Kislik, chairman, Legislative Committee, Direct Mail Advertising Association, and John Jay Daly, vice president, DMAA, Inc.

UNSOLICITED CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 13244, to amend title 39, United States Code, to restrict the mailing of unsolicited credit cards. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hanley, Scott, Patman, and Bingham. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Rosenthal.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act. Testimony was heard from Joseph W. Kimmel, Edward Hay & Associates, management consultants.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds concluded hearings on H.R. 12795, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide better facilities for the enforcement of the customs and immigration laws," to increase the amount authorized to be expended; and S. 2910, to amend Public Law 89-260 to authorize funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building. Testimony was heard from Hon. Frank B. Gatchell, Jr., Acting Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Customs, Department of the Treasury; Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; and Mario Campioli, Assistant Architect of the Capitol.

INTERNATIONAL BIOLOGICAL PROGRAM

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order against section 2(b) of H.J. Res. 589, expressing the support of Congress for the international biological program. Testimony was heard from Representative Davis of Georgia.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a straight open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 14252, Drug Abuse Education Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representatives Brademas, Meeds, and Hansen of Idaho.

WATER CARRIER MIXING RULE

Committee on Rules: Did not complete hearings on H.R. 8298, water carrier mixing rule. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers, and Representatives Springer, Kuykendall, and Boggs. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Stubblefield.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee today completed its action on the unemployment compensation bill, and the chairman will introduce a clean bill when the language implementing its decisions has been drafted, probably one day next week. The changes in and additions to previous decisions on this subject are:

(1) Employment of professors and teachers at a university is excluded;

(2) Spouses of students are excluded where the spouses are in a student-aid type program;

(3) Voted down coverage of agricultural labor;

(4) Voted down minimum benefit standard;

(5) Voted to change the funding so that the base at both Federal and State levels will go to $4,200 on January 1, 1972, and stay at $4,200 (no escalation);

(6) The entire one-tenth of 1 percent increase in the Federal take (from 0.4 to 0.5 percent) which is to become effective in 1970 will go into the extended benefit account for the years 1970 and 1971.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on environmental effects of all types of

electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony today from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, and James T. Ramey, Commissioner, both of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from AEC officials.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences btween the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

CLEAN AIR

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2276, extending authorization for research relating to fuels and vehicles under the provisions of the Clean Air Act, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 32310–32373

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3094–3098; and S.J. Res. 164. Page 32314

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

S.J. Res. 164, to provide for an extension until December 31, 1969, of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949 (S. Rept. 91–500). Page 32314

President's Message—Consumers: President submitted message transmitting his legislative recommendations concerning consumer interests—referred jointly to Committees on Commerce, Government Operations, Judiciary, and Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 32318–32323

Government Procurement: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, agreed to hold conferences with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Ribicoff, and Mundt. Page 32311

Indians: S. 73, relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak., was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Pages 32311–32312

Export Control: Senate passed S.J. Res. 164, to provide for an extension until December 31, 1969, of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949, after adopting Mansfield amendment providing that in event of the death, resignation, or disability of the Secretary of the Senate, the Comptroller of the Senate shall be deemed his interim successor as disbursing officer. Page 32321

Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 267, private bill, clearing the bill for the White House. Page 32392

Reclamation Law: S. 2062, to differentiate between private and public ownership of lands in the administration of the acreage-limitation provisions of Federal reclamation law, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 32372, 32391–32393

Public Lands: Senate adopted without amendment S. Res. 277, calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 202, providing that the United States disclaim any interest in certain land within the Carson National Forest, N. Mex.

Senate also adopted without amendment S. Res. 143, calling for referral to the Court of Claims of S. 1343, a private bill relinquishing title to certain lands in Yuma County, Ariz. Page 32393

Authority To Report: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that all committees be authorized to file reports during Senate adjournment until noon Monday, November 3, including minority, individual, additional, or supplemental views; that the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to receive and refer messages from the House; and that the Vice President, President pro tempore, or acting President pro tempore be authorized to sign duly enrolled bills and joint resolutions.

Subcommittee on Indian Education of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized through Monday, November 3, to file its report on matters pertaining to the education of the American Indian. Page 32393

D.C. Revenue: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 12982, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1969, when it adopted conference report thereon. Page 32413

Confirmations: Nine civilian nominations were confirmed, including those of Dean Burch, of Arizona, and Robert Wells, of Kansas, each to be a member of the FCC; Thomas Patrick Melady, of New York, and John F. Root, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassadors, respectively, to the Republic of Burundi and the Republic of Ivory Coast; Henry J. Costanzo, of the District of Columbia, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank; Robert E. Wieczorowski, of Illinois, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; and Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and numerous Coast Guard. Page 32414

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Kenneth M. Endicott, Director, National Cancer Institute, and Dr. Theodore Cooper, Director, National Heart Institute, both of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Robert Louis Johnson, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research and Development); Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey for appointment to rank of general in connection with his assignment as Manpower and Mobilization Adviser to the President; and 5,797 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Johnson was introduced to the committee by Senator Cranston.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 11363, to prohibit the importation of endangered species of fish and wildlife into the United States.

Also, committee discussed, but took no action on, H.R. 6543, proposed Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Tuesday, November 4, on the nomination of Robert C. Gresham, of Maryland, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking additional actions thereon, a summary of which are embodied in a press release which will be available at the committee's office tomorrow.

Press release giving a summary of decisions made by the committee on Wednesday, October 29, appears in today's Record on pages 32332–32333.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued hearings to receive testimony on the administration of the Selective Service System, and proposals for its reform. Witnesses heard were Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director of the Selective Service System; Charles Palmer, president of the National Student Association; and Dr. Harry Marmion, president of St. Xavier College.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 3.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 13300, providing for extension of supplemental annuities and mandatory retirement of employees under the railroad retirement laws. Witnesses heard were William E. Fredenberger, international president, International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers; Jack M. Elkin, senior vice president, Martin E. Segal Co.; C. J. Coughlin, Grand Chief Engineer, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; William W. Winpisinger, International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers; and William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens.

Committee will meet in executive session on Thursday, November 6, to consider this proposed legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14596–14618; two private bills, H.R. 14619 and 14620; and five resolutions, H. Con. Res. 433 and 434, and H. Res. 605–607, were introduced. Pages 32503–32504

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 12982, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 91–604). Pages 32416–32504

NASA Authorization: House disagrees to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 11271, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management; and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Miller of California, Teague of Texas, Karth, Hechler of West Virginia, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Mosher, and Roudebush. Page 32420

NSF Authorization: Agreed to the conference report on S. 1857, authorizing appropriations for activities of the National Science Foundation pursuant to Public Law 81–507, as amended; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 32422–32423

Subcommittees to Sit: Subcommittees No. 4 and 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 32423

Government Employees Per Diem: Cleared for the President H.R. 337, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business; by concurring to Senate amendments thereto. Pages 32423–32425

Presidential Message—Consumer Protection: Received and read a message from the President containing recommendations and proposals designed to aid consumers—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed. Pages 32432–32436

Draft Reform: By a record vote of 382 yeas to 13 nays, with 1 voting "present", the House passed H.R. 14001, to amend the Military Selective Service Act of 1967 to authorize modifications of the system of selecting persons for induction into the Armed Forces under this act.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services by a voice vote.

Points of order were sustained against the following amendments:

An amendment that would require that military manpower needs be met by induction after selection of delinquents and volunteers and specified conditions of eligibility for the draft;

An amendment that would require suspension of the draft as soon as possible with reinstatement if Congress declares war, or the President orders such reinstatement and Congress concurs; and

An amendment which would prohibit sending inductees to Vietnam without their consent unless Congress declares war.

H. Res. 586, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted by a voice vote. Prior to adoption of the rule, a motion to move the previous question was agreed to by a record vote of 265 yeas to 129 nays. Pages 32426–32432, 32438–32468

Drug Abuse: Concluded all general debate on H.R. 14252, to authorize the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare to make grants to conduct special educational programs and activities concerning the use of drugs and for other related educational purposes; when the Committee of the Whole rose. The bill will be read for amendment on Friday, October 31.

H. Res. 602, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 32469–32487

D.C. Revenue: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 12982, to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 32468–32469

Export Control Act: Passed S.J. Res. 164, to provide for a temporary extension of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949, clearing the measure for the White House. Page 32469

Meeting Hour: Objection was heard to a unanimous consent request that the House meet at 11 a.m. on Friday, October 31. Page 32487

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 32503

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS—FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: The committee, in executive session, approved the following watershed projects: North Concordia, La.; Aowa Creek, Nebr.; South Florida Conservancy District; Pond Run, W. Va.; and Lower Pine Creek, Calif., with a committee proviso.

Prior to the executive session, the committee continued hearings on all bills to amend or extend the Food Stamp Act and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Representative Young.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Dr.

Gunnar Myrdal, Institute for International Economic Studies.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Wednesday, November 5, at 1:30 p.m.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 14580 in lieu of H.R. 11792, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1969.

SDS ACTIVITIES

Committee on Internal Security: Held a hearing on SDS activities in Pittsburgh. Testimony was heard from Neil Wetterman, committee investigator; Dr. James R. Johnston, principal, South Hills High School, Pittsburgh; and Eugene Wisniewski, a detective with Pittsburgh Police Department.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CONTEMPT CITATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and voted 20 to 13 to report and refer the refusal of Rosel Hyde, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, to grant access to records subpenaed by the Special Subcommittee on Investigations together with all the facts in connection therewith to the House of Representatives with the recommendation that he be cited for contempt of the House of Representatives for his refusal to comply with a subpena to the end that he may be proceeded against in the manner and form provided by law.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony and acted on private claims bills.

CONNECTICUT-NEW YORK RAILROAD COMPACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13212, amended, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York Railroad Passenger Transportation Compact.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Jerome Shestack, Esq., American Bar Association; Edward F. Bell, Esq., President-elect, National Bar Association; George Sawyer, Friends Committee on National Legislation; and Miriam Friedlander, executive secretary, Citizens Committee for Constitutional Liberties.

DISTRICT COURT JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on S. 952 and related bills, authorizes the appointment of additional district court judges in the various specified States. Testimony was heard from Representative Hogan; Hon. John R. Brown, chief judge, United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit; Houston; Hon. Richard H. Chambers, chief judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, San Francisco. Statements for the record were submitted by Senator Hruska and Representatives Yatron, Slack, Reuss, Broyhill of Virginia, and Green of Oregon; also a letter from Representatve Moss enclosing the statement of Chief Judge Thomas McBride.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform bill, with specific consideration to title III, relating to transportation of the mail.

An amendment was offered to strike out all of title III and substitute new language, to be considered as the original text of the bill, which completely rewrites all of the postal laws relating to the transportation of mail.

The committee adopted several technical amendments in the new language, and rejected a major amendment relating to star route contracts that would have spelled out in detail the method of contracting and the conditions to accompany contracts for the transportation of mail.

Committee to continue with title III on Thursday, November 6.

TRANSFER OF AIR SPACE

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on H.R. 12898, to authorize the Administrator of General Services to transfer certain airspace for use for housing purposes. Testimony was heard from Representatives Koch and Ryan; Government and public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on the Capitol Guide Service and the abolishment of certain joint committees. Testimony was heard from Representa-

tives Pettis, Nedzi, and Steiger of Arizona, and Floyd Kirby, Captain of the Capitol Guides.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on environmental effects of all types of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony today from James T. Ramey and Theos J. Thompson, both of whom are members of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow when other AEC officials will testify.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Monday, November 3.

Friday, October 31, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Seymour J. Kreshover, Director, National Institute of Dental Research, Dr. G. Donald Whedon, Director, National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases, both of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 3.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, concluded consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, and ordered the bill favorably reported to the Senate with numerous amendments.

Committee announced that it expects to report the bill to the Senate by the 10th of November.

A press release embodying summary of actions taken today will be available at the committee's office tomorrow. This press release, as well as one embodying a summary of actions taken on Thursday, October 30, will appear in the Congressional Record on Monday, November 3.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 14621–14637; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 978 and H. Res. 608, were introduced. Pages 32553, 32614

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 608, electing Representative Smith of New York to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 32553

Presidential Message—Transportation: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the second annual report of the Department of Transportation—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 32556

Drug Abuse: By a record vote of 294 yeas, the House passed H.R. 14252, to authorize the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare to make grants to conduct special educational programs and activities concerning the use of drugs and for other educational purposes.

Agreed to an amendment that places a ceiling on expenditures. Pages 32566–32569

Administrative Conference: By a record vote of 133 yeas to 127 nays, the House passed H.R. 4244, to amend section 576 of title 5, United States Code, pertaining to the Administrative Conference of the United States, to remove the statutory ceiling on appropriations.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary by a record vote of 130 yeas to 134 nays.

Agreed to the committee amendment, and agreed to amend the title.

H. Res. 579, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 5. Page 32579

Referral: One Senate-passed bill was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 32613

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Concluded hearings on all bills to amend or extend the Food Stamp Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Matsunaga and Steiger of Wisconsin and public witnesses.

UNITED STATES-RHODESIAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa continued hearings on the foreign policy aspects of United States-Rhodesian relations. Testimony was heard from Clayton Stephenson, president, Mining and Metals Division, Union Carbide; L. K. Bliss, president, Foote Mineral, Exton, Pa.; Thomas S. Wood, Jr., vice president, Corning Glass Works, New York; and Fred Russell, Deputy Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness.

PETROLEUM PIPELINE IN ALASKA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fish and Wildlife met for briefing on the recent completion of construction stipulations for the petroleum pipeline to be built by the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System across Federal lands in Alaska. Testimony was heard from Russell Train, Under Secretary of Interior; Dr. Leslie Glasgow, Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife, Parks and Marine Resources; and Boyd Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, November 3.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on environmental effects of all types of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony today from Theos J. Thompson and Clarence E. Larson, Commissioners, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 4.

Monday, November 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 32653–32716

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3099–3102; and S. Con. Res. 44. Page 32657

Reports Filed: Special report by Committee on Labor and Public Welfare entitled "Indian Education: A National Tragedy—A National Challenge," with supplemental views (S. Rept. 91–501); and

H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–502) (reported by Committee on Appropriations after adjournment of the Senate under authority of order of February 7, 1969). Page 32708

Bill Referred: Pursuant to order of Thursday, October 30, H.R. 14001, draft reform bill, was referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 32653

President's Message—DOT: President submitted message transmitting the second annual report of the Department of Transportation for the fiscal year 1968—referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 32653

Coal Mine Safety: Senate disagreed to the House amendments to S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, agreed to conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Williams of New Jersey, Randolph, Pell, Nelson, Mondale, Eagleton, Cranston, Javits, Prouty, Schweiker, Saxbe, and Smith of Illinois. Pages 32716–32731

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Robert Louis Johnson, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, for appointment to rank of general in connection with his assignment as Manpower and Mobilization Adviser to the President; and numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force. Page 32731

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Lt. Gen. John J. Davis, U.S. Army, of Kansas, to be an

Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and one judicial to be U.S. marshal.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies.

As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $2,369,949,700, an increase of $34,315,500 over the House-passed figure of $2,335,634,200.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Edward F. MacNichol, Jr., Director, National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Stroke, and Acting Director, National Eye Institute; Dr. Dorland J. Davis, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; and Dr. Frederick L. Stone, Director, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, all of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, and other items.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee met in executive session for the purpose of marking up H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

INDEPENDENT CONSUMER COUNCIL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee for Consumers resumed hearings on S. 2959, to establish an Independent Consumer Council to represent interests of consumers of goods and services, with testimony from Senator Hartke; Don Elberson, executive director, Consumer Assembly of Greater New York; and Ted Cron, American Patients Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2602, proposed District of Columbia Public Defender Act of 1969, and S. 2869, providing a general revision of criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia under several topics, including transfer of delinquents, intrafamily offenses, and examination of the mentally ill.

Committee ordered reported without amendment S. 1421, removing statutory limitation of $16,000 annually for the salary of the Director of the D.C. Legal Aid Agency.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Press releases summarizing actions taken by the committee on Thursday and Friday, October 30 and 31, in its consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, appear in today's Record on pages 32679–32683.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures met in executive session for the consideration of S. 30, Organized Crime Control Act of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Friday, November 7.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure resumed hearings to receive testimony on the administration of the Selective Service System, and proposals for its reform. Witnesses heard were Ramsey Clark, former Attorney General of the United States; Alan Dranitzke, editor in chief, Selective Service "Law Reporter"; Thomas Alder, Public Law Education Institute; and Charles Schoefer, managing editor, "Law Reporter."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUTRITION AND HEALTH

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee held hearings to receive testimony concerning human needs for the American people from Dr. Lester Breslow and Dr. Paul B. Cornerly, both of the American Public Health Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Committee announced that it will hold an executive meeting on Wednesday, November 5.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Four public bills, H.R. 14638–14641; one private bill, H.R. 14642; and one resolution, H. Res. 609, were introduced.

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Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Selection boards: H.R. 8664, to authorize an increase in the number of flag officers who may serve on certain selection boards in the Navy and in the number of officers of the Naval Reserve and Marine Corps Reserve who are eligible to serve on selection boards considering Reserves for promotion;

Marine Corps Band: H.R. 9564, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band;

U.S.S. Constitution: H.R. 8662, to authorize command of the U.S.S. *Constitution* (IX–21) by retired officers of the U.S. Navy;

Naval flight officers: H.R. 11548, to amend title 10, United States Code, to permit naval flight officers to be eligible to command certain naval activities; and

High-speed photography: S. Con. Res. 12 (in lieu of H. Con. Res. 178), to express the sense of Congress on participation in the Ninth International Congress on High-Speed Photography, to be held in Denver, Colo., in August 1970.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Marine Corps commissioned officers: H.R. 10317, to adjust the date of rank of commissioned officers of the Marine Corps; and

Submarine incentive pay: H.R. 82, to amend title 37, United States Code, to modify requirements necessary to establish entitlement to incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 7618.

Pages 32731–32735

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session to consider pending projects. No announcements were made.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on the quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Sir Hugh Wilson, past president, Royal Institute of British Architects, accompanied by nine members of the British mission studying community development.

Hearings continue Thursday, November 13.

CHILD ADOPTION AMENDMENTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 13307, to amend child adoption provisions of present law. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 10266 and H.R. 14008, to amend the Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963 to provide relocation payments for persons displaced from their places of residence or business as a result of construction financed thereunder. Testimony was heard from Representative Ryan; Dr. Janet Karlson, representing Joint School Committee for Academic Excellence, New York City; Mrs. Shirley Rector, representing Borough of Manhattan; Dr. Julian Levi of the University of Chicago, representing American Council on Education.

INDIAN LANDS AND LOANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 12785, H.R. 9311, H.R. 11372, and H.R. 4187, pertaining to Indian lands of the Ute, Makah, and Tulalip Tribes; and H.R. 13732 and S. 227, to provide for loans to Indian tribes and Indian corporations. Testimony was heard from Representative Meeds; Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management; and Lewis A. Bell, attorney for the Tulalip Tribes of Washington.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through October 31, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	139	156	..
Time in session	644 hrs., 13′	567 hrs., 16′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	13,568	10,448	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	9,252
Public bills enacted into law	45	61	106
Private bills enacted into law	18	37	55
Bills in conference	7	8	15
Bills through conference	3	9	12
Measures passed, total	550	554	..
Senate bills	231	55	..
House bills	109	277	..
Senate joint resolutions	31	16	..
House joint resolutions	9	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	25	..
Simple resolutions	139	158	..
Measures reported, total	*614	*568	..
Senate bills	239	45	..
House bills	111	351	..
Senate joint resolutions	31	2	..
House joint resolutions	8	15	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	15	..
Simple resolutions	194	135	..
Special reports	11	25	..
Conference reports	..	11	11
Reported measures not acted on	9	65	..
Measures introduced, total	3,582	16,657	..
Bills	3,098	14,637	..
Joint resolutions	164	978	..
Concurrent resolutions	43	434	..
Simple resolutions	277	608	..
Quorum calls	19	135	..
Yea-and-nay votes	116	121	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 500 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 604 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through October 31, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 11,501, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	10,176
Unconfirmed	1,324
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 18,864, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	15,456
Unconfirmed	3,408
Navy nominations, totaling 19,068, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	18,082
Unconfirmed	986
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 8,428, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	7,991
Unconfirmed	437
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,714, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,557
Unconfirmed	136
Withdrawn	21
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452
Summary	
Total nominations received	62,203
Total confirmed	55,438
Total unconfirmed	6,291
Total withdrawn	474

Tuesday, November 4, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 32781–32795

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3103–3113; and S. Con. Res. 45.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1786, private bill (S. Rept. 91–503);

H.J. Res. 910, declaring November 9 a national day of prayer for American prisoners held by the North Vietnamese (S. Rept. 91–504);

S. 2426, 2363, 2354, 2353, 329, private bills (S. Repts. 91–505 to 91–509);

S. 118, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe Regional Planning Compact so as to encourage conservation in the Lake Tahoe area, California and Nevada, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–510);

S. 2481, 2339, 614, private bills, with amendment (S. Repts. 91–511 to 91–513); and

Special report of the Committee on the Judiciary embodying annual report of its Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization (S. Rept. 91–514).

Pages 32781–32804

Bills Referred: Seven House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 32783

Appropriations—State, Justice, Commerce: Senate began consideration of H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, adopting the following amendments thereto:

All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and Pastore amendment No. 262 (motion to reconsider tabled), clarifying the authority of the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to guarantee loans made by small business investment companies from private financial institutions.

Pending at adjournment was Byrd of Virginia amendment providing new section stating the sense of the Congress that the President shall not enter into any agreement, the effect of which would be to change the status of any territory (Okinawa) referred to in article 3 of the Treaty of Peace with Japan, without the advice and consent of the Senate.

Unanimous consent was obtained that when the Senate convenes tomorrow at noon, and at the conclusion of routine morning business, debate be limited to 2 hours, equally divided on the pending amendment, that debate be limited to 1 hour on additional amendments, to be equally divided, and that debate be limited to 1 hour on final passage of the bill, also to be equally divided.

Pages 32781, 32795, 32861–32868

Export Control: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 4293, providing for continuation of authority to regulate exports, and agreed to conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Williams of New Jersey, Mondale, Hughes, Tower, Bennett, and Brooke. Pages 32869–32870

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Gerald D. LaVeck, Director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; Dr. Paul Kotin, Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences; Dr. Robert Q. Marston, Director of NIH, on funds for general research and services; and Dr. Milo D. Leavitt, Jr., Director, John E. Fogarty International Center for Advanced Study in the Health Sciences, all of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Thursday, November 6.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee concluded consideration of H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, and ordered the bill favorably reported to the full committee with amendments, which report will be made sometime next week.

TAXATION OF NATIONAL BANKS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 2289, to make unlawful unreasonable and undue property tax assessments on common and contract carrier property.

Committee approved without amendment S. 2244, setting penalties for violation of the Explosives Act by carriers; H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act; and S. 1170, to authorize special studies by the Department of Commerce.

NOMINATIONS, AND CONVENTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Ernest V. Siracusa, of California, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; and Henry J. Tasca, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Greece, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee also held hearings on agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood control payments (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.), and consular convention with Belgium (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.), with testimony from John R. Stevenson, Legal Adviser, Department of State.

Committee will hold an executive business meeting tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Paul C. Camilletti, to be U.S. attorney for the northern district of West Virginia;

S. John Cottone, to be U.S. attorney for the middle district of Pennsylvania;

Thomas Edward Asher, to be U.S. marshal for the eastern district of Kentucky;

Leon T. Campbell, to be U.S. marshal for the middle district of Tennessee;

Raymond J. Howard, to be U.S. marshal for the eastern district of Wisconsin;

Seibert W. Lockman, to be U.S. marshal for the western district of North Carolina;

James T. Lunsford, to be U.S. marshal for the middle district of Alabama;

Robert D. Olson, Sr., to be U.S. marshal for the district of Alaska;

Denny L. Sampson, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Nevada; and

Paul J. O'Neill, of Florida, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board.

Committee also approved the following bills:

S. 118, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact so as to encourage conservation in the Lake Tahoe area, California and Nevada (amended);

S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers (amended);

H.J. Res. 910, providing for a national day of prayer for American prisoners held by the North Vietnamese; and

Eight private immigration bills (S. 329, 614, 2339, 2353, 2354, 2363, 2426, and 2481), and one private claims bill (S. 1786).

Committee also approved annual reports of the following subcommittees: Immigration and Naturalization, Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights, and Separation of Powers.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 51 private immigration bills: S. 179, S. 217, S. 222, S. 241, S. 397, S. 452, S. 554, S. 579, S. 603, S. 663, S. 664, S. 677, S. 685, S. 727, S. 761, S. 836, S. 854, S. 895, S. 1134, S. 1157, S. 1201, S. 1202, S. 1387, S. 1392, S. 1406, S. 1407, S. 1469, S. 1529, S. 1760, S. 1899, S. 1906, S. 1914, S. 1950, S. 1953, S. 1964, S. 1970, S. 2117, S. 2220, S. 2254, S. 2261, S. 2262, S. 2268, S. 2269, S. 2403, S. 2411, S. 2429, S. 2469, S. 2618, S. 2837, S. 2888, S. 2946.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began hearings on the conglomerate merger problem, receiving testimony from Dr. Willard Mueller, professor of economics, University of Wisconsin, and formerly chief economist, Federal Trade Commission, who summarized a staff report on conglomerate mergers prepared by the Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill, having as its witnesses Dr. Zigmond M. Lebensohn, of Georgetown University School of Medicine, representing American Psychiatric Association; Dr. Mildred Mitchell Bateman and Dr. John Donnelly, both of the American Medical Association; and Morton Birnbaum, Bar Association of New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued hearings to receive testimony on the administration of the Selective Service System, and proposals for its reform. Witnesses heard were Gary L. Wamsley, professor of political science, Vanderbilt University; James W. Davis, professor of political science, Washington University; and Marion S. Barry, of PRIDE, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER TRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings on S. 2838, to establish a comprehensive manpower development program, having as its witness Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, pro-

posed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by C. C. Johnson, Jr., Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, and Dr. Marcus Key, Director, Bureau of Occupational Safety and Health, all of the Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 14643–14668; three private bills, H.R. 14669–14671; and 36 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 435 and H. Res. 610–644, were introduced. Pages 32927–32928

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 610, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14465, to provide for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airport and airway system, for the imposition of airport and airway user charges (H. Rept. 91–605);

H. Res. 611, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2777, to enable potato growers to finance a nationally coordinated research and promotion program to improve their competitive position and expand their markets for potatoes by increasing consumer acceptance of such potatoes and potato products and by improving the quality of potato and potato products (H. Rept. 91–606); and

Conference report on S. 2546, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Pages 32919–32927

Late Report: Conferees on behalf of the House received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on S. 2546, military procurement authorization for fiscal year 1970. Page 32870

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 2817 and H.R. 7567.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 1865, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 1453, 9488, S. 564, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 3571, 10658, S. 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 11500, 12089, 1782, S. 92, 2019, H.R. 3590, and H. Res. 533.

Objected to and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H.R. 3723. Pages 32887–32889

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 32890

Bank Holding Company Act: Concluded all general debate on H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, and began reading the bill for amendment when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 587, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 32890–32911

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12025 amended, National Forest Timber Conservation and Management Act of 1969.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Chaplain Stine, Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Hearings continue Thursday, November 6.

BAIL REFORM ACT AMENDMENT—OTHER D.C. CRIME LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 began hearings on H.R. 14334, Bail Reform Act Amendment; H.R. 14335, investigative detentions and searches; H.R. 4134 and related bills, crimes of violence, added penalties; and H.R. 256, attorney's fee for police when sued. Testimony was heard from representatives from the Department of Justice and the Bail Reform Agency.

Hearings continue Monday, November 10.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

INDIAN LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 9311, to declare that certain lands shall be held by the United States in trust for the Makah Indian Tribe, Washington; H.R. 4187, to authorize the purchase, sale, exchange, mortgage, and long-term leasing of land by the Tulalip Tribes of Washington; and H.R. 13732, to provide for loans to Indian tribes and Indian corporations. Testimony was heard from Hon. Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management, and public witnesses.

On Monday, November 3, the Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action H.R. 12785 amended, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213.37 acres of land.

OIL AND GAS INTERSTATE COMPACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 506, consenting to an extension and renewal of the interstate compact to conserve oil and gas. Testimony was heard from Mitchell Melich, Solicitor, Department of Interior; and Richard Byrd, General Counsel, Interstate Oil Compact Commission.

OFFENSES ON BOARD AIRCRAFT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 14301, to implement the Convention on Offenses and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board Aircraft. Testimony was heard from Nathaniel Goodrich, General Counsel, Federal Aviation Agency; and James Landry, vice president, International Services, Air Transport Association.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 4248, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize civilians employed by the Department of Defense to administer oaths while conducting official investigations;

H.R. 9677, to amend section 1866 of title 28, United States Code, prescribing the manner in which summonses for jury duty may be served;

H.R. 14485, to amend sections 501 and 504 of title 18, United States Code, so as to strengthen the law relating to the counterfeiting of postage meter stamps or other improper uses of the metered mail system;

H.R. 4302 amended, authorizes payment by the United States of fees charged by court reporters for furnishing transcripts to indigents in proceedings under the Criminal Justice Act; and

S. 980 amended, to provide courts of the United States with jurisdiction over contract claims against non-appropriated fund activities of the United States.

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order against sections 8, 9, and 18 of H.R. 2777, Potato Research and Promotion Act. After passage, it shall be in order to take S. 1181 from the Speaker's table and amend it with the House-passed language. Testimony was heard from Representative Foley.

AVIATION FACILITIES EXPANSION AND IMPROVEMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on title I; closed rule with 2 hours of debate on title II of H.R. 14465, aviation facilities expansion and improvement. Testimony was heard from Chairman Staggers, Chairman Mills, and Representatives Springer and Byrnes.

WATER CARRIER MIXING RULE

Committee on Rules: Continued hearings on H.R. 8298, water carrier mixing rule, but postponed action indefinitely. Testimony was heard from Representatives Brooks, Pickle, Eckhardt, Rogers of Florida, Edmondson, Nelsen, Cunningham, Bush, and Schwengel.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Hall and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed hearings on environmental effects of all types of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony from Carl L. Klein, Assistant Secretary for Water Quality and Research, John R. Quarles, Assistant to the Under Secretary for Environmental Planning, and Harry Perry, Research Adviser to the Assistant Secretary, all of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Department of the Interior officials and from representatives of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Among the agreements reached by the conferees, the bill would retain the Senate-passed figure authorizing $3,715,527,000.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. As approved by the conferees, the bill would authorize a total of $20.7 billion.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33008–33041

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3114–3121; S. Res. 278; and S. Con. Res. 46. Pages 33009–33010, 33016

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 278, increasing to $25 per day fees for persons summoned to appear before the Senate or Senate committees (S. Rept. 91–515);

S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, with amendment, and with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 91–516);

S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–517);

H.R. 2, to establish a National Credit Union Administration in the executive branch of the Government, with amendment, and with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 91–518);

Special report of Committee on the Judiciary embodying annual report of its Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights (S. Rept. 91–519); and

S. 1442, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to enter into agreements with the States for programs to control advertising along interstate highways, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–520). Pages 33009, 33016

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 33041

American POW's in Vietnam: Senate took from calendar and passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 910, declaring November 9 a national day of prayer for American prisoners held by the North Vietnamese. Page 33008

Appalachian Regional Development: Senate agreed to conference report on S. 1072, authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development, thus clearing measure for House action. Pages 33024–33031

Great Plains Conservation: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 10595, to extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program, thus clearing measure for House action. Page 33054

Tahoe National Planning Compact: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendment and sent to the House S. 118, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact so as to encourage conservation in the Lake Tahoe area, California and Nevada. Pages 33064–33069

National Science Foundation: Senate agreed to conference report on S. 1857, authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 33110–33112

Appropriations—State, Justice, Commerce: By unanimous vote of 72 yeas to 0 nays, Senate passed H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, after adopting additional amendments thereto as follows:

By 63 yeas to 14 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Byrd of Virginia amendment No. 264 stating sense of Senate that any agreement entered into by the President to change the status of any territory referred to in article 3 of the Treaty of Peace with Japan shall not take effect without the advice and consent of the Senate (prior to which vote Senate, by vote of 24 yeas to 54 nays, rejected Scott motion to table this amendment); by 50 yeas to 26 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Mathias amendment increasing by $500,000 funds available for grants to State equal employment practices commissions, and increasing from $11.5 to $15.9 million funds for fiscal 1970 budget for the EEOC; and by 51 yeas to 22 nays Scott amendment restoring (from $12 million to $20 million) full amount of revised budget request for enforcement of school desegregation activities of the Office of Education under title IV of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McClellan, Ellender, Pastore, Fulbright, Smith of Maine, Hruska, and Case. Pages 33041–33064

Military Procurement Authorizations: Senate laid down and made its pending business conference report on S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement. Page 33069

Printing: Senator Percy obtained unanimous consent that order entered into on October 29, 1969, for printing of eulogies to Senator Dirksen as a Senate document, be rescinded. Page 33109

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Paul J. O'Neill, of Florida, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; and nine judicial nominations, two to be U.S. attorneys and seven to be U.S. marshals. Page 33113

Nominations: Senate received numerous Air Force nominations. Pages 33112–33113

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS AND APPLES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without

amendment H.R. 14030, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 so as to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments; and with amendment S. 1456, to permit marketing orders under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act applicable to apples so as to provide for paid advertising.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Full committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this bill.

CIGARETTE ADVERTISING

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 6543, proposed Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act.

Committee also considered, but took no action on, S. 3108, proposed Airport and Airways Development Act of 1969.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Ernest V. Siracusa, of California, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; William B. Dale, of Maryland, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund; Dr. S. Paul Ehrlich, Jr., of Virginia, to be U.S. representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; David R. Derge, of Indiana, Jewel LaFontant, of Illinois, and William C. Turner, of Arizona, each to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs; and routine foreign service list of October 8, 1969.

Committee also approved agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood control payments (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.), and consular convention with Belgium (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.).

Also, committee approved S. Res. 179, expressing sense of the Senate that the United States should actively support and participate in the 1972 United Nations Conference on Human Environment (amended); and S.J. Res. 131, to welcome to the United States all Olympic athletes and authorized Olympic delegations (with amendments).

Also, committee discussed the situation in Vietnam and agreed to invite Secretaries Rogers and Laird to testify in this connection before the committee in executive session, the date of which meeting is as yet undetermined.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on the conglomerate merger problem, receiving testimony from Prof. Samuel Richardson Reid, Whittermore School of Business and Economics, University of New Hampshire; Dr. Eamon Kelley, Ford Foundation; and Prof. Thomas F. Hogarty, Economics Department, Northern Illinois University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued hearings to receive testimony on the administration of the Selective Service System and proposals for its reform. Witnesses heard were Kingman Brewster, president, Yale University; and Judge Henry J. Gwiazda, former Chairman, and Dr. Kenneth W. Clement, former member, both of the National Selective Service Appeals Board.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings to receive testimony in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill, having as its witnesses Sanford F. Brandt, president, Tennessee Association of Mental Health; Dr. David Vail, medical director, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare; and Dr. Eugene Hargrove, commissioner of mental health, State of North Carolina.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MANPOWER TRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 2838, to establish a comprehensive manpower development program. Witnesses were Jack Conway, president, Center for Community Change; and the following panels representing the National Association for Community Development:

Panel on Manpower Act—Phillip J. Rutledge, Assistant to Commissioner of the District of Columbia for Human Resource Programs; Bob Aleshire, executive director, NACD; and Wallace Fletcher, Western Metropolitan Boston Regional Opportunity Council, Inc., Waltham, Mass.;

Panel on Concentrated Employment Program—Robert Coard, Action for Boston Community Development; Wallace White, CEP director, Gary, Ind., representing National Organization of CEP Directors; and Steven Berman, Community Renewal Team, Inc. of Greater Hartford, Conn.

Panel on Neighborhood Youth Corps—Edward Lowe, director, Neighborhood Youth Corps, Chicago; and Robert Logan, director, Neighborhood Youth Corps, Monmouth County, N.J.; and

Rural Manpower Programs—Clifford Ingram, Development Corp., Monterey, Tenn., and chairman, NACD Rural Affairs Committee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony relating to rate-making provisions of such proposal from Frank Carlson, Commissioner of Mail Practices, accompanied by John Jay Daly, vice president, and Louis A. Kislik, legislative committee chairman, all of the Direct Mail Advertising Association, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EXTENSION OF COMMITTEE AUTHORITY

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee, in executive session, voted to request the Senate to provide an extension of the life of the committee through December 31, 1970, such request to be embodied in an original resolution to be introduced by the chairman.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 14672–14702; two private bills, H.R. 14703 and 14704; and 18 resolutions, H.J. Res. 979, H. Con. Res. 436–440, and H. Res. 645–656, were introduced. Pages 33201–33202

Military Construction: By unanimous consent it was agreed to make it in order to consider the military construction appropriations bill for fiscal year 1970 at any time after Wednesday of next week. Page 33113

Military Procurement: Agreed by voice vote to the conference report on S. 2546, authorizing appropriations during the fiscal year 1970 for procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles, and research, development, test, and evaluation for the Armed Forces, and to authorize the construction of test facilities at Kwajalein Missile Range, and to prescribe the authorized personnel strength of the Selected Reserve of each Reserve component of the Armed Forces, and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 33116–33119

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following:

Food stamps: H.J. Res. 934, to increase the appropriation authorization for the food stamp program for fiscal year 1970 to $610 million; and

Office equipment: H.R. 13949, to provide certain equipment for use in the offices of Members, officers, and committees of the House. Pages 33119–33124

Bank Holding Company Act: By a record vote of 351 yeas to 24 nays, with 12 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 6778, to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956.

On a request for a separate vote, the Bevill amendment, as amended by the Wylie amendment, was agreed to by a division vote of 70 yeas to 49 nays (agreed to earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 79 yeas to 25 nays). The Bevill amendment changed the date of the grandfather clause in the bill from February 17, 1969, to January 1, 1965, the date which companies conducting non-bank-related activities would be required to divest themselves of nonqualifying subsidiaries, also provided by that grandfather rights would be lost if the holding company makes or is the subject of any acquisition or merger.

Agreed to the Wylie amendment to the Bevill amendment, which provided that the date of the grandfather clause be effective back to May 9, 1956 (agreed to by a division vote of 63 yeas to 34 nays).

By a record vote of 124 yeas to 245 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment that prohibits bank holding companies from engaging in the business of underwriting, insurance, travel agencies, accounting and equipment leasing (agreed to by a division vote of 50 yeas to 25 nays);

An amendment that deletes from the 1956 act the provision permitting bank holding companies to engage in the insurance business, and to offer legislative guidance in the determination of those activities which bank holding companies may engage in (agreed to by a division vote of 31 yeas to 28 nays);

An amendment which provides that a company is a bank holding company if it exercises actual control of the bank (deletes the criteria that it must own or control 25 percent of the shares of the bank to be so considered); and permits the Federal Reserve Board to grant exemptions with respect to banks principally engaged in foreign operations;

An amendment that changes the definition of a bank holding company to include partnerships (agreed to by a division vote of 34 yeas to 25 nays).

A point of order that the previous amendment was out of order and not germane was overruled, and a substitute amendment defining a partnership as one in which a general partner owns more than 25 percent of the assets was rejected by voice vote;

An amendment providing that if any company having the benefit of the grandfather clause exemption for nonconforming nonbank subsidiaries grows to the point where it has more than $30 million in banking assets and $10 million in nonbank assets, it loses its grandfather rights was adopted by voice vote (the amendment was previously offered as a substitute for the Bevill amendment but rejected by voice vote);

An amendment which strikes the provision of the act which exempts from its provisions holding companies which are labor, agricultural, or horticultural organizations, was agreed to by voice vote. Pages 33124–33154

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on pending business.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

CUBAN MIG INCIDENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee To Investigate Protection of Southeastern United States held a hearing on the Cuban MIG incident at Homestead Air Force Base, Fla. Testimony was received from Representative Rogers of Florida and Col. Austin Weil, Chief, Aerospace Defense Division, Directorate of Operations, Headquarters, U.S. Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Resumed markup of H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, to provide for Federal standards for occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PATENT COOPERATION TREATY— FOREIGN SERVICE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action S.J. Res. 90, to enable the United States to organize and hold a diplomatic conference in the United States in fiscal year 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty and authorize an appropriation therefor; and a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 13876, to amend title VIII of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended.

MINING AND MINERALS POLICY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining began hearings on S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy. Testimony was heard from Representative Johnson of California and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON INDIAN OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 755, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity. Testimony was heard from Representative Fraser; Dwight Ink, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; Robert Robertson, Acting Executive Director, National Council on Indian Opportunity; and John Belindo, representing National Congress of American Indians.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics began hearings on all bills pertaining to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from Representatives Van Deerlin, Adams, Hechler of West Virginia, Pelly, White, Schwengel, McClure, Melcher, and Robison. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Adair, Annunzio, Buchanan, Cordova, Gonzalez, Derwinski, Olsen, Waldie, Belcher, Pettis, and Pepper.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance began hearings on H.R. 10850, to amend the International Travel Act of 1961 to increase the limitation on annual appropriations. Testimony was heard from Hon. Rocco C. Siciliano, Under Secretary of Commerce.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(H) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from Edward L. Dubroff and Leon Rosen, Association of Immigration and Nationality Lawyers.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Collins, Miller of Ohio, and Cunningham. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Bevill, Brotzman, Davis of Georgia, Fish, Hagen, Shriver, Vigorito, Zwach, Pettis, and Sullivan.

DISTRICT COURTS JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on S. 952 and related bills, authorizes the appointment of additional district court judges in the various specified States. Testimony was heard from Louis J. Goffman, Esq., chancellor, Philadelphia Bar Association; Claude W. Youker, Jr., representing U.S. Court Reporters' Association; Richard C. Peck, president, Federal Court Clerks' Association; Salvatore A. Battaglia, chairman, Freelance Reporters Committee, Certified Shorthand Reporters Association of New Jersey; and Charles G. Wall, president-elect, National Shorthand Reporters' Association. Statements for the

record were submitted by Senator Tydings and Representatives Carter and Ullman.

MERCHANT SHIP SALES ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 14257, to amend section 11(a) of the Merchant Ship Sales Act of 1946 to require the use by the United States of privately owned U.S.-flag vessels, when available, to carry cargo. Testimony was heard from Hon. Andrew Gibson, Maritime Administrator.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TOP GRADES INCREASES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service held a hearing on H.R. 12476, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for additional positions in grades GS–16, GS–17, and GS–18. Testimony was heard from Hon. Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission.

ALASKA HIGHWAY—DARIEN GAP HIGHWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 13094 and H.R. 13128, relating to the construction, reconstruction, improvement, and connection of the Alaska Highway; and H.R. 12014, to authorize the United States to cooperate in the construction of the Darien Gap Highway to connect the Inter-American Highway with the Pan American Highway System of South America. Testimony was heard from Frank Turner, Federal Highway Administrator; and Jos. W. Scott, Country Director Canada, Department of State. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Olsen, Melcher, and Pollock.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization met in executive session to consider pending legislative reorganization bills.

PROBLEMS OF TOOL AND DIE INDUSTRY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Special Small Business Problems concluded hearings on the problems presently facing the tool and die industry. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. A. T. Stanwix-Hay, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Materiel), and Richard A. Carr, Director, Production Services, Department of Defense; and Albert F. Sanderson, Deputy Chief, Materials Policy Division, National Resource Analysis Center.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kee, Matsunaga, and Bingham and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on environmental effects of all types of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony from Harry Perry, Research Adviser to Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources, Raymond Johnson, Assistant Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, and Donald Mount, Director, National Water Quality Laboratory, all of the Department of the Interior; and C. C. Johnson, Administrator, Consumer Protection and Environmental Health Service, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from several witnesses, including HEW Secretary Robert H. Finch, speaking on behalf of the Federal Radiation Council.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33348–33376

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3122–3126; and S. Res. 279.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–521);

S. Res. 179, expressing sense of the Senate that the United States should actively support and participate in the 1972 United Nations Conference on Human Environment, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–522);

S.J. Res. 131, to welcome to the United States all Olympic athletes and authorized Olympic delegations, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–523);

S. 1456, to permit marketing orders under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act applicable to apples so as to provide for paid advertising, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–524);

H.R. 14030, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 so as to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments (S. Rept. 91–525); and

H.R. 11363, to prohibit the importation of endangered species of fish and wildlife into the United States, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–526). Page 33351

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 33389

Calendar Call: On call of calendar nine private bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: S. 1786, 2426, 2363, 2354, 2353, and 329.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: S. 2481, 2339, and 614. Pages 33349–33351

Military Procurement Authorizations: By a vote of 58 yeas to 9 nays, Senate adopted conference report on S. 2546, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 33377, 33379–33396

Fair Credit Reporting: Senate took from the calendar and passed with committee amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) and sent to the House S. 823, to enable consumers to protect themselves against arbitrary, erroneous, and malicious credit information. Pages 33404–33407, 33408–33412

Advertising on Federal Highways: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendment and sent to the House S. 1442, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to enter into agreements with the States for programs to control advertising along interstate highways. Pages 33406–33407

Food Stamps: Senate took from the desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for the President, H.J. Res. 934, increasing authorizations for the food stamp program for fiscal year 1970 to $610 million. Pages 33396–33401

House Recess: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 441, providing for adjournment of the House of Representatives from Thursday, November 6, until Wednesday, November 12. Pages 33416–33417

Treaties Reported: The following two treaties were reported:

Consular convention with Belgium (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–10); and

Agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood control payments (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.) (Ex. Rept. 91–11). Page 33351

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Ernest V. Siracusa, of California, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; William B. Dale, of Maryland, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund; Dr. S. Paul Ehrlich, Jr., of Virginia, to be U.S. Representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; David R. Derge, of Indiana, Jewel LaFontant, of Illinois, and William C. Turner, of Arizona, each to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs; and one judicial nomination to be U.S. attorney. Page 33417

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Sam Harry Wright, of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. representative on the Trusteeship Council of the United Nations; and two judicial nominations to be U.S. Marshal. Page 33417

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL TELEPHONE FINANCING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held and concluded hearings on S. 1684 and S. 2202, to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program. Testimony was heard from Senators McGovern and Dole; David A. Hamil, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, Department of Agriculture; David C. Fullarton, National Telephone Cooperative Association; William C. Mott, U.S. Independent Telephone Association; A. Harold Peterson, National REA Telephone Association; Kit R. Haynes, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Shearon Harris, Edison Electric Institute, Raleigh, N.C.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $14,981,949,000, an increase of $72,860,000 over the House-passed figure of $14,909,089,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Leonard D. Fenninger, Director, Bureau of Health Professions Education and Manpower Training; Dr. Viron L. Diefenbach, Director, Division of Dental Health; and Dr. Harry W. Bruce, Jr., Director, Division of Educational and Research Facilities, all of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the National Library of Medicine.

PRETRIAL DETENTION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began hearings on S. 3034, providing 30-day pretrial detention and expedited trials for serious criminal cases. Testimony was received from Sir George Coldstream, former secretary to the Lord Chancellor of Great Britain;

Frank Milton, Chief Magistrate, Bow Street Court, London; and Jerry Wilson, Chief of the Metropolitan Police Department. A taped statement for inclusion in the Record was submitted for Lord Denning, Master of the Rolls, London.

Hearings will continue tomorrow with scheduled testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia, and others.

ALASKA EARTHQUAKE URBAN RENEWAL AND WILDERNESS AREAS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on the following measures:

S. 778 and S. 900, extending Alaska earthquake urban renewal deadline, with testimony from John Eiland, Renewal Assistance Administration Program Manager, Housing and Urban Development, Alaska; and

S. 3014, designating 14 wildlife refuge areas as wilderness, with testimony from Dr. Leslie L. Glasgow, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife, Parks and Marine Resources; Stewart Brandborg and Boyd Norton, both of Wilderness Society; Lloyd Tupling, Sierra Club; Larry Williams, Federation of Western Outdoor Clubs, Portland; A. T. Wright, Chairman, National Wilderness Commission; and Valdomar J. Swanson, of Oregon.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 10 days for the inclusion of additional written material.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on the conglomerate merger problem, receiving testimony from Prof. Leon Garoian, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Oregon; Prof. Richard Arnould, Department of Economics, University of Illinois; and Prof. Donald F. Eslick, Department of Finance, Loyola University, Chicago.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee met in executive session to consider H.R. 13300, providing for extension of supplemental annuities and mandatory retirement of employees under the railroad retirement laws, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, November 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 14705–14737; two private bills, H.R. 14738 and 14739; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 980, H. Con. Res. 441–443, and H. Res. 657–672, were introduced. Pages 33260, 33346–33348

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14646, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York Railroad Passenger Transportation Compact (H. Rept. 91–608);

Conference report on H.R. 11271, NASA authorization (H. Rept. 91–609);

Report entitled "Report on Special Study Mission to Southern Africa" (H. Rept. 91–610); and

H.R. 14580, Foreign Assistance Act of 1969 (H. Rept. 91–611). Page 33346

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 33256

Committees To Sit: The Committee on Education and Labor, and the Select Subcommittee on Labor, received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 33257

Late Report: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file a report by midnight Monday, November 10, on H.R. 14705, to extend and improve the Federal-State unemployment compensation program. Pages 33258–33259

Adjournment Resolution: Approved by voice vote H. Con. Res. 441 to adjourn at the close of business today to 12 noon Wednesday, November 12. Pages 33255, 33260

NASA Authorization: By unanimous consent, it was agreed to make it in order to file and consider today, the conference report on H.R. 11271, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management. Page 33260

Aviation Facilities Expansion Act: By a record vote of 337 yeas to 6 nays, the House passed H.R. 14465, to provide for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airport and airway system, and for the imposition of airport and airway user charges.

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce was rejected by voice vote.

Agreed to the following amendments:

The Frelinghuysen amendment, which removes the provision requiring the Secretary of Transportation to select an airport site if local authorities of a metropolitan area are not able to do so within 3 years after notification by the Secretary that another airport is necessary (agreed to by teller vote of 90 yeas to 54 nays); and

Six amendments adding the Territory of Guam to those areas eligible to receive Federal assistance under provisions of this bill.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment providing for the construction and operation by the Department of Transportation of an airport in the vicinity of New York City;

A substitute for the Frelinghuysen amendment which would have extended the authority of the Secretary of Transportation to select an airport site when local authorities are unable to do so to all areas of the country, not limited to metropolitan areas; and

An amendment directing the Administrator of the FAA, after consultation with the Secretary of Transportation, the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and the National Air Pollution Control Administration, to prescribe standards for pollution of the air by aircraft and to prescribe rules and regulations necessary for the control of air pollution by aircraft (rejected by a division vote of 35 yeas to 56 nays).

H. Res. 610, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by voice vote.

Pages 33260–33313

NASA Authorization: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11271, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and research and program management; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 33313–33317

Great Plains Conservation Program: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 10595, to amend the act of August 7, 1956 (70 Stat. 1115), as amended, providing for a Great Plains conservation program; clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 33317–33318

Late Report: Committee on Foreign Affairs received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on H.R. 14580, Foreign Assistance Act of 1969. Page 33318

Receive and Sign: Authority was granted for the Speaker and Clerk of the House to receive messages and sign enrolled bills, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House from Thursday, November 6 until Wednesday, November 12. Page 33318

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 12. Page 33318

Recess: House went into recess at 6:50 p.m., and reconvened at 7:06 p.m. Page 33345

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 33346

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on pending business.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee to Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session and heard testimony from Dr. Larry McNamee, former medical officer at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

THREATS FROM PLANES AND MISSILES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States met in executive session and heard testimony from Col. Henson R. DeBruler, Chief, Aerospace Intelligence Division, Directorate of Estimates, Headquarters USAF; and RADM F. J. Harlfinger, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Intelligence).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Committee met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12321 amended, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964.

Following this, the committee sat as an ad hoc subcommittee and heard a discussion by Gov. Louie B. Nunn on OEO programs in Kentucky.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, to provide for Federal standards for occupational safety and health. Testimony was heard from Walter J. Burke, secretary-treasurer, United Steelworkers of America, AFL–CIO, Pittsburgh; W. T. Askew, vice president of refining, American Petroleum Institute; D. C. O'Hara, executive vice president, National Petroleum Refiners Association; and Merlin Hanson, chairman, Industrial Relations Committee, National Tool, Die & Precision Machining Association, D.C.

PEACE WITH JUSTICE IN VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 613, a resolution toward peace with justice in Vietnam.

MINING AND MINERALS POLICY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining continued hearings on S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action a

clean bill in lieu of H.R. 13432, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for migrant agricultural workers, to provide assistance for health services for other seasonal agricultural workers.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills pertaining to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from Reginald N. Whitman, Federal Railroad Administrator.

Hearings continue Wednesday, November 12.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 10850, to amend the International Travel Act of 1961 to increase the limitation on annual appropriations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4574, to provide for the admission to the United States of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands;

H.R. 14118, amended, to amend section 213 of the Immigration and Nationality Act;

H.R. 2751, to amend section 715 of title 32, United States Code, to authorize the application of local law in determining the effect of contributory negligence on claims involving members of the National Guard;

H.R. 10124 amended, to amend section 2401 of title 28, United States Code, to extend the time for filing tort actions by persons under the age of 21, or insane or mentally ill, or imprisoned on a criminal charge;

H.R. 14646 granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York railroad passenger transportation compact;

H.R. 9677, to amend section 1866 of title 28, United States Code, prescribing the manner in which summonses for jury duty may be served;

H.R. 4248, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize civilians employed by the Department of Defense to administer oaths while conducting official investigations;

H.R. 14485, to amend sections 501 and 504 of title 18, United States Code, so as to strengthen the law relating to the counterfeiting of postage meter stamps or other improper uses of the metered mail system; and

H.R. 4302 amended, authorizes payment by the United States of fees charged by court reporters for furnishing transcripts to indigents in proceedings under the Criminal Justice Act.

The Committee also acted on several private claims bills.

PRESIDENT'S MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on the President's recommendations for a new shipbuilding program. Testimony was heard from Hon. Andrew Gibson, Maritime Administrator.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of title III, relating to transportation of mail of the postal reform bill, H.R. 4.

Committee to continue Thursday, November 13.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on radio, television, and newspapers. Testimony was heard from Vincent T. Wasilewski, president, National Association of Broadcasters; Dick Schmidt, general counsel, American Society of Newspaper Editors; Sam Archibald, Freedom Information Center, University of Missouri, School of Journalism and National Newspaper Association; John Lynch, ABC, network news director; Bill Roberts, Time-Life Broadcasting, Radio, Television, and News Directors Association; and Roger Mudd, CBS, chairman, executive committee of Radio and T.V. Correspondents' Galleries.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 14705, to amend the unemployment compensation laws.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on environmental effects of all types

of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, with testimony from HEW Secretary Robert H. Finch, and Paul C. Tompkins, both on behalf of the Federal Radiation Council; and R. T. Moore, Associate Commissioner, Environmental Control Administration, and J. T. Middleton, Commissioner, National Air Pollution Control Administration, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXPORT CONTROL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4293, providing for continuation of authority to regulate exports.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33506–33544

Bills Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3127; and S. Res. 280.

Pages 33506–33508, 33512

President's Communication—Air Traffic Controllers: Senate received communication from the President requesting approval by the Congress of 1,000 additional air traffic controller positions in the current fiscal year—referred to Committee on Commerce.

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NASA Authorizations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 11271, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, thus clearing the measure for the White House.

Pages 33509–33510

Appropriations—Independent Offices, HUD: Senate laid down and made its pending business H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the question being on agreeing to the committee amendments. Pages 33534, 33544

Senate Authorizations: Unanimous consent was obtained that at conclusion of business today, until noon on Monday, November 10, all committees be authorized to file reports, including minority, individual, and additional or supplemental views; that the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to receive messages from the President and the House of Representatives; and that the President pro tempore or Acting President pro tempore be authorized to sign duly enrolled bills.

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Veterans Day: By unanimous consent it was agreed that when the Senate concludes its business on Monday, November 10, it adjourn until 11 a.m. Tuesday, November 11, Veterans Day. Page 33554

Treaties Considered: Resolutions of ratification respecting the following two treaties were considered, following which the treaties were considered to have passed through their various parliamentary stages up to the point of adoption of the resolutions of ratification:

(1) Consular convention with Belgium (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.); and

(2) Agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood-control payments (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.).

By unanimous consent it was agreed that vote will be taken Monday, November 10, at 2 p.m. on resolution of ratification of the consular convention with Belgium, to be followed immediately by vote on the agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood-control payments. Record vote will be taken on each of these resolutions.

Pages 33538–33543

Nominations: Senate received numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations. Pages 33554–33556

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Dr. Martin M. Cummings, Director, National Library of Medicine, Richard L. Seggel, Associate Director for Administration, on funds for buildings and facilities, Dr. John F. Sherman, Deputy Director, on funds for salaries and expenses of the Office of the Director, Dr. Leo J. Gehrig, Director, Office of International Health, and Dr. Thomas G. Bowery, Division of Research Facilities and Resources, all of the National Institutes of Health, HEW.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 11.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 12605 and S. 2498, to eliminate certain restrictions on the cruise operations of U.S. passenger ships. Testimony was given by Robert J. Blackwell, Deputy Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; Jorge Luis Córdova, Resident Commissioner, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; and Warren Titus, president, American President Lines Passenger

Services, on behalf of the Liner Council of the American Institute of Merchant Shipping.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PRETRIAL DETENTION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on S. 3034, providing 30-day pretrial detention and expedited trials for serious criminal cases. Testimony was received from Robert C. Kneipp, Chief Assistant Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia; Prof. William W. Greenhalgh, Georgetown University; David B. Isbell, National Capital Area Civil Liberties Union; Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee; Mrs. Barbara Bowman, Legal Aid Agency; and Mrs. Patricia M. Wald, Neighborhood Legal Services.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session for the purpose of studying the contingency plan with Thailand.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures resumed executive consideration of S. 30, Organized Crime Control Act of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on pending business.

CONTINENTAL AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States continued executive hearings with testimony on the responsibility and operations of the Continental Air Defense by Lt. Col. David B. Ballou, Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Western Hemisphere Division of J–3 Operations.

Hearings continue Wednesday, November 12.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION—LABOR-MANAGEMENT BOARDS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 860 amended, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act, 1947, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances; and H.R. 4842, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act, 1947, to permit employer contributions for a joint committee or joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective-bargaining agreements.

UNITED STATES-RHODESIAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa continued further examination of United States-Rhodesian relations. Testimony was heard from George Houser, executive director, American Committee on Africa, New York City; Philip Chartrand, research consultant, Cambridge, Mass.; Dr. Charles Burton Marshall, the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies; and Dr. Walter D. Jacobs, professor, Department of Government and Politics, University of Maryland.

MINING AND MINERALS POLICY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining continued hearings on S. 719, to establish a national mining and minerals policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COAST GUARD FACILITY CLOSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on the closing of the Coast Guard facility at Racine, Wis. Testimony was heard from Senator Proxmire and Representative Schadeberg and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Moorhead and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, November 10.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF PRODUCING ELECTRIC POWER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee concluded phase I of its hearings on environmental effects of all types of electric generating facilities, including both nuclear and fossil-fired stations, after receiving testimony from Carl E. Bagge, Vice Chairman, Federal Power Commission; and Everett C. Weitzell, Deputy Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, Department of Agriculture.

Committee announced that phase II, which will include testimony from private industry, representatives of State governments, and the public at large, will be scheduled sometime next January.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33563–33606

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3128–3133; and S. Con. Res. 47.

Pages 33583, 33585

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–527); and

H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for fiscal year 1970, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–528).

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Calendar Call: On call of calendar five measures were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Peanuts: H.R. 14030, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 so as to extend the authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Endangered species: H.R. 11363, to prohibit the importation of endangered species of fish and wildlife into the United States.

With amendment and cleared for House:

U.N. Conference on Human Environment: S. Res. 179, expressing sense of the Senate that the United States should actively support and participate in the 1972 United Nations Conference on Human Environment;

Olympic athletes: S.J. Res. 131, to welcome to the United States all Olympic athletes and authorized Olympic delegations; and

Apples: S. 1456, to permit marketing orders under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act applicable to apples to provide for paid advertising.

Pages 33564–33565

Appropriations—Independent Offices, HUD: Senate began consideration of H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, taking action on amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and

Three amendments by Senator Pastore of a technical or clarifying nature, two of which deal with purchase and maintenance of research support aircraft by the National Science Foundation; and

Rejected:

By 22 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment which would have reduced by $100 million funds for National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1970; and

By 34 yeas to 36 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hart amendment No. 270 which would have provided an additional $587.5 million for the urban renewal program.

Pending at adjournment were Young of Ohio amendments No. 272 (to be considered en bloc) reducing by $3 million funds for carrying out certain civil defense activities, and reducing by $5.3 million funds for constructing and equipping Federal regional civil defense operating centers, on which amendments the yeas and nays have been ordered.

Unanimous consent was obtained that when Senate concludes its morning business on Tuesday, November 11, debate on pending Young amendments be limited to 1 hour; debate on Byrd of West Virginia amendment be limited to 10 minutes; and debate on Pearson amendment be limited to 40 minutes; in each instance debate to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and the manager of the bill, Senator Pastore.

It was further agreed that no votes will be taken prior to 2 p.m. Pages 33585, 33606–33612, 33621–33647, 33649–33650

Treaties Ratified: By unanimous vote of 71 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification respecting consular convention with Belgium (Ex. F, 91st Cong., first sess.).

By 67 yeas to 3 nays, Senate adopted resolution of ratification respecting agreement with Canada on adjustments in flood-control payments (Ex. H, 91st Cong., first sess.). Pages 33620–33621

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for fiscal year 1970. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $4,993,428,500, an increase of $487,982,000 over the House-passed figure of $4,505,446,500.

Prior to this action, subcommittee approved this bill for full committee consideration.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, AND DRAFT REFORM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, adopted subcommittee report on and ordered favorably reported H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize a total of $1,642,051,000.

Committee also approved 355 nominations in the Army, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Also, committee unanimously voted to adopted a committee resolution declaring it to be the sense of the committee that: (1) the committee support the approval of H.R. 14001, amending the Selective Service Act of 1967, without amendments; (2) the committee individually and collectively will oppose the consideration and passage of any amendments to H.R. 14001 under the circumstances; and (3) the chairman announce to the leadership and to the public that under these conditions the Armed Services Committee will begin comprehensive and extensive hearings on selective service legislation not later than February 15, 1970.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad held executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL RETARDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health began hearings on S. 2846, authorizing funds for increased facilities for mental retardation programs, and related bills, with testimony from Creed C. Black, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, accompanied by Dr. Edward Newman, Commissioner, Rehabilitation Services Administration, and Dr. Robert I. Jaslow, Chief, Division of Mental Retardation, all of the Department of HEW; Dr. William M. Gibson, director, university affiliated mental retardation training program, Ohio State University, accompanied by Dr. Hugo Moser, Walter E. Fernald State School, Waverly, Mass., Dr. Julius Cohen, Institute for the Study of Mental Retardation, University of Michigan, and Dr. Winston Cochean, Texas Children's Hospital, Houston; Sherwood A. Messner, director, Professional Services Program Department, accompanied by Ernest Weinrich, assistant director, and Dr. Elsie D. Helsel, all of the United Cerebral Palsy Associations, Inc.; and Rev. Damien O'Shea, director, St. John of God Community Services, Westville Grove, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony from J. Edward Day, attorney at law, and former Postmaster General of the United States, who spoke on the ratemaking aspects of H.R. 11750, proposed Postal Service Act; and John D. Swygert, Swygert Associates.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

BAIL REFORM ACT—OTHER ANTICRIME LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on the Bail Reform Act and other anticrime legislation. Testimony was heard from Assistant Corporation Counsel Robert F. Kneipp and Chief of Police Jerry V. Wilson.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LYNDON B. JOHNSON NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 13880, to provide for the establishment of a Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Wednesday, November 12.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33652–33691

Bills Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 3134. Page 33666

Witness Fees: Senate took from the calendar and passed without amendment S. Res. 278, increasing to $25 per day fees for persons summoned to appear before the Senate or Senate committees. Page 33653

Appointments by Vice President: Acting President pro tempore announced that the Vice President had appointed Senator Tower to the National Commission on Consumer Finance, in lieu of Senator Brooke, resigned;

and Senator Packwood to the Senate Office Building Commission, in lieu of the late Senator Dirksen.

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Appropriations—Independent Offices, HUD: By vote of 68 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, after taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: (1) Modified Pearson amendment, increasing by $1 million funds for the Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, HUD; and (2) Mansfield (for Byrd of West Virginia) amendment No. 274, increasing by $2.5 million funds for supplemental grants under the Appalachian regional development program; and

Rejected: By 19 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Young of Ohio amendments No. 272, reducing by $3 million funds for carrying out certain civil defense activities, and reducing by $5.3 million funds for constructing and equipping Federal regional civil defense operating centers.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pastore, Magnuson, Ellender, Russell, Holland, Anderson, Allott, Smith of Maine, Hruska, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 33652, 33691, 33696–33705

Military Construction Authorizations: By 69 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, as amended by committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill. Prior to adoption of committee amendment, Senate adopted the following two amendments thereto:

(1) Pastore amendment authorizing $2.113 million for construction of a professional education center at the Newport, R.I., Naval War College, and (2) Dole amendment authorizing $1.023 million for construction of a road from Custer Hill to Camp Forsyth, Fort Riley, Kans.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, Jackson, Ervin, Cannon, Byrd of Virginia, Thurmond, Tower, and Dominick. Pages 33706–33717

Appropriations—Public Works: Senate laid down and made its pending business H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for fiscal year 1970. Senator Ellender submitted notices of intention to move to suspend the rules for the purpose of offering two amendments to this bill. Page 33717

Confirmations: Senate confirmed one nomination in the Air Force in the rank of general; and sundry Army and Marine Corps nominations. Page 33737

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Office of Education from its Commissioner, Dr. James E. Allen, Jr., who gave a general statement; and Leon M. Lessinger, Associate Commissioner for Elementary and Secondary Education, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for school assistance in federally affected areas.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1924 and H.R. 210, eliminating requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards, receiving testimony from Rear Adm. C. P. Murphy, Chief, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, U.S. Coast Guard; James J. Reynolds, president, American Institute of Merchant Shipping; and Vincent A. Demo, chairman, New York Committee of the International Committee of Passenger Lines.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 2817, to amend the Ship Mortgage Act with regard to terminal operators liens, with testimony from Leroy F. Fuller, Director, Bureau of Domestic Regulation, Federal Maritime Commission; Joseph P. Adams, Port of Seattle; and Sidney Goldstein, chairman, Law and Legislation Committee, American Association of Port Authorities.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad held executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL RETARDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health concluded hearings on S. 2846, authorizing funds for increased facilities for mental retardation programs, and related bills, after receiving testimony from Arthur Hull Hayes, accompanied by Elizabeth M. Boggs, both of the National Association for Retarded Children; Dr. Robert E. Cooke, professor of pediatrics, accompanied by Dr. Arnold Capute, John F. Kennedy Institute for the Habilitation of the Mentally and Physically Handicapped Child, both of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore; John J. Noone, American Association on Mental Deficiency; Charles D. Barnett, National Association of Coordinators of State Programs for the Mentally Retarded; Dr. Leonard J. Ganser, Department

of Health and Social Services, State of Wisconsin, accompanied by Harry C. Schnibbe, National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

Wednesday, November 12, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 33825–33862

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3135–3137. Pages 33836–33838

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–529); and

H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes, with an amendment, and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–530). Pages 33835–33836

Housing and Urban Development: Senate agreed to conference requested by House on S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Muskie, Bennett, Tower, and Brooke. Pages 33880–33886

Commission on Government Procurement: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 474, to establish a Commission on Government Procurement, and sent the measure to the House for further action.

Pages 33909–33910

Appropriations—Public Works: By 86 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for fiscal year 1970, after taking action on amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and

Rejected: By 33 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Nelson amendment barring expenditure funds for the Central and Southern Florida project until June 1, 1970.

By 5 yeas to 82 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate rejected Williams of Delaware motion to recommit the bill with instructions to the committee to report the bill back forthwith in an amount not to exceed $4,203,978,000 (amount of estimates for 1970).

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Russell, McClellan, Magnuson, Holland, Stennis, Pastore, Randolph, Young of North Dakota, Hruska, Mundt, and Smith of Maine.

Pages 33862–33880, 33886–33926

Mortgage Credit: Senate laid down and made its pending business S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, and by unanimous consent agreed that at the conclusion of routine morning business on Thursday, November 13, debate on any amendments to the bill be limited to 30 minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by the mover of such amendment and Senator Proxmire; and that debate on final passage be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided by Senators Proxmire and Bennett. Pages 33926–33930

Authority To Sit: By unanimous consent, all committees were authorized to sit during the session of the Senate on Thursday, November 13. Page 33930

Nomination Reported: The nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court was reported by the Committee on the Judiciary (Ex. Rept. 91–12). Page 33835

Nominations: Senate received one Air Force nomination in the rank of general, and two Army in the rank of general. Page 33931

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970. As approved by the committee, appropriations would be continued through December 6, 1969. As passed by the House, appropriations would be continued until 5 days subsequent to sine die adjournment of this session of the Congress.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for school assistance in federally affected areas from B. Alden Lillywhite, Deputy Associate Commissioner for Elementary and Secondary Education, and on funds for

education professions development from Dr. Don Davies, Associate Commissioner for Educational Personnel Development, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Teacher Corps.

AIRPORTS AND AIRWAYS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported (pending final approval of certain language) S. 3108 (amended) and H.R. 14465, to provide for Federal assistance for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airports and airways system.

INSURANCE INSOLVENCY PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 2236, to create a Federal Insurance Guaranty Corporation to protect the American public against certain insurance company insolvencies, having as its witnesses Ronald A. Jacks, National Association of Property & Casualty Reinsurers; Henry Kramer, North American Reinsurance Co.; Andre Maisonpierre, American Mutual Insurance Alliance; Vestal Lemmon, National Association of Independent Insurers; and Charles K. Cox, Insurance Company of North America.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 19.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATURAL GAS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels began hearings on shortages of natural gas. Testimony was heard from Hollis M. Dole, Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources, and John F. O'Leary, Director, Bureau of Mines, both of the Department of the Interior; former Senator Thomas H. Kuchel, representing Pacific Lighting System; Walter E. Rogers, president, Independent Natural Gas Association of America; Bruce C. Netschert, National Economic Research Associates, Inc.; Cary M. Maguire, Maguire Oil Co., Dallas; and Paul C. Joy, who presented a statement for James F. Gary, president, Honolulu Gas Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed hearings in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill. Witnesses were Dr. Leon Yochelson, D.C. Medical Society; and Dr. John D. Schultz, D.C. Mental Health and Mental Retardation Program Director.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure resumed hearings on the administration of the Selective Service System and proposals for its reform. Testimony was received from Senator Cranston; and John G. Veneman, Under Secretary, who was accompanied by Dr. Robert Q. Marston, Director, National Institutes of Health, and Dr. Preston Valien, Acting Associate Commissioner of Education, all of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration an amended version of S. 2218, proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony from Stephen E. Kelly, accompanied by Bayard E. Sawyer and Norman S. Halliday, all of the Magazine Publishers Association; R. M. Westerfield, accompanied by Paul Conrad, both of the National Newspaper Association; and Gerald D. Thornton, Meredith Corp., on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, accompanied by Anthony J. Obadal and Robert J. Oslund, both of the chamber of commerce.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 14740–14775; five private bills, H.R. 14776–14780; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 981, H. Con. Res. 444 and 445, and H. Res. 673–690, were introduced.

Pages 33747–33748, 33822–33825

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14705, to extend and improve the Federal-State unemployment compensation program, filed on Monday, November 10 (H. Rept. 91–612);

Conference report on H.R. 474, establishing a commission on Government procurement (H. Rept. 91–613);

Conference report on S. 1072, to authorize funds to carry out the purposes of the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, as amended (H. Rept. 91–614);

H. Res. 675, providing for agreeing to the conference requested by the Senate on H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax (H. Rept. 91–615);

S. 476, H.R. 1697, amended, 2241, amended, 2481, amended, 3530, amended, 4105, amended, 7264, 7830, 8100, 9092, amended, 10662, amended, and 12622, amended, all private bills (H. Rept. 91–616 to 91–627, respectively);

H.R. 2751, authorizing the application of local law in determining the effect of contributory negligence on claims involving members of the National Guard (H. Rept. 91–628);

H.R. 10124, extending the time for filing tort actions by persons under the age of 21, or insane or mentally ill, or imprisoned on a criminal charge, amended (H. Rept. 91–629);

H. Res. 676, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14705, to extend and improve the Federal-State unemployment compensation program (H. Rept. 91–630);

H.R. 12785, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213.37 acres of land, amended (H. Rept. 91–631);

S.J. Res. 121, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity, amended (H. Rept. 91–632);

Report entitled "Environmental Dangers of Open Air Testing of Lethal Chemicals" (H. Rept. 91–633);

H. Res. 677, waiving points of order against H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–634);

H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–635); and

S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site, amended (H. Rept. 91–636).

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Communication from the President—Air Traffic Controllers: Read a message from the President urging Congress to approve the airport and airway development bill and proposing an addition of 1,000 more air controller positions in the current fiscal year. Page 33739

Late Reports: The Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 33739

Committee Membership: Approved H. Res. 673, increasing the size of the Committee on Banking and Currency to 36 members. Page 33747

Independent Executive Office-HUD Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent executive offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Evins of Tennessee, Boland, Shipley, Giaimo, Marsh, Pryor of Arkansas, Mahon, Jonas, Wyman, Talcott, McDade, and Bow. Page 33747

Military Construction Authorization: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 13018, military construction authorization for fiscal year 1970, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Rivers, Fisher, Lennon, Long of Louisiana, White, Arends, Hall, King, and Foreman. Page 33747

Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Obey, wherein he resigns from the Committee on Public Works. Page 33747

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 674, electing Representative Obey to the Committee on Appropriations and Representative Harrington to the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 33747

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on military construction appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Page 33747

Potato Research and Promotion: By a record vote of 171 yeas to 198 nays, the House failed to pass H.R. 2777, enabling potato growers to finance a nationally coordinated research and promotion program to improve their competitive position and expand their markets for potatoes by increasing consumer acceptance of such potatoes and potato products by improving the quality of potatoes and potato products that are available to the consumers.

H. Res. 611, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was passed earlier by a voice vote.

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Biological Program: By a voice vote, the House passed H.J. Res. 589, expressing the support of Congress and urging the support of Federal departments and agencies, as well as other persons and organizations, both public and private, for the international biological program.

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment replacing the term "first priority" relating to financial support of the program by the Federal Government to "high priority."

An amendment specifying that any transfer of funds to support the program be limited to moneys already appropriated for fiscal year 1970 or any previous year.

Rejected an amendment limiting total funds that may be spent on this program without going through the budgetary process to $622,000.

H. Res. 603, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier, after the previous question was ordered, by a record vote of 230 yeas to 100 nays.

Pages 33765–33772

Referrals: 13 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 33822

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States continued executive hearings with testimony from Col. August E. Weil, USAF, Chief of the Aerospace Defense Division.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 began hearings on a variety of bills. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION, TRAVEL, AND TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCES—PER DIEM ALLOWANCE INCREASE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 8022, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize travel, transportation, and education allowances to certain members of the uniformed services for dependents' schooling; and H.R. 944, to amend section 404(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14751, military construction appropriations for fiscal year 1970, amended.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, to provide for Federal standards for occupational safety and health. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. FOREIGN POLICY TOWARD LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on future U.S. foreign policy toward Latin America. Testimony was heard from Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York.

JOINT FUNDING SIMPLIFICATION ACT—OFFICE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS EXPENSES

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14517, to provide temporary authority to expedite procedures for consideration and approval of projects drawing upon more than one Federal assistance program, to simplify requirements for the operation of those projects; and H.J. Res. 757, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations.

The committee also approved the following reports:

"Deficiencies in Administration of Federal Insecticides, Fungicides, and Rodenticide Act"; and

"Environmental Dangers of Open Air Testing of Lethal Chemicals."

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 12785, amended, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213.37 acres of land;

S.J. Res. 121, amended, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity; and

S. 2000 amended, in lieu of H.R. 13880, to provide for the establishment of a Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site.

The committee also considered Public Land Order 4582 (Alaska land freeze order), proposed modification to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance began hearings on H.R. 12867 and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from SEC Chairman Hamer H. Budge.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE HOSPITAL AT NEW ORLEANS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 13448, to authorize the exchange, upon terms fully protecting the public interest, of the lands and buildings now constituting the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at New Orleans, La., for lands upon which a new U.S. Public Health Service hospital at New Orleans may be located. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hébert and Boggs.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(H) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from National Foreign Trade Council representatives Calvin Reynolds, director, personnel and employee relations; Dr. Paul Doigan, General Electric Co.; and Richard A. DiDonna, Cocola Export Corp.; E. S. Groo, vice president, IBM World Trade Corp.; William Ittman, vice president, and Dennett Howe, manager, personnel for international divisions, the Procter & Gamble Co.; and Paul G. O'Friel, director of corporate public affairs, the Gillette Co.

COPYRIGHT PROTECTION—TAHOE REGIONAL PLANNING COMPACT—ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, approved for full committee action S.J. Res. 143, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases; and S. 118 amended, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior and others to cooperate with the planning agency thereby created.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representative Byrnes of Wisconsin.

DISTRICT COURT JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on S. 952 and related bills, authorizes the appointment of additional district court judges in the various specified States. Testimony was heard from Representatives Biester and McDade; Hon. Ernest C. Friesen, Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; Theodore Voorhees, Esq., chairman, Standing Committee on Judicial Selection, Tenure and Compensation, American Bar Association; and Newell W. Ellison, chairman, Committee on the Administration of Justice, Washington, D.C. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Chappell.

MARINE LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 13987 and H.R. 14186, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Agricultural Publishers Association.

INTERSTATE SYSTEM VEHICLE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and referred to the full committee without recommendation H.R. 11870, to amend section 127 of title 23, United States Code, relating to vehicle weight and width limitations on the Interstate System.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on, H.R. 14705, to extend and improve the Federal-State unemployment compensation program. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills and Representative Byrnes.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX EXTENSION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule to take H.R. 12829, interest equalization tax extension, from the Speaker's table, disagree to Senate amendments, and send the bill to conference. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills and Representative Byrnes.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Rules: Deferred action indefinitely on H.R. 11542, national program of institutional grants. Testimony was heard from Chairman Miller and Representatives Daddario, Bell of California, and Mosher.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for the consideration of, and waiving points of order against, H.R. 14751, military construction appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mahon and Representatives Sikes and Cederberg.

BIOSATELLITE PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications began hearings on the future of the biosatellite program. Testimony was heard from Dr. John E. Naugle, Associate Administrator, Space Science and Applications; Dr. Orr E. Reynolds, Director, Bioscience Program; and John W. Dyer, Manager of Biosatellite Project Operations, Ames Research Center, California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SWEEPSTAKES INVESTIGATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business began hearings on investigation of sweepstakes. Testimony was heard from Representative Rosenthal and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patten and Córdova and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3138–3139. Page 33991

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 589 was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 34025

Visit From President Nixon: Senate received a brief address from President Nixon. Pages 34028–34029

Mortgage Credit: By 69 yeas to 14 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with committee amendment S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit. Prior to passage of the bill, Senate by vote of 30 yeas to 49 nays rejected Bennett amendment striking from bill sections reactivating authority under which the Federal Reserve Board may administer a voluntary credit restraint program. Pages 34017–34029

Continuing Appropriations: By voice vote, Senate passed with committee amendment H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970, prior to which action it rejected Proxmire amendment which would have reduced funds for impacted areas aid for fiscal year 1970 from $585 million, as approved by the House, to $187 million, as proposed in the fiscal 1970 budget estimates. Pages 34029–34042

Supreme Court Nomination: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Pages 34049–34077

Committee Meetings: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that all committees may sit during the session of the Senate on Friday, November 14. Page 34077

Nomination: Senate received the nomination of George M. Low, of Texas, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Page 34079

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony as follows: in behalf of funds for the Teacher Corps from its Director Richard A. Graham; on funds for higher education from Dr. Preston Valien, Acting Associate Commissioner for Higher Education; and on funds for vocational education and library and community services from Grant Venn, Associate Commissioner for Adult, Vocational, and Library Programs, all of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for education of the handicapped.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Robert C. Gresham, of Maryland, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, receiving testimony from Representatives Bow and Mahon.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES AND SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 8449, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, and S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATURAL GAS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels concluded hearings on shortages of natural gas. Testimony was received from John N. Nassikas, Chairman, Carl E. Bagge, Vice Chairman, and Lawrence J. O'Connor, Jr., John A. Carver, Jr., and Albert B. Brooke, Jr., members, all of the Federal Power Commission; Dr. Orlo Childs, Colorado School of Mines; Edward Berlin, Consumers Federation of America; Stanley Learned, rep-

resenting American Petroleum Institute, and several oil and gas associations; Herbert D. Clay, representing American Gas Association, Inc.; Robert E. Mead, president, Independent Petroleum Association of America; and Charles Frazier, Associated Gas Distributors.

It was announced that the record will remain open until the end of the month for the inclusion of additional written material.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure concluded hearings on the administration of the Selective Service System and proposals for its reform. Testimony was heard from Representative Conyers; Joseph Blatchford, Director, Peace Corps; Prof. Morris Janowitz, University of Chicago; and Col. Robert Hays, former Assistant General Counsel, Selective Service System.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill. Witnesses heard were Mrs. Lloyd Symington, D.C. Mental Health Association; and Mrs. Patricia Wald, Neighborhood Legal Services.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 18.

HEALTH FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 2523, to provide grants for construction of community mental health centers, and S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee an amended version of H.R. 13300, to amend the laws relative to retirement of employees under the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Retirement Tax Act.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, receiving testimony from Paul Oberkotter, president, accompanied by Charles W. L. Foreman, both of United Parcel Service; Spencer Moseley, president, Railway Express Agency, Inc.; and David A. Bunn, executive vice president, Parcel Post Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Committee Meetings

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 14781–14810; two private bills, H.R. 14811 and 14812; and 23 resolutions, H.J. Res. 982–984, H. Con. Res. 446–449, and H. Res. 691–706 were introduced. Pages 34164–34166

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Deficiencies in Administration of Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act" (H. Rept. 91–637);

H.R. 4302, to amend title 28, U.S.C., section 753, to authorize payment by the United States of fees charged by court reporters for furnishing certain transcripts in proceedings under the Criminal Justice Act (H. Rept. 91–638);

H.R. 9677, to amend section 1866 of title 28, U.S.C., prescribing the manner in which summonses for jury duty may be served (H. Rept. 91–639);

H.R. 14485, to amend sections 501 and 504 of title 18, U.S.C., so as to strengthen the law relating to the counterfeiting of postage meter stamps or other improper uses of the metered mail system (H. Rept. 91–640);

H.R. 4248, to amend title 5, U.S.C., to authorize civilians employed by the Department of Defense to administer oaths while conducting official investigations (H. Rept. 91–641);

H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–642); and

H. Res. 613, toward peace with justice in Vietnam (H. Rept. 91–643). Pages 34164–34166

Presidential Message—NASA: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 20th annual report of the activities of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration—referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed with illustrations. Page 34080

Presidential Visit: House received the President and heard brief remarks expressing appreciation for support of a just peace in Vietnam. The President was escorted into the Chamber by Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford. Pages 34080–34081

Late Report: Committee on Public Works received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, November 14, on H.R. 14741, to amend title 23, U.S.C., to revise the next due date for the cost estimate for the Interstate Systems to amend chapter 4 relating to highway safety. Page 34081

Subcommittees to Sit: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth of the Committee on Banking and Currency, and the Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications of the Committee on Science and Astronautics received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 34081

Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on the Department of Transportation appropriations bill for fiscal year 1970. Pages 34081–34082

Military Construction Appropriation: By a record vote of 343 yeas to 32 nays, the House passed H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Rejected an amendment which would prohibit funds in this bill from being used for construction associated with operational deployment of the safeguard antiballistic missile system.

H. Res. 677, a rule waiving points of order against the bill, was adopted earlier by a record vote of 326 yeas to 43 nays. Pages 34085–34099

Government Procurement Commission: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 474, to establish a commission on Government procurement; clearing the measure for the President. Page 34099

Mineral Industry Week: Agreed to H.J. Res. 888, to authorize the period beginning February 13, 1970, and ending February 19, 1970, as Mineral Industry Week. Page 34100

Volunteers of America Week: Agreed to H.J. Res. 10, authorizing the President to proclaim the second week of March in every year as Volunteers of America Week. Agreed to an amendment, and agreed to amend the title. Page 34100

Unemployment Compensation: By a record vote of 337 yeas to 8 nays, the House passed H.R. 14705, extending and improving the Federal-State unemployment compensation program.

H. Res. 676, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier. Pages 34100–34110

Continuing Appropriations: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 966, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1970; clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 34111–34113

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 19. Page 34113

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DESERTLAND ENTRYMEN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 6244, to extend financial assistance to desertland entrymen. Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on this bill and heard testimony from Representatives McClure and Hansen of Idaho and departmental witnesses.

CONVEYANCE OF LANDS AND MATERIALS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 7161 (without amendment) and S. 65, S. 80, S. 81, and S. 82 amended, private bills providing for conveyance of lands, and sand, gravel, stone, clay, and similar materials to various persons in Arkansas and Arizona. Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on the above bills and S. 55. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Hammerschmidt and Steiger of Arizona.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Department of Transportation appropriation for fiscal year 1970.

AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States continued executive hearings and heard testimony from Rear Adm. G. S. Morrison, Director, Electronic Warfare and Tactical Command System Division, OPNAV; and Rear Adm. G. H. Miller, Director, Office of Strategic Offensise and Defensive Systems.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMED SERVICES—MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 110, to amend section 427(b) of title 37, United States Code, to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to a member of a uniformed service even though the member does not maintain a residence or household for his dependents, subject to his management and control;

H.R. 386, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service assigned to Government quarters providing he is otherwise entitled to such separation allowance;

H.R. 9486 amended, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict;

H.R. 9485, amended, to remove the $10,000 limit on deposits under section 1035 of title 10, United States

Code, in the case of any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict;

H.R. 8021, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize a dislocation allowance under certain circumstances, certain reimbursements, transportation for dependents, and travel and transportation allowances under certain circumstances;

H.R. 8019, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the payment of uniform allowances to certain persons originally appointed, temporarily or permanently, as commissioned or warrant officers in a Regular component of the Armed Forces;

H.R. 3813, to amend section 1331(c) of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the granting of retired pay to persons otherwise qualified who were Reserves before August 16, 1945, and who served on active duty during the so-called Berlin crisis; and

H.R. 11265, to provide for crediting service as an aviation midshipman for purposes of retirement for nonregular service under chapter 67 of title 10, United States Code, and for pay purposes under title 37, United States Code.

The subcommittee deferred action on H.R. 12846 and tabled H.R. 12933 and H.R. 2665.

AIR EVACUATION PATIENTS SUBSISTENCE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 9654, to authorize subsistence, without charge, to certain air evacuation patients. Testimony was heard from Col. Henry J. Benit, Policy Division, Director of Personnel Planning, Headquarters, USAF.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee to Probe Disturbances on Military Bases continued executive hearings and heard testimony from Lt. Col. James White, Office of Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, Department of the Army.

FOREIGN BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to discuss future hearings on impact of foreign banking on the United States.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from William H. White, American Conservation Association.

ABC RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on H.R. 13921, H.R. 14009 and H.R. 14608, to compensate holders of ABC retail licenses, who return same for cancellation. Testimony was heard from D.C. Government and D.C. Retail Liquor Dealers witnesses.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Representative Delaney.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, to provide for Federal standards for occupational safety and health. Testimony was heard from Franklin Wallick, legislative representative, United Automobile, Aerospace, and Agricultural Implement Workers of America; Donald L. Peyton, managing director, American National Standards Institute, New York; and Lee Holmes, American Mutual Insurance Alliance.

Hearings continue Tuesday, November 18.

POVERTY

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Task Force on Poverty held an investigatory hearing on poverty. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments began hearings on pending resolutions calling upon North Vietnam to abide by the Geneva Convention in its treatment of American prisoners of war. Testimony was heard from William H. Sullivan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Dennis Dolin, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asia and Pacific, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON HUMAN ENVIRONMENT—INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H. Res. 562, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should actively participate in the 1972 United Nations Conference on Human Environment; and H.R. 13171 amended, to provide for Federal Government recognition of and participation in international expositions proposed to be held in the United States. Testimony was heard from Representative Dad-

dario and Hon. Herman Pollack, Director, International Scientific and Technological Affairs, Department of State.

CONSUMER LEGISLATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on consumer legislation. Testimony was heard from Virginia Knauer, special assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs and Richard McLaren, Assistant Attorney General.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business.

POINT REYES NATIONAL SEASHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session to mark up H.R. 3786 and related bills, to authorize the appropriation of additional funds necessary for acquisition of land at the Point Reyes National Seashore in California.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC HEALTH SCHOOLS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 14528 and related bills, to extend grants to schools of Public Health. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, November 17.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 12867, and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(H) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from James M. Quigley, vice president, U.S. Plywood Champion Papers, Inc.; W. H. Satterlee, manager, Personnel Services, the Dow Chemical Co.; and Don A. Spiker, chairman, International Committee, National Constructors Association.

WAIVER OF CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13582 amended, to amend title 5, 10, and 32, United States Code, to authorize the waiver of claims of the United States arising out of certain erroneous payments.

The subcommittee also acted on a private claims bill.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wydler, Hungate, Landgrebe and Mink.

MARITIME ACADEMY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Special Subcommittee on Maritime Education and Training met in executive session to consider H.R. 8328, H.R. 8785, and related bills, Maritime Academy Act amendments, but took no action.

MARINE LICENSING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Navigation continued hearings on H.R. 13987 and H.R. 14186, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, title III, relating to transportation of mail by regulated surface carriers. The committee adopted one amendment which removes passenger carrying motor vehicles (buses) from the provision authorizing the Postmaster General to require regulated surface carriers to transport the mail. The amendment also added a new section which will continue the provisions of existing law authorizing the Postmaster General and the bus companies to enter into contracts for the transportation of mail on the buses.

Committee to continue Tuesday, November 18.

FEDERAL AID HIGHWAY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14741 amended, the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1969.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and approved H.R. 14741, amended, for full committee action.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization continued hearings and heard testimony from Representatives Cleveland, Moorhead, and Wagner.

BIOSATELLITE PROGRAM

Committee on Scientific and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on the future of the biosatellite program. Testimony was heard from Dr. W. Ross Adey, professor of anatomy and director, Space Biology Laboratory, University of California at Los Angeles; Dr. Nello Pace, professor of physiology and director, White Mountain Research Station, University of California at Berkeley; and Dr. J. P. Meehan, chairman, department of physiology, School of Medicine, University of Southern California.

Hearings continue Monday, November 17.

SWEEPSTAKES INVESTIGATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business continued hearings on sweepstakes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on proposals to amend the various titles of the Social Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hechler of West Virginia, Stratton, Ryan, Long of Maryland, Conyers, Scheuer, and Pettis and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

GOLD POLICY

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments began hearings to review U.S. policies stemming from the March 1968 two-tier gold marketing agreement and from the proposed International Monetary Fund quota increase. Witnesses heard were Edward M. Bernstein, EMB Ltd.; Prof. Charles P. Kindleberger, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; and Prof. Fritz Machlup, Princeton University.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Under Secretary of the Treasury Volcker.

Friday, November 14, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 34237–34268

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3140–3144, and S. Res. 281.

Pages 34240, 34245

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 14001, authorizing President to effect a change in the method of selection of inductees into the Armed Forces (S. Rept. 91–531). Page 34240

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 34275

Export Control: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority to regulate exports, thus clearing the measure for action by the House. Pages 34289–34293

Supreme Court Nomination: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

Pages 34268–34281, 34287–34288

President's Communications—Amendments to Budget: Senate received the following two communications from the President:

(1) Requesting increased budget authority in the amount of $270 million for the Department of Agriculture for the food stamp program (referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–42); and

(2) Requesting increased budget authority of $7.2 million for endowment to Federal City College of the District of Columbia; $800,000 for the Department of Labor; $200,000 for the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; and $15 million for operation of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; and

$26.9 million (providing no increase in budget authority) to meet costs of State employee pay raises in the Unemployment Insurance and Employment Service Administration programs, and to provide for the establishment of job banks in 11 cities (referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–41). Page 34240

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the nomination of Maj. Gen. Royal B. Allison, Air Force, for promotion to lieutenant general, and to serve as senior U.S. military representative at the U.S.-U.S.S.R. disarmament negotiations which will begin on Monday, November 17.

Pages 34281, 34294

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Dr. Jesse Leonard Steinfeld, of California, to be Surgeon General of the Public Health Service; and one judicial nomination to be U.S. marshal. Page 34294

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EGGS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee held and concluded hearings on S. 2116, to provide for inspection of certain egg products by the Department of Agriculture, with testimony from Senator Aiken; Richard E. Lyng, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, who was accompanied by his associates; M. J. Chamberlain, Institute of American Poultry Industries, Topeka; Robert H. Martin, South Carolina Department of Agriculture; Austin T. Moore, Jr., South Carolina Egg Producers Council, Columbia; and Spencer G. Duncan, New York State Department of Agriculture.

It was announced that the record will remain open through November 21 for the inclusion of additional written material.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Dr. Edwin W. Martin, Acting Associate Commissioner for Education for the Handicapped, and Dr. James J. Gallagher, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Planning, Research, and Evaluation, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 17.

DRAFT REFORM, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, unanimously approved for reporting without amendment H.R. 14001, to authorize the President to effect a change in the method of selection of inductees into the Armed Forces. Committee also approved the nomination of Maj. Gen. Royal B. Allison, Air Force, for promotion to lieutenant general, and to serve as senior U.S. military representative at the forthcoming U.S.-U.S.S.R. disarmament negotiations.

Prior to approval of H.R. 14001, testimony thereon was received from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird; Roger T. Kelley, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; and Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 17.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration the following three bills:

H.R. 9163, authorizing disposal of certain land in Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.;

H.R. 13767, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain land at Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn.; and

S. 2940, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain property for Independence National Historical Park, Pa.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony concerning the three bills from George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and on S. 2940 from Senator Scott and others.

LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings on the legal services program of the Office of Economic Opportunity. Testimony was received from Donald Rumsfeld, Director, and Terry Lenzner, Legal Services Director, both of OEO; Sam Massell, mayor-elect of Atlanta, representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors and National League of Cities; the following panel of law school deans: Murray L. Schwartz, UCLA, William B. Lockhart, University of Minnesota, and Jefferson B. Fordham, University of Pennsylvania; James D. Lorenz, representing California Rural Legal Assistance; Bruce S. Rogow, attorney of Miami; and John D. Robb, representing the American Bar Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States continued executive hearings and heard testimony from Col. Nicholas G. Psaki, Office of Chief of Staff for Operations, Department of the Army.

U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on pending resolutions on U.S. prisoners of war in North Vietnam. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dickinson, Matsunaga, Casey, and Blanton.

CONSUMER LEGISLATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 6037, to establish a Department of Consumer Affairs and to coordinate the administration of consumer services. Further testimony was heard from Virginia Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, and Richard McLaren, Assistant Attorney General.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POINT REYES NATIONAL SEASHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 3786, to authorize the appropriation of additional funds necessary for acquisition of land at the Point Reyes National Seashore in California.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 12867, and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SWEEPSTAKES INVESTIGATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business continued hearings on sweepstakes. Testimony was heard from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, and David A. Nelson, General Counsel, Post Office Department.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

GOLD POLICY

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments concluded hearings to review U.S. policies stemming from the March 1968 two-tier gold marketing agreement and from the proposed International Monetary Fund quota increase, after receiving testimony from Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs.

Monday, November 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 34386–34425

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3145–3147; and S. Res. 282 and 283. Pages 34387, 34388–34389

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 10, Volunteers of America Week, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 34387

Supreme Court Nomination: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Pages 34375–34386, 34425–34457

Printing: Senate agreed to S. Res. 282, providing for printing of 3,500 copies of Senate Finance Committee print entitled "Summary of H.R. 13270, the Tax Reform Act of 1969, as Reported by the Committee on Finance." Page 34386

President's Message—PHS: Senate received message from the President transmitting 13th annual report of the Surgeon General of PHS summarizing activities of the health research facilities construction program for fiscal year 1968. Page 34387

Nominations: Senate received the nomination of Graham W. Watt, of Ohio, to be Assistant to the Commissioner of the District of Columbia; and numerous nominations in the Coast Guard and Marine Corps. Page 34457

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Dr. Robert Leestma, Associate Commissioner for International Education, Leon M. Schwartz, Assistant Commissioner for Administration, Dr. Preston Valien, Acting Associate Commissioner for Higher Education, all of the Office of Education. Miss Mary E. Switzer, Administrator, issued a general statement to begin testimony in behalf of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

THAILAND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad

continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Thailand.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health met in executive session to consider S. 2182, H.R. 11102, and related bills dealing with medical care facilities construction, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 14813–14837; two private bills, H.R. 14838 and 14839; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 985, H. Con. Res. 450, and H. Res. 707–709, were introduced **Pages 34374–34375**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14741 to amend title 23, U.S.C., to revise the next due date for the cost estimate for the Interstate System to amend Chapter 4 relating to highway safety (H. Rept. 91–644, filed on Friday, November 14);

H.R. 5278, to amend the act of July 24, 1956, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to contract with the Benbrook Water and Sewer Authority for the use of water supply storage in the Benbrook Reservoir (H. Rept. 91–645);

H. Res. 707, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic, economic, social, and political institutions (H. Rept. 91–646);

H. Res. 708, waiving points of order against certain provisions in H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–647);

H.J. Res. 757, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations (H. Rept. 91–648); and

Conference report on H.R. 12307, appropriating funds for fiscal year 1970 for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (H. Rept. 91–649). **Pages 34371–34374**

Subcommittee To Sit: The Subcommittee on Transportation of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 34302**

Presidential Message: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 13th annual report of the Surgeon General summarizing the activities of the health facilities construction program for fiscal year 1968—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations. **Page 34303**

Consent Calendar: On the call of the Consent Calendar the following bills were passed over without prejudice: H.R. 7618 and H.R. 14646. **Page 34303**

Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry late reports by midnight tonight. **Page 34305**

Interest Equalization Tax: By a record vote of 313 yeas to 36 nays, the House agreed to H. Res. 675, providing for agreeing to the conference requested by the Senate on H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax. Subsequently appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Watts, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Utt. **Pages 34305–34314**

Late Report: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file a conference report by midnight Tuesday, November 18, on H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax. **Page 34314**

Subcommittee To Sit: The Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications of the Committee on Science and Astronautics received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 34314**

Suspensions: The House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

National historical site: S. 2000, providing for the establishment of the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site (amended and returned to the Senate);

Indian Opportunity: S.J. Res. 121, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity (passed by a record vote of 316 yeas to 31 nays, amended, and returned to the Senate); and

Land conveyance: H.R. 7618, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the Federal Government to the board of public instruction, Okaloosa County, Fla. (sent to the Senate without amendment). **Pages 34314–34327**

Late Report: Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 12307, appropriating funds for fiscal year 1970 for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development. **Page 34326**

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. **Page 34373**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session to consider food stamp program.

Committee to continue on Monday, December 8.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on the quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Prof. N. Glazer, Harvard University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. COURT REFORMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on court reorganization and related bills. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on S. 11, H.R. 5546, and H.R. 13890, Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Robert Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on all bills pertaining to the Investment Company Act amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from Mrs. Virginia Mae Brown, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from Edmund Lipecki, general manager, Polish Morning World, New York City.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from James H. Rademacher, president, National Association of Letter Carriers; and Lonnie L. Johnson, president, National Association of Post Office Mail Handlers, Watchmen, Messengers & Group Leaders.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 3 hours of debate on, H.R. 14580, Foreign Assistance Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Zablocki and Adair.

APPROPRIATION—DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving points of order against lines 4 through 10 on page 12, and lines 14 through 20 on page 16, of H.R. 14794, Department of Transportation and related agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boland and Minshall.

BIOSATELLITE PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on the future of the biosatellite program. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. James W. Humphreys, Jr., USAF, Director, Space Medicine, Office of Manned Space Flight; Dr. Charles A. Berry, Director, Medical Research and Operations, Manned Spacecraft Center, Houston; and Dr. James V. Warren, chairman, Department of Medicine, Ohio State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT—MARIHUANA TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider social security and welfare legislation and H.R. 14799, to eliminate the provision permitting payment of tax to acquire marihuana by unregistered persons, and for other related purposes.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

A. ERNEST FITZGERALD

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began hearings into the dismissal by the Air Force of A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, USAF. Initial testimony was received from Mr. Fitzgerald in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Air Force Secretary Seamans.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES AND HUD

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Tuesday, November 18, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 34517–34553

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3148–3150; and S. Res. 284 and 285. Pages 34518, 34611–34613

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 497, private bill (S. Rept. 91–532);

S. 2734, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York railroad passenger transportation compact, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–533);

H.R. 3666, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with regard to taking of oath of allegiance (S. Rept. 91–534);

S. 1520, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain combinations and arrangements necessary for the survival of failing newspapers, with amendments, and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–535);

H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act (S. Rept. 91–536);

S. 1170, to authorize special studies by the Department of Commerce (S. Rept. 91–537);

S. 2869, providing a general revision of criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia under several topics, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–538); and

S. 849, to strengthen the penalty provisions of the Gun Control Act of 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–539). Page 34517

Bill Referred: H.R. 7618, Florida land conveyance bill, was referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 34592

President's Message—Trade Act: Senate received message from the President transmitting and outlining his legislative recommendations for the continuation of the expansion of international trade—referred to Committee on Finance, and printed as H. Doc. 194. Pages 34551–34553

Appropriations—Independent Offices, HUD: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 12307, fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Senate agreed to the amendments of the House to (1) Senate amendment No. 5, limiting obligations to the amount appropriated in the bill, and appropriates $175 million for the Appalachian highway program, and (2) Senate amendment No. 14, to raise the appropriation amount to include both the Chicago project and the FBI Academy in the public building projects approved. This action cleared the measure for the White House. Pages 34592–34596

Supreme Court Nomination: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Under unanimous consent agreement, Senate will proceed to vote on this nomination at 1 p.m., on Friday, November 21. Pages 34553–34590, 34597–34609

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Stephen P. Simonds, Commissioner, Community Services Administration, and Dr. James F. Garrett, Assistant Administrator, Office of Research, Demonstration, and Training, both of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded hearings on urban mass transportation legislation, after receiving testimony from John A. Volpe, Secretary of Transportation; Gov. Arch A. Moore of West Virginia; B. F. Hillenbrand, National Association of Counties; Jack Curran, Laborers International Union of North America, AFL–CIO; and a panel consisting of Carmack Cochran, American Transit Association, John J. Gunther, U.S. Conference of Mayors, and Louis J. Gambaccini, Port of New York Authority.

AUTO SAFETY, WILDLIFE, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

The nominations of Caspar W. Weinberger, of California, to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission; Robert C. Gresham, of Maryland, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and sundry nominations in the Coast Guard;

H.R. 10105, to authorize funds to implement programs for improved highway design and motor vehicle safety standards, with amendments;

S. 1232, to provide for State management of fish and wildlife on Federal lands, without amendment; and

S. Res. 284, to request an additional $75,000 for committee operating funds.

Prior to approval of the nomination of Mr. Weinberger, testimony in support of the nominee was received from Senators Cranston and Murphy; and Representative McCloskey.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface

Transportation met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

D.C. JUVENILE COURT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began hearings on S. 2981, to revise the laws of the D.C. on juvenile court proceedings. Testimony was received from Donald Santarelli, Associate Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Mrs. Patricia M. Wald, Neighborhood Legal Services; Frederick Evans, Gerald Gilbert, Sarel Kandell and Alice Popkin, all representing the D.C. Bar Association; James W. Cobb, Washington Bar Association; Mrs. Elizabeth Dyson; and Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee.

Hearings continue on Thursday, November 20.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State William P. Rogers on U.S. Government policy in Vietnam.

Committee will meet again tomorrow when Secretary of Defense Laird will testify.

BLACK MARKET CURRENCY

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations began hearings on the black market in currency in South Vietnam. Witnesses were Robert R. Parker, chairman, Irregular Practices Committee, American Embassy, Saigon; and L. J. Duffy, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALASKA NATIVE LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, November 20.

GUN CONTROL, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following items of business:

S. 849, to strengthen the penalty provisions of the Gun Control Act of 1968, with amendments;

H.R. 3666, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with regard to taking of oath of allegiance;

S. 2734, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York railroad passenger transportation compact;

S. 497, private bill; and

The nominations of Howard A. Glickstein, of New York, to be Staff Director, and Stephen Horn, of California, and Maurice B. Mitchell, of Colorado, to be members, all of the Commission on Civil Rights; Andrew J. F. Peeples, to be U.S. marshal for the middle district of Florida; and Anthony E. Rozman, to be U.S. marshal for the eastern district of Michigan.

Committee also approved annual report of its Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on two private immigration bills: S. 2418 and 2945.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed hearings in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill. Testimony was received from Mrs. Barbara Bowman, director, and David Addlestone, both of the District of Columbia Legal Aid Agency; Arthur Cohen, on behalf of the American Civil Liberties Union; and Dr. F. Lewis Bartlett, Haverford, Pa., State Hospital.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health met in executive session to continue consideration of S. 2182, H.R. 11102, and related bills dealing with medical care facilities construction, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

AIR AND WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution began hearings on S. 3042, providing for a study of air and water pollution and other environmental effects of underground uses of nuclear energy for excavation. Testimony was received from Dr. Marvin Kalkstein, State University of New York, Stoneybrook; and Dr. John W. Gofman and Prof. Arthur R. Tamplin, both of the University of California, Berkeley.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 14840–14861; one private bill, H.R. 14862; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 986–991, H. Con. Res. 451–453, and H. Res. 710–713, were introduced. **Pages 34713–34714**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 118, to grant the consent of Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact to authorize the Secretary of the Interior and others to cooperate with the planning agency thereby created, amended (H. Rept. 91–650);

S.J. Res. 143, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases (H. Rept. 91–651);

H.R. 1728, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 91–652);

H.R. 14227, to amend section 1401a(b) of title 10, United States Code, relating to adjustments of retired pay to reflect changes in Consumer Price Index, amended (H. Rept. 91–653);

H.R. 14571, to amend the Central Intelligence Retirement Act of 1964 for Certain Employees, as amended (H. Rept. 91–654);

H.R. 12025, to provide for the more efficient development and improved management of national forest commercial forest land, to establish a high timber yield fund, amended (H. Rept. 91–655);

Conference report on H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax (H. Rept. 91–656); and

Conference report on H.R. 11612, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies (H. Rept. 91–657). Page 34713

Taft Historic Site: Agreed to the Senate amendment with an amendment to H.R. 7066, to establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action.

Pages 34620–34621

Presidential Message—World Trade: Received and read a message from the President containing recommendations for minor tariff reductions and other adjustments in foreign trade policies—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed.

Pages 34621–34624

Independent Office-HUD Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 12307, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, offices, and the Department of Housing and Urban Development for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Receded and concurred with amendment to Senate amendments numbered 5 and 14. Receded and concurred in Senate amendments numbered 34 and 50; and sent to the Senate for further action. Pages 34624–34630

Coal Mine Safety: The Speaker appointed Representatives Daniels and Ashbrook as additional conferees in the conference on S. 2917, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States. Page 34630

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 92.

Sent to the Senate amended: H.R. 1865 and H.R. 1453.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 9488, S. 564, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 3571, 10658, S. 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 11500, 12089, 1782, S. 2019, H.R. 3590, and H. Res. 533.

Further call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after calendar No. 172. Pages 34630–34632

Department of Transportation Appropriations: By a record vote of 361 yeas to 25 nays, the House passed and sent to the Senate H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

Agreed to an amendment providing that no funds will be available for airport construction in Florida until studies show such development will not be detrimental to the Everglades.

While in the Committee of the Whole, the following amendments were rejected:

An amendment to delete the $96 million for the SST program. Rejected by a division vote of 64 yeas to 126 nays.

An amendment that would restore $30 million for urban mass transit research.

A preferential motion that the Committee rise and report the bill with the enacting clause eliminated was rejected.

H. Res. 708, waiving points of order against certain portions of the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 34632–34677

Late Report: Conferees on behalf of the House received permission to file a conference report by midnight on H.R. 11612, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies. Page 34678

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL QUARANTINE STATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains held a hearing on H.R. 11832 and related bills, to provide for establishment of an international quarantine station. Testimony was heard from Representative Price of Texas and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow, to be followed by executive session.

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton held a hearing on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 14227 amended, to amend section 1401a(b) of title 10, United States Code, relating to adjustments of retired pay to reflect changes in Consumer Price Index;

H.R. 14571, to amend the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement Act of 1964 for Certain Employees, as amended; and

H. Res. 661, commending the American serviceman and veteran of Vietnam for his efforts and sacrifices. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

In addition, the committee also ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 110, to amend section 427(b) of title 37, United States Code, to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to a member of a uniformed service even though the member does not maintain a residence or household for his dependents, subject to his management and control;

H.R. 386, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service assigned to Government quarters providing he is otherwise entitled to such separation allowance;

H.R. 3813, to amend section 1331(c) of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the granting of retired pay to persons otherwise qualified who were Reserves before August 16, 1945, and who served on active duty during the so-called Berlin crisis;

H.R. 8019, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the payment of uniform allowances to certain persons originally appointed, temporarily or permanently, as commissioned or warrant officers in a regular component of the Armed Forces;

H.R. 8021, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize a dislocation allowance under certain circumstances, certain reimbursements, transportation for dependents, and travel and transportation allowances under certain circumstances;

H.R. 11265, to provide for crediting service as an aviation midshipman for purposes of retirement for nonregular service under chapter 67 of title 10, United States Code, and for pay purposes under title 37, United States Code;

H.R. 9485, amended, to remove the $10,000 limit on deposits under section 1035 of title 10, United States Code, in the case of any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict; and

H.R. 9486 amended, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict.

The committee deferred action on H.R. 11794, to authorize the extension of certain naval vessel loans now in existence and new loans.

DANGEROUS DRUGS

Select Committee on Crime: Held a hearing on dangerous drugs. Testimony was heard from Dr. Sidney Cohen, Director, Division of Narcotic Addiction and Drug Abuse, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda; Dr. David Lewis, Beth-Israel Hospital, New York; Dr. Benjamin Sheppard, American Medical Association Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse; Dr. John E. Griffith, assistant professor of psychology, Vanderbilt University, Nashville; and Dr. George E. Edison, director, Salt Lake Community Drug Crisis Center.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 concluded hearings on H.R. 9017, to permit the District of Columbia Council to make rules and regulations under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. Testimony was heard from D.C. Government and public witnesses.

EISENHOWER NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARENA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 began hearings on H.R. 10937, to authorize the construction, maintenance, and operation by the Armory Board of the District of Columbia of the Eisenhower National Memorial Arena in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Representative Broyhill of Virginia; Gilbert Hahn, Chairman, D.C. City Council; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on S. 11, H.R. 5546 and H.R. 13890, Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Bert W. Johnson, manager, Arlington County, representing the National Association of Counties, National League of Cities, and U.S. Conference of Mayors; Carl Wettengill, State Personnel Administrators' Association, Madison, Wis., and Leslie E. Westin, director, Community Service and Continuing Education, Minnesota Higher Education Coordinating Committee.

Hearings continue Thursday, November 20.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 843 and related bills, to provide for Federal standards for occupational safety and health. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education began hearings on the Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Thursday, November 20.

CHEMICAL-BIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments began hearings on pending resolutions urging the President to resubmit to the Senate for ratification the Geneva Protocol of 1925 banning the first-use of gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fraser, Dellenback, and McCarthy.

Hearings continue Thursday, November 20.

INDONESIA BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session with His Excellency Adam Malik, Foreign Minister of Indonesia.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

OIL AND GAS LEASES—SALE OF RESERVED PHOSPHATE INTERESTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining, in executive session, approved for full committee action S. 1193 amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to prevent terminations of oil and gas leases in cases where there is a nominal deficiency in the rental payment, and to authorize him to reinstate under some conditions oil and gas leases terminated by operation of law for failure to pay rental timely; and H.R. 9882, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to sell reserved phosphate interests of the United States in certain lands in Florida to the record owners of the surface thereof (Highland Co., Florida).

The subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 9882 and heard testimony from Representative Haley and departmental witnesses.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on all bills pertaining to the Investment Company Act amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power began hearings on H.R. 420 and about 20 identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from Representative Wydler and FCC witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare began hearings on H.R. 14617 and related bills, community mental health and retardation extension. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAHOE REGIONAL PLANNING COMPACT—COPYRIGHT PROTECTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S.J. Res. 143, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases; and S. 118, amended, to grant the consent of Congress to the Tahoe Regional Planning Compact and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior and others to cooperate with the planning agency thereby created.

MARINE RESOURCES AND ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1966

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13247 amended, to amend the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 to establish a comprehensive and long-range national program of research, development, technical services, exploration and utilization with respect to our marine and atmospheric environment.

PACIFIC MARINE FISHERIES COMPACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13407, to consent to the amendment of the Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact. The subcommittee also considered H.R. 12475 but took no action on it.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 3 hours of debate, and it shall be in order to consider without the intervention of a point of order the text of the bill H.R. 12695 as an amendment to H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminatory use of tests and devices.

In executive session, the motion to reconsider H.R. 8298, the water carrier mixing rule, failed.

BIOSATELLITE PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications concluded hearings on the future of the biosatellite program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lamont Cole, Cornell University Ecologist; Prof. Loren D. Carlson, chairman, Division of Medical Sciences, school of medicine, University of California at Davis; and Prof. Donald Farner, chairman, department of zoology, University of Washington, Seattle.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development began hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Dr. William D. McElroy, Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings continue Monday, November 24.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement began hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MARIHUANA TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 14799, to eliminate the provision permitting payment of tax to acquire marihuana by unregistered persons, and for other related purposes.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC ENERGY ACT AMENDMENTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting to the Senate and House, respectively, original bills proposing sundry amendments to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954. Language for inclusion in this original bill consists of modified versions of S. 1878, 1879, and 1882, bills setting penalties for unauthorized use or diversion of nuclear material, and H.R. 12697, extending compulsory patent licensing authority of AEC.

NUCLEAR POWERPLANTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began hearings concerning prelicensing review of nuclear powerplants from the standpoint of competitive and environmental effects (S. 212, 1883, 2768, H.R. 8289, and 9647), receiving testimony from AEC Commissioner James T. Ramey.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

A. ERNEST FITZGERALD

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued hearings into the dismissal by the Air Force of A. Ernest Fitzgerald, Deputy for Management Systems, USAF. Testimony was received from Secretary Robert C. Seamans, Jr., and Assistant Secretary for Financial Management Spencer J. Schedler, both of the Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12829, proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act. As agreed by the conferees, the House would agree to the Senate amendments to this bill.

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.

Wednesday, November 19, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 34793–34842

Bills Introduced: Five bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3151–3155; S.J. Res. 165; and S. Res. 286–288. **Pages 34797–34803**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 272, authorizing additional expenditures by the Internal Security Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 91–540);

S. Res. 281, to print 1,500 additional copies of the Senate committee report on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969 (S. Rept. 91–541);

S. Res. 284, authorizing additional $75,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce (S. Rept. 91–542);

S. Con. Res. 44, to print as a Senate document manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies: Cases and Selected Readings" (S. Rept. 91–543);

S. Con. Res. 46, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Handbook for Small Business" (S. Rept. 91–544);

H.R. 13949, providing electrical and mechanical equipment for use in offices of Members of the House and in House committees (S. Rept. 91–545);

H.R. 14195, proposed Federal Contested Election Act of 1965 (S. Rept. 91–546);

S. 1421, removing statutory limitation of $16,000 annually for the salary of the Director of the D.C. Legal Aid Agency (S. Rept. 91–547);

S. 2602, proposed District of Columbia Public Defender Act of 1969 (S. Rept. 91–548); and

S. Res. 286–288, providing for payment of gratuities to survivors of three deceased Senate employees (no written reports). Pages 34797–34803

Bills Referred: H.R. 14794, Department of Transportation appropriations, was referred to Committee on Appropriations; and two private bills, H.R. 1453 and 1865, were referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Page 34843

Measures Cleared for President:

Johnson Historic Site: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. 2000, to establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site in Gillespie County, Tex. Page 34795

Eisenhower Historic Site: Senate agreed to the House amendments to S.J. Res. 26, to develop the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg. Page 34795

Taft Historic Site: Senate agreed to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 7066, to establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati. Page 34795

Private bills: Senate agreed to the House amendments to S. 499, 632, and 757, private bills. Pages 34841–34842

Draft reform: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 14001, to authorize the President to effect a change in the method of selection of inductees into the Armed Forces. Pages 34828–34837

Gun Control: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) and cleared for the House S. 849, to strengthen the penalty provisions of the Gun Control Act of 1968. Pages 34838–34840

Interstate Compact: Senate passed with a committee amendment and cleared for the House S. 2734, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York railroad passenger transportation compact. Pages 34840–34841

Supreme Court Nomination: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Pages 34825–34828, 34843–34869

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11612, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies. Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 12, an amendment of a technical nature. This action cleared the measure for the President. Pages 34869–34876

Senate Authorizations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Secretary of Senate be authorized, during adjournment of the Senate until noon tomorrow, to receive and appropriately refer messages from the House of Representatives; and during that same period the Vice President, President pro tempore, or Acting President pro tempore may be permitted to sign duly enrolled bills and resolutions. Page 34880

Military Procurement—Closed-Session Proceedings: Senate agreed to request that the expurgated transcript of Senate proceedings in closed session on July 17, 1969, prepared under the direction of Senator Stennis, chairman of the Committee on Armed Services, be published in permanent Record of that date.

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Robert C. Gresham, of Maryland, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; and Caspar W. Weinberger, of California, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner. Page 34880

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Thomas Laughlin, Deputy Commissioner, Medical Services Administration; Stephen P. Simonds, Commissioner, Community Services Administration; Edward Newman, Commissioner, Rehabilitation Services Administration; Dr. Arthur J. Lesser, Director, Office of Child Health; John B. Martin, Commissioner, Administration on Aging; and Judge Frank A. Orlando, Director, Office of Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Development, all of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INSURANCE INSOLVENCY PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2236, to create a Federal Insurance Guaranty Corporation to protect the American public against certain insurance company insolvencies, having as its witnesses T. Lawrence Jones, president, American Insurance Association, who was accompanied by his associates; Lorne R. Worthington, Iowa State Insurance Commission, representing the National Association of Insurance Commissioners; and Charles L. Rue, Jr., National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. TEACHERS' SALARIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held and concluded hearings on an amendment for teacher salary increases to S. 2694, providing salary increases for D.C. police and firemen. Testimony was received from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner, who was accompanied by Thomas Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner, Tom Moyer, Donald Weinberg, and James Mandish, all of the D.C. government; Bruce Terris, D.C. Democratic Committee; Joseph P. Yeldell, D.C. Councilman; Benjamin Henley, Acting Superintendent, D.C. schools; Mrs. Anita Ford Allen, D.C. Board of Education; Don Goodloe, representing the Washington Teachers Union; Theodore R. Newman, Jr., D.C. Republican Committee; John L. Sullivan, Policemen's Association of D.C.; and Capt. Joseph Granados and Albert Rader, both of the Fire Fighters Association.

VETERANS' HOME LOANS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Veterans' Legislation held and concluded hearings on S. 3008, to increase the availability of guaranteed home loan financing for veterans, and to increase the income of the NSLI fund. Testimony was received from Senator Yarborough; Paul A. Volcker, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs, who was accompanied by Veterans' Administration officials; Larry Blackmon, National Association of Home Builders; Harold A. Pollman, Home Builders Association of Texas; Graham T. Northup, Mortgage Bankers Association; and Frank Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird on U.S. Government policy in Vietnam.

SALT TALKS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization and Disarmament Affairs met in executive session to receive an administration briefing concerning strategic arms limitations talks.

BLACK MARKET CURRENCY

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the black market in currency in South Vietnam. Witnesses were Sgt. Albert Chang, U.S. Army; Brandon H. Backlund, Omaha; Dr. Gabriel Kerekes, New York City; and L. J. Duffy, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONTINENTAL SHELF

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Special Subcommittee on Outer Continental Shelf met in executive session to discuss Outer Continental Shelf policy with officials of various Federal agencies. Testimony was received from Russell E. Train, Under Secretary, Boyd H. Gibbons, Deputy Under Secretary, and William T. Pecora, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, all of the Department of the Interior; David W. K. Peacock, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce; John R. Stevenson, legal adviser, Department of State; Leigh S. Ratiner, and Capt. James E. Heg, both of the Department of Defense; Vice Adm. Paul E. Trimble, Assistant Commandant of the Coast Guard; and Charles Maechling, Jr., Deputy General Counsel, National Science Foundation.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MENTALLY ILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued hearings in connection with constitutional rights of the mentally ill. Testimony was received from Francis M. Shea, District of Columbia Judicial Conference; Bruce Ennis, American Civil Liberties Union; Prof. Stephen N. Rosenberg, Georgetown University; and Dr. Harold Kaufman, St. Elizabeths Hospital.

Hearings continue on Thursday, December 4.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 2182, authorizing funds for construction and modernization of hospital and other medical facilities.

AIR AND WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 3042, providing for a study of air and water pollution and other environmental effects of underground uses of nuclear energy for excavation. Testimony was received from Dr. Edward Radford, Johns Hopkins University; and Dr. Cyril L. Comar, Cornell University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills and resolutions:

H.R. 14195, proposed Federal Contested Election Act of 1965;

H.R. 13949, providing electrical and mechanical equipment for use in offices of Members of the House and in House committees;

S. Res. 272, authorizing additional expenditures by the Internal Security Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 284, authorizing additional $75,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce;

S. Con. Res. 44, to print as a Senate document manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies: Cases and Selected Readings";

S. Con. Res. 46, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Handbook for Small Business";

S. Res. 281, to print 1,500 additional copies of Senate committee report on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969; and

Three original resolutions providing for payment of gratuities to survivors of three deceased Senate employees.

Committee also approved the issuance of revised Senate Travel Regulations, and considered other pending administrative matters.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 14863–14890; two private bills, H.R. 14891 and 14892; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 992 and 993, H. Con. Res. 454 and 455, and H. Res. 714–720, were introduced. Pages 34981–34982

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 714, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4249) to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminatory use of tests and devices (H. Rept. 91–658); and

H.R. 14517, to provide temporary authority to expedite procedures for consideration and approval of projects drawing upon more than one Federal assistance program, to simplify requirements for the operation of those projects (H. Rept. 91–659). Page 34981

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 34882

Appalachian Development: Agreed to the conference report on S. 1072, to provide for the renewal and extension of title V of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, clearing the measure for the President. Pages 34882–34890

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Government Procurement of the Select Committee on Small Business received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 34882

Agriculture Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 11612, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Receded and concurred with amendment to Senate amendment No. 12. By a record vote of 214 yeas to 172 nays, agreed to move the previous question.

Rejected a motion to recommit the report to the committee of conference by a voice vote.

Pages 34890–34900

Medical Library Assistance Act: House disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 11702, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve and extend the provisions relating to assistance to medical libraries and related instrumentalities, and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Rogers of Florida, Springer, and Carter. Page 34904

Interest Equalization Tax: By a record vote of 334 yeas to 47 nays, House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 12829, to provide an extension of the interest equalization tax, and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 34900–34904

Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 34904

Foreign Aid: Concluded all general debate on H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic, social, and political institutions. The first title of the bill was read and open for amendment at any point when the Committee of the Whole rose. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue tomorrow.

H. Res. 707, the rule under which the measure was considered, was agreed to earlier. Pages 34904–34939

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:10 p. m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL QUARANTINE STATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains, in executive session, approved for full committee action H.R. 11832 amended, to provide for the establishment of an international quarantine station.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 11832 and heard testimony from one public witness.

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton continued hearings on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, November 25.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session to review Camp Lejeune draft report and other reports.

EISENHOWER NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARENA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 10937, to authorize the construction, maintenance, and operation by the Armory Board of the District of Columbia of the Eisenhower National Memorial Arena in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Dr. Leslie Glasgow, Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Parks, and Marine Resources, Department of Interior, and public witnesses.

UNITED STATES-RHODESIAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa continued hearings on United States-Rhodesian relations. Testimony was heard from Hon. Dean Acheson, former Secretary of State; Hon. G. Mennen Williams, former Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; and Dr. Fred Burke, dean, State University of New York.

U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments met in executive session and approved for full committee action H. Con. Res. 454, calling for the humane treatment and release of American prisoners of war held by North Vietnam and the National Liberation Front.

COMMISSION ON POPULATION GROWTH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization began hearings on S. 2701 and related House bills, to create a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dwyer, Udall, Daddario, and Mosher; Lewis H. Butler, Assistant Secretary, HEW; and John D. Rockefeller III, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session on pending business.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on all bills pertaining to the Investment Company Act amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from Representative Rarick and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 14617 and related bills, community mental health extension. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 concluded hearings on use of nonimmigrant visas under section 101(a)(15)(H) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from William R. Hinchman, vice president, International Department, Chase Manhattan Bank; and Kenneth Meikeljohn, Department of Legislation, AFL–CIO.

GREAT SEAL OF UNITED STATES—PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS WAIVER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 14587 and H.R. 14645, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to prohibit certain uses of likenesses of the great seal of the United States, and of the seals of the President and Vice President; also H.R. 10068, to amend the act of April 29, 1941, to authorize the waiving of the requirement of performance and payment bonds in connection with certain contracts entered into by the Secretary of Commerce. Testimony was heard from Herbert E. Hoffman, Chief, Legal and Legislative Section, Office of the Deputy Attorney General; and Dr. Richardson Dougall, Deputy Director, Historical Office, Department of State on H.R. 14645 and H.R. 14587. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Poff. Testimony on H.R. 10068 was heard from Robert J. Blackwell, Deputy Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce, and Norton Schwartz, attorney, General Accounting Office.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was

heard from Hon. Tim Murphy, judge, D.C. court of general sessions; Jerry Wilson, Chief, metropolitan Police Department; Herbert J. Miller, Esq., Washington, D.C.; and David Robinson, professor, Law School, George Washington University.

UNSOLICITED CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 13244 and H.R. 14346, unsolicited credit cards. Testimony was heard from Jerome Gulan, legislative director, National Federation of Independent Business, Inc.; Robert Meade, Legislative Director, Office of Special Assistant to the President on Consumer Affairs; David Nelson, General Counsel, Post Office Department; and William J. Cotter, Chief Postal Inspector.

POTOMAC BASIN COMPACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors concluded hearings on H.J. Res. 30 and H.J. Res. 319, granting the consent of Congress to the States of Maryland and West Virginia and the Commonwealths of Virginia and Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia, as signatory bodies, for certain amendments to the compact creating the Potomac Valley Conservancy District and establishing the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin. Testimony was heard from David D. Dominick, Commissioner, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration and departmental and public witnesses.

VIETNAM RESOLUTION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing for the consideration of, and 4 hours of debate on, H. Res. 613, toward peace with justice in Vietnam. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hays, Adair, Wright, Mink, Fraser, Rosenthal, Hathaway, Adams, and Lowenstein.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Rules: Granted on open rule, waiving points of order against committee amendments and section 6, providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on, H.R. 14741, to amend title 23, United States Code, to revise the next due date for the cost estimate for the Interstate System to amend chapter 4 relating to highway safety. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kluczynski and Cramer.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Departments of the Army and Navy and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session for continued consideration of social security and welfare legislation. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue on Tuesday, December 2.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR POWERPLANTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings concerning prelicensing review of nuclear powerplants from the standpoint of competitive and environmental effects (S. 212, 1883, 2768, H.R. 8289, and 9647), receiving testimony from Carl L. Klein, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water Quality and Research; and Joseph F. Hennessey, General Counsel, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35052–35120

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3156–3165; and S. Res. 289.

Pages 35052–35053

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Judiciary subcommittee entitled "Separation of Powers," with individual views (S. Rept. 91–549);

S. 2566, private bill (S. Rept. 91–550); and

S. 1232, to provide for State management of fish and wildlife on Federal lands (S. Rept. 91–551). Page 35052

Interest Equalization Tax: Senate agreed to the conference report and cleared for the President H.R. 12829, to extend the interest equalization tax, and to repeal certain ammunition registration requirements.

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Indians: Senate agreed to the House amendment and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 121, authorizing funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity. Page 35067

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 13 bills, of which three were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Immigration: H.R. 3666, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with regard to taking of oath of allegiance;

Standard reference data: H.R. 4284, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act;

House of Representatives equipment: H.R. 13949, providing electrical and mechanical equipment for use in offices of Members of the House and in House committees; and

House contested elections: H.R. 14195, revising laws governing contested elections in the House of Representatives.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Commerce Department studies: S. 1170, to authorize special studies by the Department of Commerce;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 44, to print as a Senate document manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies: Cases and Selected Readings"; and

Printing: S. Con. Res. 46, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Handbook for Small Business."

Resolutions agreed to:

Committee funds: S. Res. 272, authorizing additional expenditures by the Internal Security Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee funds: S. Res. 284, authorizing additional $75,000 for operating funds for Committee on Commerce;

Printing: S. Res. 281, to print (when filed) 1,500 additional copies of the Senate committee report on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 286–288, providing for payment of gratuities to survivors of three Senate employees.

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Supreme Court Nomination: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Under previous unanimous-consent agreement, Senate will proceed to vote on this nomination at 1 p.m. on Friday, November 21. It was further agreed today that when Senate convenes tomorrow at 11 a.m., there be 30 minutes of routine business, at end of which time until 1 p.m., time shall be equally divided and controlled between the majority and minority leaders. Pages 35120–35178

Authority To Report: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that following adjournment of the Senate today until midnight tonight, all committees be authorized to file reports, with individual, minority, supplemental, or additional views. Page 35178

Confirmations: Senate confirmed a list of Coast Guard nominations. Page 35178

Nominations: Senate received sundry Army nominations. Page 35178

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on S. 2225, to strengthen voluntary agricultural organizations, and to provide for the orderly marketing of agricultural products. Testimony was received from David W. Angevine, Administrator, Farmer Cooperative Service, USDA; Allen A. Lauterbach, American Farm Bureau Federation; Kenneth Hood, American Agricultural Marketing Association; Dan Hall, Agricultural Marketing Association of Alabama, Montgomery; Ralph Gillmor Ohio Agricultural Marketing Association, Columbus; George Webster, New Jersey Agricultural Marketing Association Cooperative, Glassboro; Robert L. Brenneman, Indiana Agricultural Marketing Association, Indianapolis; Harry L. Graham, National Farmers Organization; and A. D. Osgood, Erie, Mich.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Dr. James F. Garrett, Assistant Administrator, Office of Research, Demonstration, and Training, Miss Mary E. Switzer, Administrator, and John D. Twiname, Deputy Administrator, all of the Social and Rehabilitation Service; and Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, and J. Deane Gannon, Director, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions, both of the Social Security Administration, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INSURANCE INSOLVENCY PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings on S. 2236, to create a Federal Insurance Guaranty Corporation to protect the American public against certain insurance company insolvencies, having as its witnesses John Yolton, United Auto Workers; Mrs. Erma Angevine, Consumer Federation of America; James A. Bailey, representing the American Society of Insurance Management; and Richard Bloom, president, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. JUVENILE COURT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee concluded hearings on S. 2981, to revise the laws of the D.C. on juvenile court proceedings. Testimony was re-

ceived from Alexander Hawes, Committee on the Administration of Justice; William Robinson, Assistant Corporation Counsel, accompanied by Norma Holloway, Deputy Police Chief Boyd T. Willard, William C. McKinney, and Albert S. Povich, all of the D.C. Government; Winifred G. Thompson, Director, D.C. Department of Public Welfare; Chief Judge Morris Miller, Judge Orman W. Ketcham, and Judge John D. Fauntleroy, all of the D.C. Juvenile Court; James Heller, National Capital Area Civil Liberties Union; Sarel Kandell; and Prof. Elyce Z. Ferster, George Washington University Law Center.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met to hear New York Gov. Nelson Rockefeller discuss his recent report on United States-Latin American relations.

BLACK MARKET CURRENCY

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the black market in currency in South Vietnam. Testimony was received from Carmine Bellino, CPA, consultant to the subcommittee; Frederick J. Asselin, special assistant to Senator Ribicoff; and L. J. Duffy, a member of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALASKA NATIVE LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call of the Chair.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 30, Organized Crime Control Act of 1969.

POSTAL REFORM, SUPERGRADES, AND D.C. JUDGES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

An original bill to adjust the salaries of D.C. judges; and

S. 2325, authorizing Civil Service Commission to establish additional supergrade positions, with an amendment to establish eight such positions in the Smithsonian Institution.

Also, committee announced that it will give further consideration to proposals for postal pay and postal reorganization legislation, with the hope that such legislation will be approved by the committee during this session of the Congress.

AIR AND WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 3042, providing for a study of air and water pollution and other environmental effects of underground uses of nuclear energy for excavation. Testimony was received from Dr. Robert Platt, department of biology, Emory University, Atlanta; and Dr. Lamont Cole, professor of ecology, Cornell University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

ELDERLY MEXICAN-AMERICANS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee resumed its hearings regarding the availability and usefulness of Federal programs and services to elderly Mexican-Americans. Testimony was received from Howard Cohen, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Legislation, accompanied by Byron Gold, and Gilbert Sanchez; Thomas C. Parrott, Assistant Commissioner for Field Operations, Social Security Administration, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; William Bechill, former commissioner, Administration on Aging, HEW, and Dennis Fargas, former director, Office for Spanish-Surnamed Americans, HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 14893–14936; two private bills, H.R. 14937 and 14938; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 994–996 and H. Res. 721–724, were introduced. **Pages 35274–35275**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 721, providing for the consideration of the bill H.R. 14741, to amend title 23 of the United States Code to revise the next due date for the cost estimate for the Interstate System, to amend chapter 4 relating to highway safety (H. Rept. 91–660);

H. Res. 722, providing for the consideration of the resolution H. Res. 613, toward peace with justice in Vietnam (H. Rept. 91–661);

H.R. 110, to amend section 427(b) of title 37, United States Code, to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to a member of a uniformed service even though the member does not maintain a residence or household for his dependents, subject to his management and control (H. Rept. 91–662);

H.R. 386, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service assigned to Government quarters providing he is otherwise entitled to such separation allowance (H. Rept. 91–663);

H.R. 3813, to amend section 1331(c) of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the granting of retired pay to persons otherwise qualified who were Reserves before August 16, 1945, and who served on active duty during the so-called Berlin crisis (H. Rept. 91–664);

H.R. 6006, to amend section 710(f) of title 32, United States Code, to permit certain commissioned officers of the Army or Air Force, or National Guard, to act as inspecting officers, amended (H. Rept. 91–665);

H.R. 6265, to amend title 24, United States Code, to provide that a headstone or marker be furnished at Government expense for the unmarked grave of any Medal of Honor recipient (H. Rept. 91–666);

H.R. 8019, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the payment of uniform allowances to certain persons originally appointed temporarily or permanently, as commissioned or warrant officers in a regular component of the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 91–667);

H.R. 8021, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize a dislocation allowance under certain circumstances, certain reimbursements, transportation for dependents, and travel and transportation allowances under certain circumstances (H. Rept. 91–668);

H.R. 9052, to amend section 716, title 10, United States Code, to authorize the interservice transfers of officers of the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 91–669);

H.R. 9485, to remove the $10,000 limit on deposits under section 1035 of title 10, United States Code, in the case of any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict, amended (H. Rept. 91–670);

H.R. 9486, to amend title 37 of the United States Code, to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict, amended (H. Rept. 91–671);

H.R. 11265, to provide for crediting as an aviation midshipman for purposes of retirement for nonregular service under chapter 67 of title 10, United States Code, and for pay purposes under title 37, United States Code (H. Rept. 91–672);

H.R. 14118, to amend section 213 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, amended (H. Rept. 91–673);

H.R. 4574, to provide for the admission to the United States of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands (H. Rept. 91–674);

H. Res. 661, commending the American serviceman and veteran of Vietnam for his efforts and sacrifices (H. Rept. 91–675);

H.R. 12941, to authorize the release of 4,180,000 pounds of cadmium from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile (H. Rept. 91–676);

H.R. 11193, to authorize a Federal contribution for the effectuation of a transit development program for the National Capital region, and to further the objectives of the National Capital Transportation Act of 1965 (79 Stat. 663) and Public Law 89–774 (80 Stat. 1324), amended (H. Rept. 91–677);

H.R. 13756, to amend titles 10, 32, and 37, United States Code, with respect to accountability and responsibility for U.S. property (H. Rept. 91–678);

Conference report on H.R. 13018, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 91–679); and

H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities, chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–680). Pages 35273–35274

Member Sworn: Representative Roe, of New Jersey, presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Late Reports: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on District of Columbia appropriations. Committee on the District of Columbia received permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday. Page 35179

Wildlife Endangered Species: Cleared for the President H.R. 11363, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States; to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law, by agreeing to the Senate amendments thereto.

Pages 35180–35183

Foreign Aid Authorization: By a record vote of 176 yeas to 163 nays, with 4 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic, economic, social, and political institutions.

By a record vote of 185 yeas to 157 nays, with one voting "present," House recommitted the bill with instructions to report it back forthwith with an amendment to reduce development loan funds by $50 million for each year of the program. The same amendment by Representative Adair was rejected earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 51 yeas to 54 nays.

On a demand for a separate vote on the Sikes amendment, House agreed to the amendment by a record vote of 175 yeas to 170 nays (provides an additional $54.5 million for military assistance for the Republic of China), agreed to earlier while in the Committee of the Whole.

Agreed to the following amendments:

A series of technical amendments.

An amendment adding a provision stating that one of the objectives of the technical assistance program is

to encourage the development and strengthening of free and democratic trade unions.

An amendment adding the provision that loans for social and economic development projects must be consistent with the recommendations of the periodic Inter-American Conference of Labor Ministers.

An amendment reducing from 35 to 20 the number of supergrade positions in the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

An amendment striking provisions of the bill applying to guarantees against loss from investments of institutions engaged directly or indirectly in programs seeking to mobilize local savings for financing housing projects and community facilities.

An amendment reducing from $100 million to $75 million family planning funds for fiscal year 1970 and authorizing $100 million for fiscal year 1971.

Three amendments extending the authorization from 1 to 2 years on financial support of American schools and hospitals abroad, Indusbasin development, and the contingency fund.

An amendment prohibiting funds appropriated to the Office of Saline Water to be used to develop the prototype desalting plant.

An amendment to extend authorization for military assistance to fiscal year 1971.

An amendment limiting the increase in military assistance to any country to 20 percent.

An amendment to extend authorization for administrative expenses to fiscal year 1971.

An amendment prohibiting assistance to countries that engage in armed conflict against the United States or furnish supplies or food or any assistance to a country with which the United States is engaged in armed conflict.

An amendment including free trade union development in the Inter-American Social Development Institute.

Rejected the following amendments:

A substitute to the Adair amendment, to reduce development loan funds by $175 million each year of the program (rejected by a division vote of 38 yeas to 53 nays).

An amendment to reduce from 2 years to 1 year the supporting assistance program.

A substitute amendment for the above amendment to reduce from $414,600,000 to $104,150,000 funds for the supporting assistance program (rejected by a division vote of 26 yeas to 54 nays).

An amendment to limit to 10 percent of the capitalization of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation the total amount which could be loaned to one firm.

A substitute amendment to the above amendment to strike provisions creating the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (rejected by a division vote of 24 yeas to 48 nays).

An amendment to encourage developing countries to develop raw material sources and supplies and to prohibit sanctions against countries supplying raw materials to the United States without the express approval of Congress (rejected by a division vote of 25 yeas to 45 nays).

An amendment to strike the provision authorizing U.S. participation in development of a water desalting plant in Israel.

An amendment regarding the returning of Okinawa to Japan—to require the President to consult with appropriate committees of Congress, and secure from Japan an agreement that Japan would take a larger role in defense and economic assistance to free countries in the Far East (rejected by a division vote of 24 yeas to 51 nays).

An amendment to remove all sanctions against the Republic of Rhodesia, and recognize the sovereignty and independence of that nation.

An amendment to reduce by $304 million funds for emergency and supporting assistance.

An amendment to prohibit funding of the bill until our national debt is reduced by at least $5 billion.

An amendment to prohibit assistance under this authorization to any nation trading with North Vietnam.

An amendment designed to deter air hijacking.

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State Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12964, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970; and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Rooney of New York, Sikes, Slack, Smith of Iowa, Flynt, Mahon, Bow, Lipscomb, Cederberg, and Andrews of North Dakota.

Pages 35231–35232

Late Reports: Committee on Education and Labor received permission to file a report by midnight Saturday, November 22, on H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964; and the Committee on Armed Services received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, November 21, on H.R. 944, to increase rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized military personnel. Page 35232

Military Construction Authorization: Considered by unanimous consent, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 13018, to authorize certain construction at military installations, and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 35232–35243

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 26.

Pages 35243–35244

Receive and Sign: Authority was granted for the Speaker and Clerk of the House to receive messages and sign enrolled bills, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House from Thursday, November 20, until Monday, November 24. Page 35244

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file a report by midnight Friday, November 21, on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports. Page 35244

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 35272

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains held a hearing on the feed grains program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the District of Columbia for fiscal year 1970.

CADMIUM RELEASE AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 12941, to authorize the release of 4,180,000 pounds of cadmium from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile. Testimony was heard from Representative Broomfield and General Services Administration and public witnesses.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6006, amended, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers under section 710(f) of title 32, United States Code;

H.R. 9654, to authorize subsistence, without charge, to certain air evacuation patients;

H.R. 13756, to amend titles 10, 32, and 37, United States Code, with respect to accountability and responsibility for U.S. property;

H.R. 944, amended, to amend section 404(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel;

H.R. 8022, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize travel, transportation, and education allowances to certain members of the uniformed services for dependents' schooling;

H.R. 9052, to amend section 716 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the interservice transfers of the Coast Guard;

H.R. 6265, provides that a headstone or marker be furnished at Government expense for the unmarked grave of any Medal of Honor recipient; and

H.R. 12941, to authorize the release of 4,180,000 pounds of cadmium from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile.

NATIONAL CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION ACT—EYE PROTECTIVE DEVICES IN SCHOOLS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11193, amended, to authorize a Federal contribution for the effectuation of a transit development program for the National Capital region, and to further the objectives of the National Capital Transportation Act of 1965; and H.R. 9528, amended, to require students and teachers in the District of Columbia public schools to wear protective devices for their eyes while engaged in certain activities in those schools.

NATIONAL CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11193, amended (title above).

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on S. 11, H.R. 5546, and H.R. 13890, Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Solomon Hoberman, personnel director, city of New York, and George Basich, National Governors' Conference.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, December 1.

CHEMICAL-BIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on pending resolutions urging the President to resubmit to the Senate for ratification the Geneva Protocol of 1925 banning the first use of gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Dr. Ivan Bennett, director, New York University Medical Center; and George Bunn, visiting professor of law, school of law, University of Wisconsin.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs met in executive session to consider several reports but took no final action.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations began hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Charles M. Bailey, Director, Defense Division, General Accounting Office; and Gen. Frank S. Besson, Jr., Chairman, Joint Logistics Review Board.

Hearings continue Tuesday, November 25.

COMMISSION ON POPULATION GROWTH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on S. 2701 and related House bills, to create a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future. Testimony was heard from Representative Scheuer and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on and approved for full committee action the following bills:

S. 1108, to waive the acreage limitations of sec. 1(b) of the act of June 14, 1926, as amended, with respect to conveyance of lands to the State of Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park;

H.R. 2012 amended, a private bill to amend the act of October 25, 1949, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to convey a tract of land to Lillian I. Anderson;

H.R. 2036 amended, a private bill to remove a cloud on the titles of certain property, all located in Malin, Oreg.;

H.R. 3908 amended, a private bill for the relief of Elizabeth R. Borgnino; and

H.R. 5365, a private bill to provide for the conveyance of certain public land held under color of title to Mrs. Jessie L. Gaines of Mobile, Ala. Testimony was heard from Representatives Baring and Steiger of Arizona, and departmental witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Ullman, Cohelan, and Edwards of Alabama.

DEFENSE FACILITIES AND INDUSTRIAL SECURITY

Committee on Internal Security: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill, H.R. 14864, in lieu of H.R. 12699, the Defense Facilities and Industrial Security Act of 1969.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on all bills pertaining to the Investment Company Act amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on all bills relating to railroad passenger train service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 14617 and related bills, community mental health extension. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session on pending legislation but took no action.

BAIL REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on H.R. 12806 and related bills, to amend the Bail Reform Act of 1966. Testimony was heard from Representative Mikva; Sheldon H. Elsen, Esquire, chairman, Committee on Federal Legislation, the Association of the Bar of the city of New York; Maj. Gen. Charles L. Decker, director, national defender project, National Legal Aid and Defender Association, Washington, D.C.; and David Marlin, District Democratic Central Committee, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, resumed hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from ITT officials Harold S. Geneen, chairman and president; Hart Perry, executive vice president—finance; and Stanley Luke, senior vice president.

PANAMA CANAL BRIEFING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal met in executive session for briefing by State Department representatives on proposed treaties between the United States and Panama and a progress report on canal studies.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform.

FEDERAL PROTECTION OF U.S. SHORES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors held a hearing on H.R. 12712 and related bills, pertaining to Federal participation in the cost of protecting the shores of the United States, its territories, and possessions to include privately owned property. Testimony was heard from Representatives Schadeberg, Minshall, Vanik, Stanton, Ruppe, and Matsunaga. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Chappell, Hutchinson, Jones of North Carolina, and Casey.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization continued hearings with testimony from Representatives Brown of Michigan, Brooks, Conable, Coughlin, Findley, Hathaway, Leggett, Schwengel, Smith of Iowa, and Steiger of Wisconsin. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Van Deerlin.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Departments of the Army and Air Force witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR POWERPLANTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings concerning prelicensing review of nuclear powerplants from the standpoint of competitive and environmental effects (S. 212, 1883, 2768, H.R. 8289, and 9647), receiving testimony from S. David Freeman, Director, Energy Policy Staff, Office of Science and Technology; and Walter B. Comegys, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2917, proposed Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.

AIR POLLUTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35326–35368

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3166–3174. Page 35334

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969 with an amendment, together with individual and separate views (S. Rept. 91–552). Page 35334

D.C. Legal Aid Agency: Senate took from the calendar, passed without amendments, and cleared for House action S. 1421, removing statutory limitation of $16,000 annually for the salary of the Director of the D.C. Legal Aid Agency. Page 35327

D.C. Public Defender Act: Senate took from the calendar, passed with committee amendments, and cleared for the House S. 2602, proposed District of Columbia Public Defender Act of 1969. Page 35327

Military Construction Authorizations: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 13018, fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 35329–35330

Supreme Court Nomination: By a vote of 45 yeas to 55 nays, Senate rejected the nomination of Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., of South Carolina, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Pages 35368–35398

Taxation of National Banks: Senate passed with committee amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Bennett, and Tower. Pages 35395, 35398–35404

Medical Libraries: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 11702, proposed Medical Library Assistance Ex-

tension Act of 1969, agreed to conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Nelson, Eagleton, Cranston, Hughes, Dominick, Javits, Murphy, Prouty, and Saxbe. Page 35404

Authority To Report: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that following adjournment of the Senate today until 11 a.m. Monday, November 24, all committees be authorized to file reports, together with minority and individual views. Page 35406

Tax Reform: Senate laid down and made its pending business H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969. Pages 35404–35406

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony on behalf of funds for special institutions under the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare from James B. Cardwell, deputy assistant secretary, budget, American Printing House for the Blind; Dr. Robert Frisina, vice president, National Technical Institute for the Deaf; Dr. Edward C. Merrill, Jr., president, Gallaudet College; Dr. James E. Cheek, president, Howard University; and Dr. Charles E. Burbridge, superintendent, Freedmen's Hospital; and on funds for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting from John W. Macy, Jr., president, and William G. Harley, National Association of Educational Broadcasters.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 24, on funds for HEW departmental management.

SUBOCEANIC LANDS

Committee on Commerce: Special Subcommittee To Study the United Nations' Suboceanic Lands Policy resumed hearings and received testimony from Wilbert Chapman, director, Marine Resources, Ralston Purina Co., San Diego.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS, VIETNAM, AND FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Lewis Hoffacker, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Cameroon, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea; and Sam Harry Wright, of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. representative on the Trusteeship Council of the United Nations. Prior to this action, Mr. Hoffacker was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Also, committee agreed to hold hearings, on a date as yet unannounced, on several pending resolutions relating to U.S. policy in Vietnam (S. 3000, S. Con. Res. 39, 40, 42, and S. Res. 268, 271, and 275).

Committee announced that it will begin executive consideration of foreign aid authorizations legislation on Monday, December 1.

BLACK MARKET CURRENCY

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the black market in currency in South Vietnam. Testimony was received from Fernando F. Cunha and Tristan Beplat, both of Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans, Scottsdale, Ariz.; and Sgts. James D. Givens, Billy J. Dugger, and Ted Dickerson, all of the Army.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969. Testimony was received from George D. Clayton, executive secretary, American Industrial Hygiene Association; Thomas E. Boyle, president, International Chemical Workers Union; Jerome B. Gordon, president, Delphic Systems and Research Corp.; Hawey A. Wells, Uniontown Hospital, Pennsylvania; and Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 24.

VIETNAM VETERANS MEDICAL CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs began hearings on medical care for Vietnam veterans, with testimony from Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, accompanied by Dr. H. Martin Engle, Department of Medicine and Surgery, and other VA officials; Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health and Scientific Affairs; and Dr. E. James Liberman, consultant, National Institute of Mental Health, testifying as a private citizen.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 25.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Retirement Subcommittee began hearings on S. 2988 and 1629, relating to retirement benefits for air traffic controllers. Testimony was received from John H. Shaffer, Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; Andrew E. Ruddock, Director, Bureau of Retirement, Insurance, and Occupational Health, Civil Service Commission; James Hill, Air Traffic Control Association; and F. Lee Bailey, Professional Air Traffic Controllers Organization.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, with testimony from Patrick J. Nilan and Francis S. Filbey, both of the United Federation of Postal Clerks; James H. Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers; Michael J. Cullen, National Association of Special Delivery Messengers; Richard I. Wevodau, National Association of Post Office and General Services Maintenance Employees; Chester Parrish, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees; Lonnie L. Johnson, National Association of Post Office Mail Handlers, Watchmen, Messengers, and Group Leaders; and Herbert F. Alfrey, National Rural Letter Carriers Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 25.

ELDERLY MEXICAN-AMERICANS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee continued hearings regarding the availability and usefulness of Federal programs and services to elderly Mexican-Americans. Testimony was received from Mrs. Marie McGuire, Assistant for Problems of the Elderly and Handicapped, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Raymond Carrasco, Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs; and Henry Santiestevan, accompanied by Raul Yzaguirre, both of the Southwest Council of La Raza.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on the feed grains program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, November 24.

AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States met in executive session for briefing by Rear Adm. D. E. Bergin, Chief of Staff, Defense Intelligence Agency.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on the quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from Dr. Margaret Mead, anthropologist and author.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, November 24.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on all bills pertaining to the Investment Company Act amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Further testimony was heard from ITT officials Harold S. Geneen, chairman and president; Hart Perry, executive vice president—finance; and Stanley Luke, senior vice president.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35439–35482

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3175–3180; S. Con. Res. 48; and S. Res. 290. **Pages 35444–35447**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3169, proposing sundry amendments to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (S. Rept. 91–553); and

S. 3180, to adjust salaries of District of Columbia judges (S. Rept. 91–554). **Pages 35443–35444**

Bill Referred: H.R. 14580, proposed Foreign Assistance Act of 1969, was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 35439**

Senate Meeting Time: By unanimous consent agreement, Senate will meet at 10 a.m. on both Tuesday and Wednesday, November 25 and 26. Leadership also announced its intention for the Senate to meet at 10 a.m. each day next week, and on Saturday. **Page 35440**

Thanksgiving Recess: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 48, providing that the Senate adjourn at the conclusion of business on Wednesday, November 26, until 10 a.m. Monday, December 1. **Pages 35440, 35491**

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment and sent to the House S. 2566, private bill. **Pages 35439–35440**

Tax Reform: Senate began consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, and agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, which was then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Senate rejected the following three amendments:

By 26 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware amendment reducing from 65 percent to 50 percent (as in existing law) percentage depletion limitation for taxpayers with aggregate gross income from oil and gas wells of less than $3 million;

By 23 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware amendment reducing from 70 percent to 50 percent (as in existing law) net income limitation on percentage depletion with respect to gold, silver, and copper; and

By 13 yeas to 46 nays, Allen amendment No. 166, increasing personal exemptions for taxpayers from $600 to $1,200.

Pending at adjournment was modified Byrd of Virginia amendment No. 287, deleting provision of bill which would extend 5 percent surtax from January 1, 1970, until June 30, 1970. **Pages 35482–35488, 35491–35507**

President's Communication—Budget Amendment: Senate received communication from the President transmitting request for increases of $890.3 million in the budget for fiscal year 1970 for the Export-Import Bank of the United States—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–43. **Page 35443**

Nominations: Senate received the nomination of Anthony D. Marshall, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic; and one judicial nomination to be U.S. marshal. **Page 35507**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL TELEPHONE PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification met in executive session and tentatively approved to recommend to the full committee an original bill to provide an additional source of financing for the rural telephone program.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the foreign aid program. Testimony relating to the overall economic and military assistance program was received from Secretary of State William P. Rogers and John Hannah, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, receiving testimony from John H. Shaffer, Administrator, David D. Thomas, Deputy Administrator, and other officials of the Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony on behalf of funds for departmental management from John G. Veneman, Under Secretary, Leon E. Panetta, Director, Office for Civil Rights, Mrs. Patricia Reilly Hitt, Assistant Secretary, Community and Field Services, James F. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Comptroller, James Farmer, Assistant Secretary for Administration, and Robert C. Mardian, General Counsel, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 1, with testimony from Members of Congress.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, AND "SORED" HORSES

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 8449, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, and S. 2543, to prohibit the movement in interstate and foreign commerce of "sored" Tennessee walking horses whose hoofs have been rendered sore by certain type treatments in order to induce exaggerated gait.

TAIWAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad began executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Taiwan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UTILITY CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session to consider S. 607, to establish an independent agency to be known as the U.S. Office of Utility Consumers' Counsel, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

CAPE KENNEDY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S.J. Res. 133, to redesignate Cape Kennedy (Florida) as Cape Canaveral, having as its witnesses Senators Holland and Gurney; Millard F.

Caldwell, former Governor of Florida; Judge James R. Knott, West Palm Beach; Mrs. Frances Ann Jamieson, president-elect, Florida Association of Women Lawyers; and Adam G. Adams, Metropolitan Dade County Historical Board.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on the auto insurance industry. Testimony was received from James M. Cahill, general manager, Insurance Rating Board, who was accompanied by William O. Bailey, Aetna Life & Casualty, Louis Niggman, Fireman's Fund—American Insurance Companies, David E. A. Carson, Hartford Insurance Group, Carlos C. Boaz, Security Insurance Group, and Jack Moseley, U.S. Fidelity & Guaranty Group; and Richard Decker, Mutual Insurance Rating Bureau, who was accompanied by George H. Duffield, Jr., American Mutual Liability, A. L. Pappenfuss, Employers Mutual, John Carleton, Liberty Mutual, Harry Lansam, Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty, and George Rutherford, Utica Mutual.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 1506 and related bills, to provide for improvements in the administration of the courts of the United States, having as its witness Judge Robert A. Ainsworth, Jr., U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 8.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Dr. Duane L. Block, Industrial Medical Association; Andrew Kalmykow, American Insurance Association; Charles A. Hagberg, Department of Industry, Labor, and Human Relations, State of Wisconsin; Mahlon Z. Eubank, Commerce and Industry Association of New York; Lee B. Holmes, American Mutual Insurance Alliance; and J. Sharpe Queener, Dupont Company of Delaware, representing U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 26.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 14939–14961; two private bills, H.R. 14962 and 14963; and 19 resolutions, H.J. Res. 997–1013, H. Con. Res. 456, and H. Res. 725, were introduced. **Pages 35586–35587**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports (H. Rept. 91–681);

H.R. 944, to amend section 404(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel (H. Rept. 91–682);

H.R. 9528, to require students and teachers in the District of Columbia to wear protective devices for their eyes while engaged in certain activities in those schools, amended (H. Rept. 91–683, all the foregoing filed on Friday, November 21);

H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 (H. Rept. 91–684, filed on Saturday, November 22);

H. Con. Res. 345, providing for printing as a House document "A Guide to Student Assistance" (H. Rept. 91–685);

H. Con. Res. 407, to authorize the printing as a House document the pamphlet entitled "Our Flag" (H. Rept. 91–686);

H. Res. 554, providing funds for the operation of the Select Committee on Small Business, amended (H. Rept. 91–687);

H. Res. 644, providing for the adjustment of salaries of certain employees of the House Press Gallery (H. Rept. 91–688);

H. Res. 710, providing funds for the Committee on House Administration (H. Rept. 91–689);

Conference report on S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research relating to fuels and vehicles under the provisions of the Clean Air Act (H. Rept. 91–690); and

H.R. 14925, to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (H. Rept. 91–691). **Pages 35526, 35586–35587**

Bills Rereferred: Committee on Foreign Affairs was discharged from further consideration of the following bills, regarding opportunities for Spanish-speaking people, and were rereferred to the Committee on Government Operations: S. 740, H.R. 5854, 7759, 8416, 8587, 8948, 9273, 9330, 9437, 9570, 9949, 10055, 10298, 11479, 12184, and Executive Communications 305 and 828.

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D.C. Legislation: Consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

D.C. judges retirement: S. 2056, to amend title 11 of the District of Columbia Code to permit unmarried judges of the District of Columbia who have no dependent children to terminate their payments for survivors

annuity and to receive a refund of amounts paid, clearing the measure for the White House.

D.C. schools—Eye protection: H.R. 9528, to require students and teachers in the District of Columbia public schools to wear protective devices for their eyes while engaged in certain activities in those schools; agreed to the committee amendment and sent to the Senate for further action.

D.C. subway system: H.R. 11193, to authorize a Federal contribution for the effectuation of a transit development program for the National Capital region, and to further the objectives of the National Capital Transportation Act of 1965 (passed by a record vote of 286 yeas to 23 nays).

Rejected by a record vote of 52 yeas to 256 nays, an amendment to strike out $150,000 for a study of extending the system to Dulles International Airport.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 2185, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 11193 as passed. Pages 35509–35526

D.C. Appropriations: By a record vote of 305 yeas to 9 nays, the House passed H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Pages 35527–35539

Adjournment Resolution: Agreed to S. Con. Res. 48, providing for adjournment from November 26 until December 1, 1969.

Agreed to an amendment that included the House in the resolution. Page 35539

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 35586

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on feed grains program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on H.R. 14114 and H.R. 14115, to improve the administration of the national park system by the Secretary of the Interior. Testimony was heard from George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, December 9.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from John P. Carter, executive director, National Association of Postmasters; Francis S. Filbey, president, United Federation of Postal Clerks; and Monroe Crable, president, National Association of Post Office and General Services Maintenance Employees.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; and Dr. Herbert L. Ley, Jr., Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue Tuesday, December 2.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35722–35789

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3181–3184; and S. Con. Res. 49. Pages 35733, 35736

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1678, private bill (S. Rept. 91–555);

S. 19, providing for the reimbursement of certain employees of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex., amended (S. Rept. 91–556);

H.R. 9906, private bill (S. Rept. 91–557);

H.R. 13183, private bill (S. Rept. 91–558);

H.R. 10105, to authorize funds to implement programs for improved highway design and motor vehicle safety standards, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–559); and

H.R. 14020, to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. Savings Bonds (S. Rept. 91–560). Page 35733

Bills Referred: H.R. 9528, re D.C. students and teachers eye protection devices, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia; and H.R. 14916, D.C. appropriations, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 35797

Thanksgiving Recess: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. Con. Res. 48, providing that the Senate adjourn at the conclusion of business on Wednesday, November 26, until 10 a.m. Monday, December 1.

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Air Pollution: Senate agreed to conference report on S. 2276, to extend the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 35805–35807

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, rejecting the following proposed amendments thereto:

By 28 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Byrd of Virginia amendment No. 287, deleting provision of bill which would extend 5-percent surtax from January 1, 1970, until June 30, 1970; and

By 8 yeas to 74 nays, Hartke amendment to return to the States in fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for use in field of elementary and secondary education those moneys derived from discontinuance, as of June 30, 1970, of the 5-percent surtax.

Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment No. 290, restoring to 27½ percent (as in present law) percentage depletion rate on oil and gas wells. The yeas and nays have been ordered on this amendment.

Pages 35786, 35789–35805, 35807–35811, 35816–35820

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Maurice B. Mitchell, of Colorado, and Stephen Horn, of California, to be members, and Howard A. Glickstein, of New York, to be Staff Director, all of the Commission on Civil Rights; and six judicial nominations, one to be U.S. attorney and five to be U.S. marshals.

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Nominations: Senate received three Navy nominations promoting from commander to captain the three Apollo 12 astronauts. Page 35835

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of George M. Low, of Texas, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Prior to this action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies. Testimony was received from Secretary John A. Volpe, Under Secretary James M. Beggs, John H. Shaffer, Administrator, and B. J. Vierling, Acting Director, Supersonic Transport Development, both of FAA, all of the Department of Transportation; and H. Rosenfelt, National Safety Council, who testified as a public witness.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the foreign aid program. Testimony on the proposed Overseas Private Investment Corporation was received from Herbert Salzman, Assistant Administrator for Private Resources, AID; on administrative expense and American schools and hospitals abroad from Lane Dwinell, Assistant Administrator for Administration, AID; and on the African program from Dr. Samuel C. Adams, Assistant Administrator for Africa, AID, and C. Robert Moore, Deputy Assistant Secretary for African Affairs, all of the Department of State.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for military construction, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Maj. Gen. J. C. Dalrymple, Director of Installations, Army; Rear Adm. J. V. Bartlett, Naval Facilities Engineering Command; and Maj. Gen. G. H. Goddard, Director of Civil Engineering, Air Force, all of whom were accompanied and assisted by their associates.

D.C. DRUG CONTROL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began hearings on S. 3071, proposed D.C. Comprehensive Drug Abuse and Narcotics Crime Control Act, having as witnesses former Attorney General Nicholas Katzenbach, Chairman of the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice; Dr. James L. Goddard, former Director of the Food and Drug Administration; and Dr. Dana Farnsworth, chairman, Council on Mental Health, American Medical Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SAVINGS BONDS

Committee on Finance: Committee approved for reporting without amendment H.R. 14020, to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. Savings Bonds.

TAIWAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from

witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Taiwan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on the auto insurance industry. Testimony was received from Dr. Irving Plotkin and Dr. David Boodman, both of Arthur D. Little, Inc.; Dr. J. Hammond, Dr. Ned Shilling, and Dr. Eugene Melander, all of Pennsylvania State University; and Dr. Richard Norgaard, University of Connecticut.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM VETERANS' MEDICAL CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on medical care for Vietnam veterans. Testimony was received from Lt. Gen. Hal B. Jennings, Jr., the Surgeon General, and Brig. Gen. Thomas J. Whelan, Jr., Special Assistant to the Surgeon General for Medical Corps Affairs, both of the Department of the Army; Brig. Gen. George J. Hayes, Director of Staff for Health Affairs, Department of Defense; and Fred B. Rhodes, Deputy Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, who was accompanied by other Veterans' Administration officials.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 15.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation, receiving testimony from James H. Rademacher, president, National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 14964–14990; five private bills, H.R. 14991–14995; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1014 and H. Res. 726–729, were introduced.

Pages 35721–35722

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 726, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14227, to amend section 1401a(b) of title 10, United States Code, relating to adjustments of retired pay to reflect changes in Consumer Price Index (H. Rept. 91–692); and

H. Res. 727, providing for the consideration of H.R. 944, to amend section 414(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel (H. Rept. 91–693). **Page 35721**

Further Continuing Resolution: By unanimous consent, it was agreed to make it in order to consider any day next week a resolution making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970. **Page 35637**

Housekeeping Matters: The following resolutions from the Committee on House Administration were called up, considered, and agreed to by voice votes:

H. Res. 554, providing funds for the operation of the Select Committee on Small Business, amended;

H. Res. 644, providing for the adjustment of salaries of certain employees of the House Press Gallery;

H. Res. 710, providing funds for the Committee on House Administration;

H. Con. Res. 345, providing for printing as a House document "A Guide to Student Assistance"; and

H. Con. Res. 407, to authorize the printing as a House document the pamphlet entitled "Our Flag."

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Clean Air Act: House agreed to the conference report on S. 2276, to extend for 1 year the authorization for research relating to fuels and vehicles under the provisions of the Clean Air Act; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. **Page 35640**

Federal-Aid Highway Act: By a record vote of 342 yeas to 1 nay, the House passed H.R. 14741, to amend title 23 of the United States Code to revise the next due date for the cost estimate for the Interstate System, to amend chapter 4 relating to highway safety.

Agreed to an amendment giving contract authority to demonstration projects in high-speed railroad crossings for the Metroliner between Washington and New York and New York and Boston.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment to require planners of highways to choose designs most appropriate, and to authorize the Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare to approve location regarding air pollution and noise pollution; and

An amendment to require the Federal Highway Administrator to make arrangements to replace any low-income housing destroyed by a highway project.

H. Res. 721, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 35640–35649

Military Per Diem Increase: House passed H.R. 944, to amend section 404(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance

and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel.

H. Res. 727, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by voice vote.

Pages 35650–35651

Retired Military Pay: House passed H.R. 14227, to amend section 1401a(b) of title 10, United States Code, relating to adjustments of retired pay to reflect changes in Consumer Price Index.

H. Res. 726, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by voice vote.

Pages 35649–35652

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 35720

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton continued hearings on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue December 2.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS—U.S. LANDS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate held a hearing on and approved for full committee action S. 59, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the United States over lands within the Army National Guard Facility, Ethan Allen, and the U.S. Army Materiel Command Firing Range, Unverhill, Vt.; and

H.R. 12535, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to release certain restrictions on a tract of land heretofore conveyed to the State of Texas.

The subcommittee also considered pending real estate projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stafford and White and departmental witnesses.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Barry J. Shillito, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics).

Hearings continue Monday, December 8.

SPANISH-SPEAKING PEOPLE COMMITTEE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on S. 740, to establish the Cabinet Committee on Opportunities for Spanish-Speaking People. Testimony was heard from Representatives Roybal, White, Pettis, Young, Steiger of Arizona, and Martin G. Castillo, Chairman, Inter-Agency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittees on Accounts and Printing met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE ACT AMENDMENTS—PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE HOSPITAL AT NEW ORLEANS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 13448, to authorize the exchange, upon terms fully protecting the public interest, of the lands and buildings now constituting the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at New Orleans, La., for lands upon which a new U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at New Orleans, La., may be located;

H.R. 14733, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for migrant agricultural workers, to provide assistance for health services for other seasonal agricultural workers; and

H.R. 14790 amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act so as to extend for an additional period the authority to make formula grants to schools of public health.

DISTRICT COURT JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 concluded hearings on S. 952, omnibus district judgeship bill, and other measures dealing with the organization and administration of the Federal district courts. Testimony was heard from Hon. Richard G. Kleindienst, Deputy Attorney General of the United States, Department of Justice. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Hungate, Rooney of Pennsylvania, and Fascell.

PROTECTION OF EXECUTIVE MANSION AND FOREIGN EMBASSIES—JAMES MADISON MEMORIAL BUILDING FUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14944 amended, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies; and S. 2910 amended, authorizes additional funds of $15 million for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building.

Prior to the full committee meeting, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved these two bills for full committee action.

MILITARY PER DIEM ALLOWANCE INCREASE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 944, to amend section 404(d) of title 37, United States Code, by increasing the maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement authorized, under certain circumstances, to meet the actual expenses of travel. Testimony was heard from Representatives Philbin and Bray.

MILITARY RETIRED PAY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate on, H.R. 14227, to provide military retirees with an improved formula for future adjustments in their military retired pay. Testimony was heard from Representatives Philbin and Bray.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 35895–35929

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced as follows: S. 3185–3187; and S. Res. 291. **Pages 35898, 35902–35906**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

S. 2325, authorizing Civil Service Commission to establish additional supergrade positions, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–561). **Page 35895**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills and two House concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 35937**

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from the calendar and passed the following bills:

Carlsbad Caverns employees: S. 19, providing for the reimbursement of certain employees of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex., with committee amendment;

Savings bonds: H.R. 14020, to amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. savings bonds;

D.C. judges: S. 3180, to adjust salaries of District of Columbia judges; and

Private bills: S. 497, S. 1678, and H.R. 9906, private bills. **Pages 35895–35898, 35908–35909, 35941–35942**

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969. Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment No. 290, restoring to 27½ percent (as in present law) percentage depletion rate on oil and gas wells.

Under unanimous consent agreement, when Senate convenes at 10 a.m. on Monday, December 1, and following not to exceed 1 hour of routine morning business, it will proceed to vote not later than 3 p.m. on pending amendment, the time between conclusion of morning business and vote to be equally divided and controlled by Senator Ellender and the minority leader or their designees.

Following vote on Ellender amendment, debate will be limited to 1 hour on amendment No. 291 (intended to be proposed by Senator Williams of Delaware), reducing from 23 percent (as in committee substitute) to 20 percent (House-passed figure) percentage depletion rate on oil and gas wells, time to be equally divided and controlled, respectively, by Senators Williams of Delaware and Long. **Pages 35929–35937, 35946–35947**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of George M. Low, of Texas, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Lewis Hoffacker, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Cameroon and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea; Sam Harry Wright, of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. representative on the Trusteeship Council of the United Nations; William C. Black, to be U.S. Marshal for the northern district of Texas; and Bert C. Hurn, to be U.S. attorney for the western district of Missouri. **Page 35952**

Nominations: Senate received two Navy nominations, one of which is in the rank of admiral. **Page 35952**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the foreign aid program. Testimony was received from Marshall Green, Assistant Secretary for East Asia and Pacific Affairs; Roderick L. O'Connor, Assistant Administrator for East Asia, AID; and Joseph A. Mendenhall, Assistant Administrator for Vietnam, AID, all of the Department of State; and Dr. G. W. Arnold, of the University of Wyoming, who testified as a public witness.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 1.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on proposed fiscal 1970 supplemental appro-

priations for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, receiving testimony from Harrison Loesch, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management, and Edward E. Johnston, High Commissioner, Trust Territory, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MY LAI INCIDENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, received a briefing from Secretary Stanley R. Resor, Robert E. Jordan, General Counsel, and other officials of the Army on the so-called My Lai incident.

TAIWAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on U.S. Security Agreements and Commitments Abroad continued executive hearings to receive testimony from witnesses of the executive branch of Government concerning U.S. personnel facilities and programs in Taiwan.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Lorne R. Worthington, National Association of Insurance Commissioners; and Robert Vanderbeek, president, League Life and General Insurance Companies.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, December 2.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Andrew J. Biemiller, George Taylor, and Jacob Clayman, all of the AFL–CIO; and the following panel of witnesses representing the American Iron & Steel Institute: Wayne T. Brooks, AISI, Frank R. Barnako, Bethlehem Steel Corp., William M. Smith, National Steel Corp., and Dr. Robert J. Halen, Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 8.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 14996–15019; one private bill, H.R. 15020; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1015 and 1016, H. Con. Res. 457, and H. Res. 730, were introduced. Pages 35978–35979

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8022, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize travel, transportation, and education allowances to certain members of the uniformed services for dependents' schooling (H. Rept. 91–694); and

H.R. 9654, to authorize subsistence, without charge, to certain air evacuation patients (H. Rept. 91–695). Page 35978

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted for the Speaker to sign enrolled bills and the Clerk to receive messages, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House from November 26 to December 1. Page 35952

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 3. Page 35966

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENT—POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing and Consumer Relations met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2214, to exclude from marketing orders potatoes for "other processing" as in dehydration, chips, shoestrings, starch and flour.

MASSACRE IN VIETNAM

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Investigating held an executive hearing on charges of alleged massacre in Vietnam by U.S. forces. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and R. Kenly Webster, Deputy General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Department of the Army.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LORTON REFORMATORY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee met in executive session for discussion on Lorton Reformatory. The subcommittee agreed to hold open hearings beginning December 3 on the District of Columbia Department of Corrections.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Sir James Pitman, KBE, developer of initial teaching alphabet; and Evlyn Kinney, Intercollegiate Council of Women Students.

SPANISH-SPEAKING PEOPLE COMMITTEE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and approved for full committee ac-

tion S. 740 amended, to establish the Cabinet Committee on Opportunities for Spanish-Speaking People.

ALASKA PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Concluded consideration of Public Land Order 4582, for proposed modification to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Further testimony was heard from ITT officials Harold S. Geneen, chairman and president; Hart Perry, executive vice president-finance; and Stanley Luke, senior vice president.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 36126–36202

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3188–3193; and S. Res. 292.

Pages 36147, 36154–36167

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 1017, continuing appropriations, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

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Atomic Energy Act Amendments: Senate took from the calendar and passed without amendment S. 3169, setting penalties for unauthorized use of nuclear materials, and extending patent licensing authority of the AEC. Page 36142

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, adopting, by voice vote, amendment by Senators Williams of Delaware and Mansfield to add a new section establishing a Capitol Guide Service which would offer guided tours of the Capitol without charge.

Senate rejected the following amendments:

By 30 yeas to 62 nays, Ellender amendment No. 290, restoring to 27½ percent (as in present law) percentage depletion rate on oil and gas wells;

By 38 yeas to 52 nays, Williams of Delaware amendment No. 291, reducing from 23 percent (as in committee substitute) to 20 percent (House-passed figure) percentage depletion rate on oil and gas wells; and

By 25 yeas to 64 nays, Williams of Delaware amendment No. 292, reducing by approximately 25 percent depletion allowances for all hard minerals (effect of this amendment would accept House-passed percentages on all minerals except oil and gas).

Pending at adjournment was Gore amendment No. 304, which would (1) increase personal income tax exemption in four $100 steps to $1,000 in 1973, (2) provide a flat $1,000 low-income allowance for all taxpayers after 1972 unless their itemized deductions are larger, and (3) modify formula for taxation of single persons. The yeas and nays have been ordered on this amendment. Pages 36202–36267

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of William R. Ford, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; two judicial, one to be U.S. attorney and one to be U.S. marshal; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations.

Pages 36268–36276

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Senators Moss, Bennett, Yarborough, Mondale, Tydings, Hatfield, Hart, Nelson, and Fannin; Representative McClory; and former Senator George A. Smathers.

Statements for the record were presented by Senators Sparkman, Dodd, Montoya, Hartke, and Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 14751, fiscal year 1970 appropriations for military construction.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications resumed hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses, with testimony from Robert T. Bartley, member, Federal Communications Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to mark up H.R. 14580, proposed Foreign Assistance Act of 1969, and proposed amendments thereto, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

POSTWAR ECONOMIC CONVERSION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee began hearings on the conversion of war production to peacetime uses, receiving testimony from Prof. Warren L. Smith, University of Michigan; Prof. Seymour Melman, Columbia University; and Walter P. Reuther, cochairman, Alliance for Labor Action, and president, UAW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL MODERNIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed hearings on the administration's proposal for a postal corporation. Testimony was received from Patrick J. Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL-CIO; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; Herbert F. Alfrey, National Rural Letter Carriers Association; Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Monroe C. Crable, National Association of Post Office and General Services Maintenance Employees; Michael J. Cullen, National Association of Special Delivery Messengers, AFL-CIO; Chester Parrish, National Federation of Post Office Motor Vehicle Employees, AFL-CIO; and Joseph H. Sharlitt, Mail Advertising Service Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 15021–15034; two private bills, H.R. 15035 and 15036; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1017–1019, H. Con. Res. 458 and 459, and H. Res. 731–733, were introduced.

Pages 36125–36126

Member Sworn: Representative Crane of Illinois presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker. Page 36058

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Copyright protection: S.J. Res. 143, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Claims—National Guard: H.R. 2751, to amend section 715 of title 32, United States Code, to authorize the application of local law in determining the effect of contributory negligence on claims involving members of the National Guard;

Jury duty: H.R. 9677, to amend section 1866 of title 28, United States Code, prescribing the manner in which summonses for jury duty may be served;

Counterfeit postage stamps: H.R. 14485, to amend section 501 of title 18, United States Code, so as to strengthen the law relating to the counterfeiting of postage meter stamps or other improper uses of the metered mail system;

DoD—Administration of oaths: H. R. 4248, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize civilians employed by the Department of Defense to administer oaths while conducting investigations;

Water storage: H.R. 5278, to amend the act of July 24, 1956, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to contract with the Benbrook Water and Sewer Authority for the use of water supply storage in the Benbrook Reservoir;

CIA retirement: H.R. 14571, to amend the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement Act of 1964 for certain employees, as amended;

Reserve retirement: H.R. 3813, to amend section 1331 (c) of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the granting of retired pay to persons otherwise qualified who were reserves before August 16, 1945, and who served on active duty during the so-called Berlin crisis;

Grave markers—Medal of Honor recipients: H.R. 6265, to provide that a headstone or marker be furnished at Government expense for the unmarked grave of any Medal of Honor recipient;

Military pay: H.R. 8019, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the payment of uniform allowances to certain persons originally appointed, temporarily or permanently, as commissioned or warrant officers in a Regular component of the Armed Forces;

Coast Guard officers: H.R. 9052, to amend section 716 of title 10, United States Code, to authorize the interservice transfers of officers of the Coast Guard;

Aviation midshipmen: H.R. 11265, to provide for crediting services as an aviation midshipman for purposes of retirement for non-Regular service under chapter 67 of title 10, United States Code, and for pay purposes under title 37, United States Code;

Cadmium disposal: H.R. 12941, to authorize the release of 4,180,000 pounds of cadmium from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile; and

Responsibility—Government property: H.R. 13756, to amend titles 10, 32, and 37, United States Code, with respect to accountability and responsibility for U.S. property.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Indian land: H.R. 12785, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe, approximately 213.37 acres of land;

Criminal proceedings transcripts: H.R. 4302, to amend title 28 of the United States Code, section 753,

to authorize payment by the United States of fees charged by court reporters for furnishing certain transcripts in proceedings under the Criminal Justice Act;

Tahoe planning compact: S. 118, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior and others to cooperate with the planning agency thereby created;

National Guard: H.R. 6006, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers under section 710(f) of title 32, United States Code;

Servicemen's savings deposit program: H.R. 9485, to remove the $10,000 limit on deposits under section 1035 of title 10, United States Code, in the case of any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict;

Servicemen's separation allowance: H.R. 9486, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service who is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or in a detained status during the Vietnam conflict; and

Aliens: H.R. 14118, to amend section 213 of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 10124, 4574 and H. Res. 661.

Objected to: H.R. 14646. Pages 36059–36072

Continuing Resolution: Passed H.J. Res. 1017, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970; and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 36072–36073

Public Works Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for water pollution control, and power development, including the Corps of Engineers—Civil, the Panama Canal, the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, the Bureau of Reclamation, power agencies of the Department of Interior, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Atomic Energy Commission and related independent agencies and commissions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970; and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Kirwan, Evins of Tennessee, Boland, Whitten, Andrews of Alabama, Mahon, Rhodes, Davis of Wisconsin, Robison and Cederberg.

Pages 36073–36074

Suspension: House voted to suspend the rules and pass:

Joint Funding Simplification Act: H.R. 14517, to provide temporary authority to expedite procedures for consideration and approval of projects drawing upon more than one Federal assistance program, to simplify requirements for the operation of those projects.

Pages 36074–36080

Vietnam Resolution: After consuming 1 hour and 6 minutes of general debate on H. Res. 613, toward peace with justice in Vietnam, the Committee of the Whole rose. Consideration will continue tomorrow with 2 hours and 54 minutes of general debate time remaining.

By a record vote of 251 yeas to 100 nays, agreed to H. Res. 722, the rule under which the resolution was considered. The previous question was ordered by a record vote of 225 yeas to 132 nays. Pages 36080–36116

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains held a hearing on the wheat program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jules Sugarman, Acting Director, Office of Child Development and Children's Bureau, HEW; Mrs. Leon Ginsberg, President, National Committee for the Day Care of Children; and Mrs. Elizabeth Koontz, Director, Women's Bureau, Department of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 6228, H.R. 6229, H.R. 13517 and related bills, Equal Employment Opportunities Enforcement Act. Testimony was heard from William H. Brown III, Chairman, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and Deputy Attorney General Richard G. Kleindienst, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held a hearing on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from William A. Anders, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through November 30, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	157	169	..
Time in session	747 hrs., 39′	637 hrs., 34′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	15, 140	11, 470	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	10, 156
Public bills enacted into law	52	77	129
Private bills enacted into law	19	37	56
Bills in conference	3	7	10
Bills through conference	7	16	23
Measures passed, total	604	608	..
Senate bills	255	59	..
House bills	123	300	..
Senate joint resolutions	32	17	..
House joint resolutions	12	20	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	11	9	..
House concurrent resolutions	23	28	..
Simple resolutions	148	175	..
Measures reported, total	*674	*646	..
Senate bills	268	48	..
House bills	129	404	..
Senate joint resolutions	32	4	..
House joint resolutions	10	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	11	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	17	..
Simple resolutions	202	152	..
Special reports	15	28	..
Conference reports	..	21	..
Reported measures not acted on	18	93	..
Measures introduced, total	3, 692	17, 223	20, 915
Bills	3, 187	15, 020	18, 207
Joint resolutions	165	1, 016	1, 181
Concurrent resolutions	49	457	506
Simple resolutions	291	730	1, 021
Quorum calls	20	151	..
Yea-and-nay votes	140	141	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 561 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 695 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through November 30, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 11,628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	11, 499
Unconfirmed	128
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 18,958, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	18, 864
Unconfirmed	94
Navy nominations, totaling 19,694, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	19, 068
Unconfirmed	626
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 8,488, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	8, 428
Unconfirmed	60
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,786, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3, 722
Unconfirmed	42
Withdrawn	21
Rejected	1
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Unconfirmed	0
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	63, 182
Total confirmed	61, 757
Total unconfirmed	950
Total withdrawn	474
Total rejected	1

Tuesday, December 2, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 36304–36401

Bills Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3194 and 3195. Page 36315

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 36401–36402

Auto Safety: Senate took from calendar, passed with committee amendments, and returned to the House H.R. 10105, to authorize funds to implement programs for improved highway design and motor vehicle safety standards. Pages 36307–36313

D.C. Transit: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. 2185, authorizing funds for Federal contribution for a transit development program in the National Capital area, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 36313–36314

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, and reconsidered its action of December 1 when it agreed to amendment by Senators Williams of Delaware and Mansfield to add a new section to the bill establishing a free Capitol guide service, and the amendment was then withdrawn.

Pending at adjournment was Percy perfecting amendment No. 338, major provision of which would increase in four annual $50 increments the personal income tax exemption to $800 in 1973.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that on Wednesday, December 3, following approval of the Journal and transaction of routine morning business until 10:30 a.m., debate on pending Percy amendment be limited to 1 hour, time to be equally divided between Senators Percy and Long, to be followed at 11:30 a.m. by record vote thereon; and following disposition of which amendment, debate be limited to 20 minutes on Gore substitute amendment No. 337 (to Gore amendment No. 304) major provision of which would increase personal income tax exemption in two annual $100 increments to $800 in 1971, time to be equally divided by Senator Gore and minority leader, or his designee, to be followed immediately by record vote thereon; immediately following which vote a record vote will be taken on Gore amendment No. 304, which would (1) increase personal income tax exemption in four $100 steps to $1,000 in 1973, (2) provide a flat $1,000 low-income allowance for all taxpayers after 1972 unless their itemized deductions are larger, and (3) modify formula for taxation of single persons. Pages 36402–36447

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Michael Collins, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; Hildreth Frost, Jr., to be Assayer of the Mint of the United States at Denver; Joe McDonald Ingraham, of Texas, to be United States Circuit Judge, Fifth Circuit; and three Air Force retirees in the rank of lieutenant general. Page 36447

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony on sundry items from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the foreign aid program. Testimony was received from Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs and U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress; James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress; Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Maurice J. Williams, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, AID, all of the Department of State.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 3154, to provide long-term financing for expanded urban public transportation programs.

ATTORNEYS' FEES, RAILROAD SAFETY, AND MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 1653, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with regard to recovery of a reasonable attorney's fee in case of successful maintenance of an action for recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property (with amendments);

S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969 (with amendments); and

H.R. 210, eliminating requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards (with amendment).

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications

for renewal of broadcasting licenses. Testimony was received from Lee Loevinger, former FCC Commissioner; Frank B. Estes, president, New Hampshire Association of Broadcasters, Inc.; Rev. William F. Fore, National Council of the Churches of Christ, New York; Dale G. Moore, president, WGVO, Missoula, Mont.; Charles Klein, San Francisco; Dan Arensmeir, president, Metro-Act of Rochester, Inc., Rochester, N.Y.; and Anthony R. Martin-Trigona, Champaign, Ill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POTOMAC RIVER RESERVOIRS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held and concluded hearings on S. 3009, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into contracts for the payment of costs of reservoirs on the Potomac River. Testimony was received from Lee F. Dante, Assistant D.C. Corporation Counsel, and General Counsel of Interstate Compact on Potomac River Basin; Norman E. Jackson, D.C. Department of Sanitary Engineering; Dr. Albert P. Miller, Jr., Development Planning Research Programs of the Maryland Department of State Planning; Herbert Sachs, Maryland Department of Water Resources; and Col. William J. Love, Corps of Engineers, Army.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued executive consideration of pending legislation authorizing funds for the foreign aid program for fiscal year 1970, took several tentative actions thereon, but made no announcements and will meet again on Thursday, December 4.

WILDERNESS AREAS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 3014, designating 14 wildlife refuge areas as wilderness, after receiving testimony from Forrest E. Cooper, Lakeview, Oreg.; Don Fitzgerald, county commissioner, Lake County, Oreg.; William Cramer, Burns, Oreg.; and Ernest M. Dickerman, Wilderness Society.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the following nominations:

Henry L. Brooks, of Kentucky, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Sixth Circuit;

Alfred T. Goodwin, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Oregon;

Cristobal C. Duenas, to be judge of the district court of Guam;

R. Dixon Herman, to be U.S. district judge for the middle district of Pennsylvania;

David L. Middlebrooks, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Florida; and

Clarence M. Coster, of Minnesota, to be an Associate Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance.

Prior to approval, testimony was received from Senators Cooper and Cook in behalf of Mr. Brooks; Senators Hatfield and Packwood in behalf of Mr. Goodwin; Senator Fong and Antonio Won Pat, Guam's Washington representative, in behalf of Mr. Duenas; Senators Scott and Schweiker in behalf of Mr. Herman; Senator Gurney in behalf of Mr. Middlebrooks; and Representative MacGregor in behalf of Mr. Coster.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on the auto insurance industry. Testimony was received from John C. Winchell and Robert Bailey, both of Ohio Insurance Institute, who were accompanied by Harold W. Sandelin, Ohio Casualty Insurance Co., John E. Fisher, Nationwide Mutual Insurance Co., Paul R. Gingher, State Automobile Mutual Insurance Co., James A. Ward, Grange Mutual Insurance Co., and Peter B. Lewis, Progressive Casualty and Mutual Insurance Cos.; Warren J. Smith and Stewart R. Jaffy, both of AFL–CIO, Columbus, Ohio; and Prof. Dennis Reinmuth, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTWAR ECONOMIC CONVERSION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued hearings on the conversion of war production to peacetime uses, receiving testimony from Dr. Wilfred Lewis, National Planning Association; Archibald S. Alexander, former Assistant Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Nat Goldfinger, director of research, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 15037–15060; three private bills, H.R. 15061–15063; and six resolutions, H. Con. Res. 460 and 461 and H. Res. 734–737, were introduced. **Page 36572**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 734, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 (H. Rept. 91–696); and

Conference report on H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works and the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–697). **Page 36572**

Judge Advocates: Considered by unanimous consent and passed by voice vote H.R. 4296, to amend title 37, United States Code, to provide for the procurement and retention of judge advocates and law specialist officers for the Armed Forces. Pages 36449–36455

Late Reports: Committee on Public Works received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight, and conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for water, pollution control, and power development, including the Corps of Engineers—Civil, the Panama Canal, the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, the Bureau of Reclamation, power agencies of the Department of the Interior, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Atomic Energy Commission, and related independent agencies and commissions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 36455

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 564 and 2019.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 3571 and 7830.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 2241, 2481, 9092, 10662, 12622, and 1728.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, H. Res. 86, H.R. 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 9488, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 3629, 3955, 9001, S. 901, H.R. 2302, 10658, S. 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 11500, 12089, 1782, 3590, H. Res. 533, S. 476, H.R. 1697, 3530, 4105, 7264, and 8100. Pages 36455–36459

Vietnam Resolution: By a record vote of 334 yeas to 55 nays, with 1 voting "present," the House passed H. Res. 613, toward peace with justice in Vietnam.

By a record vote of 392 yeas agreed to a motion to recommit the resolution to the Committee on Foreign Affairs with instructions to report it back to the House forthwith with an amendment requesting the President to continue to press the government of North Vietnam to abide by the Geneva Convention of 1949 in the treatment of prisoners of war. Pages 36459–36538

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on the wheat program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton continued hearings on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SUPPLEMENTAL BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Supplemental Service Benefits met in executive session for briefing by Department of Defense representatives on the present state of supplemental benefits. The subcommittee will begin open hearings tomorrow on the health benefits program of the Armed Forces.

D.C. MISCELLANY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 9017 amended, to permit the District of Columbia Council to make rules and regulations under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;

H.R. 2198 amended, to exempt from taxation certain property in the District of Columbia owned by the Reserve Officers Association of the United States; and

S. 1458, to prohibit the business of debt adjusting in the District of Columbia except as an incident to the lawful practice of law or as an activity engaged in by a nonprofit corporation or association.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Assistant Attorney General Leonard.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 6228, H.R. 6229, H.R. 13517, and related bills, Equal Employment Opportunities Enforcement Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the Geneva Protocol of 1925 concerning U.S. policies on gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Dr. Joshua Lederberg, professor of genetics, Stanford University School of Medicine; Dr. Authur W. Galston, professor of biology, Yale

University; and Mr. Han Swyter, former systems analysis aid to Secretary of Defense McNamara.

Hearings to continue December 9.

LAND-GRANT COLLEGE FOR VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 105 amended, to amend the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin Islands (establish land-grant college). H.R. 106, to amend the Organic Act of Guam (establish land-grant college), was sent to the full committee for disposition.

FURTHER HEARINGS ON SDS ACTIVITIES

Committee on Internal Security: Met in executive session on pending business. The committee announced they will hold further hearings on SDS activities on December 9, 10, and 11, at 10 a.m., 311 Cannon House Office Building.

MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME ZONE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 14289 amended, to amend the act of March 4, 1921, to place the counties of El Paso and Hudspeth, Tex., in the mountain standard time zone. Testimony was heard from Representative White and James B. Minor, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Transportation.

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14086 amended, in lieu of H.R. 14617, Community Mental Health Centers Amendments of 1969.

PASSENGER TRAIN LEGISLATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session for a general discussion of passenger train legislation. No announcements were made.

COAST GUARD AND COAST GUARD RESERVE AMENDMENTS—RADIOTELEPHONE REQUIREMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13716 amended, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard Reserve; H.R. 13816 amended, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard; and H.R. 6971 amended, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform.

Committee to continue Thursday, December 4.

RELOCATION ASSISTANCE AND LAND ACQUISITION POLICIES

Committee on Public Works: Began hearings on H.R. 14898 and related bills, pertaining to establishing uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policies applicable to Federal programs and Federal grant-in-aid programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Green of Oregon, Rooney of Pennsylvania, and Koch.

PUBLIC BUILDING PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved for full committee action numerous public building prospectuses.

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 3 hours of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representatives Ayres and Green of Oregon.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from James M. Beggs, Under Secretary, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Dr. Louis H. Mayo, vice president for advanced policy studies, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Veterans' Administration and Federal Housing Administration witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy began hearings on U.S. trade, investment, and aid policies. Testimony was received from Orville L. Freeman, former Secretary of Agriculture and former Governor of Minnesota; Akio Morita, executive vice president and cofounder, Sony Corp.; Arthur K. Watson, chairman of the board, IBM World Trade Corp.; Eldridge Haynes, chairman of the board, Business International Corp.; and Prof. Edward P. Neufeld, University of Toronto.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works for fiscal year 1970.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality, reached agreement on some differences, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

WATER POLLUTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4148, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Thursday, December 4.

Wednesday, December 3, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 36590–36657

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3196–3201. Page 36593

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 1017, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (S. Rept. 91–562);

H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–563); and

H.R. 14916, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–564).

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Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 36718

Tahoe National Planning Compact: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. 118, to grant the consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact so as to encourage conservation in the Lake Tahoe area, California and Nevada, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 36590–36591

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote, modified Gore amendment No. 304 which would (1) increase personal income tax exemption in two annual $100 increments to $800 in 1971, (2) provide a flat $1,000 low-income allowance for all taxpayers after 1972 unless their itemized deductions are larger, and (3) modify schedule for taxation of single persons. Prior to approval of this amendment, Senate, by vote of 58 yeas to 37 nays, adopted Gore substitute amendment No. 337, the effect of which reduced from $1,000, provided in amendment No. 304, to $800 the personal income tax exemption;

(2) By 48 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hartke amendment providing investment tax credit on investments of up to $20,000 per year (primarily to aid small businessmen and farmers);

(3) By voice vote, Williams of Delaware amendment making new rule provisions in House-passed bill relating to original issue discount nonapplicable in the case of certain types of property;

(4) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware and Mansfield amendment to add a new section to bill establishing a Capitol Guide Service which would offer guided tours of the Capitol without charge;

(5) By voice vote, Curtis amendment requiring at the time of submittal of annual budget information be given Committees on Appropriations, Committee on Finance, and Committee on Ways and Means describing effect of budget with regard to deficits, surpluses, and the national debt;

(6) By voice vote, Dole amendment No. 301 adding a new provision to provide for the reimbursement of a taxpayer's costs in certain tax controversies; and

Rejected:

(1) By 23 yeas to 72 nays, Percy amendment No. 338, modified by Senator Dole, major provision of which would have increased in three annual $50 increments the personal income tax exemption to $750 in 1972;

(2) By 25 yeas to 70 nays, Miller amendment which would have allowed $150 tax credit for each dependent in lieu of increase in personal tax exemption, and would have increased maximum limit on standard deduction from $1,000 to $1,200; and

(3) By 33 yeas to 58 nays, modified Proxmire amendment No. 328 which would (1) require companies with foreign losses, if they offset such losses against domestic profits, to pay back this tax benefit to the United States if later they make profits abroad (modified to exclude losses from expropriated property), and (2) provide that the foreign tax credit allowed on mineral income from a foreign country will not be treated as a tax which may offset income earned in another foreign country.

Pending at adjournment was Curtis amendment No. 343, relating to annual reports by private foundations.

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Nomination: Senate received the nomination of Donald S. Lowitz, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Director, Office of Economic Opportunity. Page 36741

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, AND CONTINUING

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 14751, fiscal year 1970 appropriations for military construction. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $1,690,064,000, an increase of $152,887,000 over the House-passed total of $1,537,177,000.

Committee also approved with amendments H.R. 14916, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $645,342,000, a decrease of $37,764,300 from the House-passed figure of $683,106,300.

Committee ordered favorably reported without amendment H.J. Res. 1017, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1970 budget estimates for the foreign aid program. Testimony was received from Samuel De Palma, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, who was accompanied by his associates, thus concluding the economic assistance items for the foreign aid program.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony on sundry items from numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management; W. T. Pecora, Director, Geological Survey; and John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, who were accompanied by other officials of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses. Testimony was received from Clifford Gorsuch, National Association of Broadcast Employees & Technicians, AFL–CIO; Rev. David N. Licorish, Abyssinian Baptist Church, New York; John Pemberton, Jr., and Mrs. Harriet Pilpel, American Civil Liberties Union; Rev. Everett C. Parker, United Church of Christ, New York; David Poling, Christian Herald Association, Inc., New York; David L. Batzka, United Christian Missionary Society, Indianapolis; Miss Julie Reed, Write Your Congressman Now Committee, Bronxville, New York; and Kay Melia, KLOE, Inc., Goodland, Kans.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Barrington D. Parker, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Columbia, receiving favoring testimony from several public witnesses. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Dr. John Hall, Georgia State College; and Edward O. Spotts, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 8.

FLOOD-CONTROL PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control, Rivers, and Harbors held and concluded hear-

ings on S. 3106, proposed rivers and harbors and flood-control projects submitted by the Secretary of the Army, after receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Francis P. Koisch, Director of Civil Works, Office of the Chief of Engineers, Army, who was accompanied by his associates; and William J. Hull, Ohio Valley Improvement Association.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 15064–15085, and 15090; four private bills, H.R. 15086–15089; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1020 and H. Con. Res. 462 and 463, were introduced. **Pages 36898–36899**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 15090, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–698).

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on Department of Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

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Public Works—Atomic Energy Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14159, making appropriations for public works, Atomic Energy Commission, and related agencies.

Receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 18.

House insisted on its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 5 (providing that $75,000 shall be available for the preparation of preconstruction planning for the flood-control project at Minot, N. Dak., and such preconstruction planning is hereby authorized).

Pages 36753–36760

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains concluded hearings on the wheat program. Testimony was heard from one USDA and public witnesses.

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton continued hearings on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from Representative Long of Louisiana and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, December 8.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15090, Department of Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

ARMED FORCES HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Supplemental Service Benefits began hearings on the health benefits program of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. George Hays, Staff Director, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISTURBANCES ON MILITARY BASES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee To Probe Disturbances on Military Bases met in executive session on administrative matters. No announcements were made.

SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on small business investment companies legislation. Testimony was heard from Hilary Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, SBA; and Walter Stults, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee held a hearing on the District of Columbia Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from Representative Scott and Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, D.C. Department of Corrections.

Hearings continue Friday, December 5.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from the U.S. Catholic Conference of Bishops and Rabbi Sherer of Agudeth Israel of America, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Gallagher, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Planning, Research, and Evaluation, Office of Education; Dr. James O. Miller, director, National Laboratory on Early Childhood Education, University of Illinois; Dr. Wade Robinson, director, Central Midwestern Regional Educational Laboratories, St. Louis; Dr. Susan Gray, director, Demonstration and Research Center on Early Childhood Education, George Peabody College; Gary Kornfein, project director, Project ME, Dubnoff

School, North Hollywood, Calif.; and Margaret Cooper, research assistant, Kansas Center for Early Childhood, University of Kansas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SALT TALKS IN HELSINKI

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments met in executive session for briefing on the current SALT talks in Helsinki by Philip J. Farley, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3786 amended, to authorize the appropriation of additional funds necessary for acquisition of land at the Point Reyes National Seashore in California;

H.R. 9882 amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to sell reserved phosphate interests of the United States in certain lands in Florida to the record owners of the surface thereof;

S. 1108, to waive the acreage limitations of section 1(b) of the act of June 14, 1926, as amended, with respect to conveyance of lands to the State of Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park;

H.R. 2012 amended, to amend the act of October 25, to convey a tract of land to Lillian I. Anderson;

H.R. 2036 amended, to remove a cloud on the titles of certain property, all located in Malin, Oreg.;

H.R. 3098 amended, for the relief of Elizabeth R. Borgnino; and

H.R. 5365, to provide for the conveyance of certain public land held under color of title to Mrs. Jessie L. Gaines, Mobile, Ala.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 14645 amended, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to prohibit certain uses of likenesses of the great seal of the United States and of the seals of the President and Vice President;

H.R. 914 amended, for the relief of Hood River County, Oreg.; and

H.R. 10068, to amend the act of April 29, 1941, to authorize the waiving of the requirement of performance and payment bonds in connection with certain contracts entered into by the Secretary of Commerce. The subcommittee also acted on private claims bills.

CONGLOMERATE MERGERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, Antitrust, continued hearings on conglomerate mergers. Testimony was heard from Lazard Freres & Co. partners Felix G. Rohatyn and Raymond S. Troubh and senior associate Melvin Heineman.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRY ENDORSEMENTS—VESSEL AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 13820, to amend section 4171 of the Revised Statutes to allow the endorsement on certificates of registry of alternate masters;

H.R. 1497, to permit the vessel *Marpole* to be documented for use in the coastwise trade;

S. 133, to authorize the vessel *Orion* to engage in the coastwise trade; and

S. 1177, to authorize the documentation of the vessel *West Wind* as a vessel of the United States with coastwise privileges.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from Gordon Yock, VSC, Inc., Clara City, Minn., and Robert D. Ragsdale, executive director, New York State Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, representing the national association.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Aubrey J. Wagner, Chairman, Tennessee Valley Authority; Howard Mace, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Personnel, Department of State; and Jack Bailey, president, National League of Postmasters.

FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors began hearings on H.R. 14845, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to provide for the establishment of a national policy and comprehensive national program for the management, beneficial use, protection, and development of the land and water resources of the Nation's estuarine and coastal zone. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Interior Walter J. Hickel.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization continued hearings and heard testimony from Representatives Whalen, Hall, Van Deerlin, Biester, Dellenback, Ichord, Langen, McClory, and Ottinger.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Dr. Don E. Kash, director, program in science and public policy, department of political science, Purdue University, and Dr. Lawrence Hafstad, representing the National Academy of Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Department of the Army witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and agreed to a 15-percent increase for all social security recipients, effective as of January 1, 1970 (to be reflected in checks issued April 3, 1970). A bill will be introduced tomorrow to embody this provision.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on U.S. trade, investment, and aid policies. Testimony was heard from Roberto de Oliveira Campos, president, Banco de Desenvolvimento Industrial, Sao Paulo, Brazil, and of the Inter-American Council of Trade and Production; Prof. Richard Cooper, Yale University; former Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon, chairman, United States and Foreign Securities Corp.; George A. Stinson, president, National Steel Corp., and of the American Iron & Steel Institute; and Eric Wyndham-White, former director general, General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3202–3207. Pages 36964–36965

Bills Referred: Several House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 36964

Appropriations—Public Works: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 14159, fiscal 1970 appropriations for public works, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Senate receded from its amendment No. 5, authorizing preconstruction planning on local flood protection at Minot, N. Dak. Pages 36948–36964

Appropriations—Further Continuing: Senate passed without amendment, clearing for the President, H.J. Res. 1017, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Pages 37032–37033

President's Communication—Supplemental Appropriations: Senate received communication from the President transmitting proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970 of $1,443,000 for the Commission on Population Growth and the American Future—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–44. Page 36964

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Curtis amendment No. 343, requiring private foundations to file annual financial reports if such foundation has at least $5,000 in assets at any time during a taxable year;

(2) By 53 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Yarborough amendment No. 332, to provide that funds of private foundations may be used to influence the outcome of specific public elections or in voter registration drives under certain conditions;

(3) By 46 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Murphy amendment No. 320, adding new section providing that 3-percent floor on medical expenses and 1-percent floor on medicine would not apply to individuals who are 65 years of age or older;

(4) By voice vote, Fulbright amendment to update the definition of a "domestic building and loan association";

(5) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Fannin amendment adding new section to give a maxi-

mum deduction of $600 to a disabled individual for transportation expenses to and from work;

(6) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Curtis amendment No. 323 (gain from disposition of farmlands), providing that recapture rules are to date from time of acquisition of the land rather than from time that the soil and water conservation expenditures occurred; and

(7) By voice vote, Griffin amendment providing that foster children be treated the same as legally adopted children in determining number of personal exemptions for dependents to which a taxpayer is entitled; and

Rejected:

(1) By 25 yeas to 68 nays, Young of Ohio amendment No. 336, which would have provided that percentage depletion rate for oil and gas wells be limited to minerals produced in the United States or in its possessions; and

(2) By 11 yeas to 81 nays, Ribicoff amendment No. 341, which would have added new section to provide that unrelated business income of cooperatives be subject to tax.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 331, deleting provisions requiring private foundations to terminate their tax-favored status after 40 years.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when the Senate meets at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, December 5, there be approximately 30 minutes of colloquy on S. 2869, revising criminal laws of the District of Columbia, following which Senate will resume consideration of pending Mondale amendment No. 331 with 1 hour debate limitation thereon, time to be equally divided between Senators Mondale and Long, with a vote thereon at 11 a.m., to be followed by consideration of Javits amendment No. 340 re charitable contributions and private foundations, Metcalf amendment No. 315 relating to farm losses, and Long amendment No. 367, to provide 15-percent increase in social security payments, which amendment was by unanimous consent temporarily laid aside today for consideration of several other amendments. Also, Senate will vote sometime tomorrow on Cannon amendment No. 265, adding "transportation equipment" exception to the provisions of the bill governing the repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit, all time for debate on which amendment has expired. Pages 36976, 36999–37003, 37028–37090

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony on sundry items from numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Hildreth Frost, Jr., of Colorado, to be Assayer of the Mint of the United States at Denver.

UNSOLICITED CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions began hearings on S. 721, to require the Federal Reserve Board to prescribe regulations covering the issuance of unsolicited credit cards. Testimony was presented by Representative Hanley; Andrew Brimmer, member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and Royal E. Jackson, Chief, Division of Bankruptcy, U.S. Courts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses. Testimony was received from Senator Tydings; Mrs. Evelyn Sarson, Action for Children's Television, Newton Centre, Mass.; Weyman H. D. Walker, Civic Communications Corp., Houston; William D. Wright, Rev. Douglas E. Moore, and Absalom F. Jordan, Jr., Black Efforts for Soul in Television; William R. Hudgins, Freedom National Bank, New York; and Theodore Jones, Charles River Broadcasting Co., Waltham, Mass.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 2940, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain property for Independence National Historical Park, Pa.;

H.R. 9163, authorizing disposal of certain land in Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga. (amended);

H.R. 13767, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain land at Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn.;

S. 778, extending deadline on certain Alaskan earthquake urban renewal projects;

S. 3014, to designate as wilderness certain wildlife refuge areas in Alaska, New Mexico, Oregon, and Washington (amended);

S. 2873, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213 acres of land (amended);

S. 2619, relating to travel and transportation expenses of teachers in schools operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

H.R. 9477, providing for the disposition of judgment funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation.

Committee agreed to approve a request of the Secretary of the Interior proposing modification of the Alaska land freeze to allow for certain timber uses.

Committee also discussed additional request relating to the Alaska pipeline but deferred action thereon.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 15091–15109; two private bills, H.R. 15110 and 15111; and two resolutions, H. Res. 738 and 739, were introduced. Page 36942

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs, with amendments (H. Rept. 91–699). Page 36941

Late Report: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to file by midnight Friday a report on H.R. 15095, to amend the Social Security Act to provide a 15-percent across-the-board increase in benefits under the old age, survivors, and disability insurance program. Page 36902

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 10. Page 36903

Receive and Sign: Permission was granted for the Speaker to sign enrolled bills and the Clerk to receive messages, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House from December 4 to December 8. Page 36904

Late Reports: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file by midnight Saturday a conference report on S. 2864, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development; and H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, help housing, small business, and employment. Committee on Government Operations received permission to file by midnight Saturday a report on S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs. Pages 36904–36909

National Banks—Taxes: House disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes, and agree to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, Widnall, Brock, and Del Clawson. Page 36928

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURE MISCELLANY

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 11832 amended, to provide for the establishment of an international quarantine station and to permit the entry therein of animals from any other country and the subsequent movement of such animals into other parts of the United States for purposes of improving livestock breeds;

H.R. 6244, to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to extend financial assistance to desertland entrymen to the same extent as such assistance is available to homestead entrymen;

S. 65, S. 80, S. 81, and S. 82 amended, H.R. 7161 (without amendment), private bills providing for conveyance of lands, and sand, gravel, stone, clay and similar materials to various persons in Arkansas and Arizona.

ARMED FORCES HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Supplemental Service Benefits continued hearings on the health benefits program of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Kenneth Pletcher, Surgeon General of the Air Force; Rear Adm. J. W. Albrittain, Deputy Surgeon General of the Navy; Brig. Gen. Thomas J. Whelan, Jr., Director of Professional Service, Office of the Surgeon General of the Army; and Frank vanDyke, Columbia University.

SECRET FOREIGN BANK ACCOUNTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on secret foreign bank accounts to promote illegal activities. Testimony was heard from Will R. Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice, and Robert Morgenthau, U.S. Attorney, New York.

LOWER INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation to help housing, small business, and employment, but took no action on it.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educa-

tional needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from Citizens for Educational Freedom and Rabbi Goldenberg, National Society Hebrew Day Schools.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from a panel representing public schools; community action programs, OEO; private agencies; University Research Corp.; and Commission on Aging, HEW.

Hearings continue Tuesday, December 9.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MISCELLANY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H. Con. Res. 454 amended, calling for humane treatment and release of American prisoners of war held by North Vietnam and the National Liberation Front;

H.R. 14789, to amend Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended, relating to foreign service retirement and disability system; and

S.J. Res. 90, to enable the United States to organize and hold a diplomatic conference in the United States in fiscal year 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty and authorize an appropriation therefor.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS AUTHORIZATION—MEXICAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 757 amended, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations (this bill had previously been ordered reported by the committee but was reconsidered and amended); and

S. 740 amended, to establish an Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.

The committee also ordered reported three committee reports entitled:

"Debt Collection Operations of the Department of Justice";

"Customs Control Over Petroleum Imports"; and

"Marketing of Federal Obligations—Participation Certificates."

INDIAN LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 11372 amended, to amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the partition or sale of inherited interests in allotted lands in the Tulalip Reservation, Wash."

INTERSTATE MISCELLANY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.J. Res. 506, consenting to an extension and renewal of the interstate compact to conserve oil and gas;

H.R. 14733, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for domestic migrant agricultural workers;

H.R. 13448, Tulane University Public Health Service Hospital;

H.R. 14790 amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act so as to extend for an additional period the authority to make formula grants to schools of public health;

H.R. 14086 amended, to amend the Community Mental Health Centers Act to extend the program of assistance under that act for community mental health centers and facilities for the treatment of alcoholics and narcotic addicts; and

H.R. 14289 amended, to amend the act of March 4, 1921, to place the counties of El Paso and Hudspeth, Tex., in the mountain standard time zone.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

MERCHANT MARINE MISCELLANY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 13407, to consent to the amendment of the Pacific marine fisheries compact;

H.R. 6971 amended, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States;

H.R. 13716 amended, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard Reserve;

H.R. 13816 amended, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard;

H.R. 1497, to permit the vessel *Marpole* to be documented for use in the coastwise trade.

S. 133 and S. 1177 were passed over without prejudice.

BRIEFING ON CONTRACTS WITH STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in open session with representatives of the Bureau of the Budget and the Department of Interior for briefing on determining costs applicable to grants and contracts with State and local governments.

RELOCATION ASSISTANCE AND LAND ACQUISITION POLICIES

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 14898 and related bills, to establish uniform reloca-

tion assistance and land acquisition policies applicable to Federal programs and Federal grant-in-aid programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Brotzman, Cohelan, Moorhead, Steed, Stephens, Thompson of Georgia, Weicker and Ryan. A statement for the record was submitted by Thompson of New Jersey.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization continued hearings and heard testimony from Representatives Ruppe, Taft, Wyman, Riegle, and Dennis.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from Kendall E. Perkins, vice president for engineering and research, McDonnell-Douglas Corp., and Mark E. Kirchner, LIT branch manager, Vertol Division, Boeing Co.

Hearings continue Monday, December 8.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States, and Dr. Milton Katz, director, international legal studies, Law School of Harvard University.

Hearings continue Monday, December 8.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Departments of the Army, Air Force, SBA, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, December 9.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT—TARIFF EXTENSIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 15095, to amend the Social Security Act to provide a 15-percent across-the-board increase in benefits under the old age, survivors, and disability insurance program;

H.R. 15071, to continue for 2 additional years the duty-free status of certain gifts by members of the Armed Forces serving in combat zones; and

H.R. 14956, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to extend the duty-free treatment of certain dyes.

The committee deferred action on H.R. 14799, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to make qualification under State law a prerequisite to registration under the narcotic drug and marihuana laws, to eliminate the provision permitting payment of tax to acquire marihuana by unregistered persons.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy continued hearings on U.S. trade, investment, and aid policies. Testimony was received from Prof. Francis Bator and Prof. Raymond Vernon, both of Harvard University; Axel Iveroth, president, Federation of Swedish Industries; John J. Powers, Jr., president, Charles Pfizer & Sons; and Pierre Uri, professor of economics and journalist.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Tuesday, December 9.

WATER POLLUTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4148, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

Friday, December 5, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 37319–37368

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3208–3217. **Pages 37320–37321**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3108, to provide for Federal assistance for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airports and airways system, with amendment, and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–565);

H.R. 6543, proposed Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act, with amendments and with individual views (S. Rept. 91–566);

S. 2619, relating to travel and transportation expenses of teachers in schools operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (S. Rept. 91–567);

H.R. 12785, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 213 acres of land (S. Rept. 91–568);

H.R. 9477, providing for the disposition of judgment

funds of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation (S. Rept. 91–569);

H.R. 13767, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain land at Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn. (S. Rept. 91–570);

S. 2940, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain property for Independence National Historical Park, Pa. (S. Rept. 91–571);

H.R. 9163, authorizing disposal of certain land in Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–572);

H.R. 210, eliminating requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–573);

S. Res. 279, to extend until January 31 the authority of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, with an amendment (no written report); and

H.R. 14465, to provide for Federal assistance for the expansion and improvement of the Nation's airports and airways system, with amendment (no written report). Page 37320

Bill Referred: S. 3108, Airport and Airway Development, was referred to Committee on Finance. Page 37320

D.C. Criminal Laws: Senate took from calendar and passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendments and cleared for the House S. 2869, to revise the criminal law and procedure of the District of Columbia. Prior to passage, Senate agreed to the following three amendments by Senator McClellan to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute: (1) Making clear that good-faith cooperation by a telephone company or an individual with law enforcement officials would not subject such party to civil liability, (2) to allow, in emergency situations, a law enforcement official up to 72 hours to complete paperwork in preparing applications for electronic surveillance, and (3) to make language of the bill consistent with recommendations of the National Commission on the Reform of Federal Criminal Law in regard to immunity provisions to aid enforcement of provisions prohibiting unlawful electronic surveillance. Pages 37183–37195

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 69 yeas to 18 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Mondale amendment No. 331, deleting provisions requiring private foundations to terminate their tax-favored status after 40 years;

(2) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Javits amendment No. 371, to establish a Presidential commission to study whether the national interest requires philanthropy and similar tax-exempt activity;

(3) By 73 yeas to 14 nays, modified Long amendment No. 367, to provide a 15-percent increase in social security payments effective in January 1970, prior to adoption of which Senate, by 48 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), adopted Byrd of West Virginia and Mansfield perfecting amendments to provide minimum social security payment of $100 for individuals and $150 for married couples, and providing that tax base be increased from $7,800 to $12,000 beginning in 1973, and by 77 yeas to 10 nays, Harris perfecting amendment, the effect of which would liberalize welfare benefits paid by the States to aged, blind, or disabled welfare recipients; and rejected: by 34 yeas to 56 nays, Williams of Delaware substitute (for amendment No. 367) providing 10-percent instead of 15-percent increase in social security payments, and, by 44 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Prouty amendment to increase minimum monthly payments from $64 to $70;

(4) By 53 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ribicoff amendment No. 313, adding new section to provide for a tax credit for expenses of higher education;

(5) By voice vote, Hansen amendment, modifying transition rules applicable to repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit so as to prevent a taxpayer from being denied the investment credit for property placed in service to carry out plans under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act in certain cases; and

(6) By voice vote, Miller amendment of a technical nature to provide that the unrelated business tax does not apply in certain cases of educational institutions maintained by a State as well as in certain cases where a TV or radio station owned by an educational institution and maintained by a religious order, as provided in committee substitute.

Rejected:

(1) By voice vote, Cannon amendment No. 265, adding "transportation equipment" exception to the provisions of the bill governing the repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit; and

(2) By 31 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tydings amendment No. 333, adding new section to provide that inherited property would have the same tax basis in the hands of the person receiving the property as it did in the hands of the decedent.

Pending at recess was Metcalf amendment No. 315, limiting deductions for farm expenses incurred by a taxpayer to the income from farming plus $15,000. Pages 37197–37248, 37289–37319, 37368

Committee To Sit: By unanimous consent, Subcommittee on Health of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare has permission to sit during the session of the Senate of Monday and Tuesday, December 8 and 9. Pages 37241, 37248

Supergrades: Senate took from calendar and passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) and

cleared for the House S. 2325, authorizing Civil Service Commission to establish additional supergrade positions to an overall total of 2,772. Prior to approval of the bill, Senate adopted Stevens amendment to authorize additional 45 such positions inadvertently omitted from the bill when reported. Pages 37313–37316

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the nomination of Hildreth Frost, Jr., of Colorado, to be Assayer of the Mint of the United States at Denver. Page 37368

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Douglas William Toms, of Washington, to be Director of the National Highway Safety Bureau; John J. Gibbons, of New Jersey, to be U.S. Circuit Judge, Third Circuit; five judicial, three to be U.S. attorney and two to be U.S. marshal; two Navy in the rank of admiral; and one Air Force in the rank of general. Also, Senate received the withdrawals of William R. Ford, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, and one judicial nomination to be U.S. attorney. Page 37368

Recess: Recessed at 7:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, after receiving testimony on sundry items from public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittees held hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, with testimony as follows:

Department of Justice—Leo M. Pellerzi, Assistant Attorney General for Administration; John J. Kaminski, Director, Office of Budget and Accounts; Raymond F. Farrell, Commissioner, and E. A. Loughran, Associate Commissioner, Management, both of the Immigration and Naturalization Service; John E. Ingersoll, Director, Andrew C. Tartaglino, Assistant Director for Enforcement, and Robert T. Albright, Chief, Financial Management, all of the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs; and

Department of State—Samuel DePalma, Assistant Secretary for International Organizations Affairs, accompanied by Oscar H. Neilson, Executive Director, Bureau of International Organizations Affairs; William O. Boswell, Director, Office of International Conferences; Abbott M. Washburn, Deputy Chairman, U.S. delegation to Intelsat Plenipotentiary Conference; James W. Brennan, Acting Director, Office of International Patent and Trademark Affairs, U.S. Patent Office, Department of Commerce; and Richard W. Murray, Director, Budget Planning and Presentation.

On Thursday, December 4, in an evening session, testimony was received as follows:

Department of Agriculture—Kenneth E. Grant, Administrator, Soil Conservation Service; Harold T. Mason, Deputy Governor, Farm Credit Administration; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer; and

Independent offices—Robert E. Hampton, Chairman, Civil Service Commission, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BROADCASTING LICENSE RENEWAL

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued hearings on S. 2004, to establish orderly procedures for the consideration of applications for renewal of broadcasting licenses, receiving testimony from John F. Banzhaf III, LASH, Washington, D.C.; and Rev. John McLaughlin, S.J., America magazine, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued executive consideration of pending legislation authorizing funds for the foreign aid program for fiscal year 1970 but made no announcements and will meet again on Monday, December 8.

HEALTH FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Thursday, December 4, committee, in a late evening executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 2523, to provide grants for construction of community mental health centers (amended);

S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health; and

S. Res. 279, to extend until January 31 the authority of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs (amended).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

AIR DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Air Defense of Southeastern United States met in executive session for briefing on new detection and protection systems to be used by the Department of Defense. Testimony was heard from Jerry J. Mayman,

manager, advanced planning, Sanders Associates, Inc.; Capt. W. M. Montgomery, Deputy Director, Air, Surface and Electronic Warfare Division, Office Deputy Chief of Naval Operations; and Dr. C. Robert Wieser, Assistant Director for Defensive Systems, D.D.R. & E.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the District of Columbia Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and D.C. Department of Corrections witnesses.

Hearings continue Monday, December 8.

"THE GREEN REVOLUTION"

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments held a symposium/hearing on "The Green Revolution" (miracle grains). Testimony was heard from Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin and 12 subsequent speakers.

ROCKET LAUNCHERS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations concluded a hearing on rocket launchers. Testimony was heard from Department of Defense witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization continued hearings and heard testimony from Representatives Blackburn, Gibbons, Hansen of Idaho, Heckler of Massachusetts, O'Hara, Rees, Hon. James C. Auchincloss (former Representative), and Hon. Jorge Córdova, Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico.

Saturday, December 6, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 37518–37558

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2238, private bill (S. Rept. 91–574);

S. 1646, creating an additional judicial district in Louisiana (S. Rept. 91–575);

S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial and administrative proceedings in customs matters, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–576); and

H.R. 4744, private bill (S. Rept. 91–577). Page 37518

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote, Bennett amendment allowing water users organized to operate projects of the Bureau of Reclamation to deduct all expenses incurred in supplying services and benefits to their members up to the effective date of the bill;

(2) By voice vote, Bennett amendment clarifying language which allows the Internal Revenue Service to audit churches;

(3) By voice vote, modified Fannin amendment No. 350 relating to the disposition of the excess business holdings of foundations located in populated areas;

(4) By voice vote, modified Javits amendment No. 381, to provide, in connection with cooperative housing corporations, that a tenant-stockholder may deduct from his income a proportion of interest and local taxes without regard to the stock held in the cooperative by a State or local government;

(5) By voice vote, Javits amendment relating to the extending of tax incentives for low and moderate income housing construction to certain State housing programs;

(6) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Holland amendment No. 375, adding a new section to provide that certain costs of developing and maintaining citrus groves would have to be capitalized;

(7) By 49 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Percy amendment No. 374, increasing amount required to be paid by a private foundation for charitable purposes to the amount of its income or 6 percent of the value of its assets, whichever is greater;

(8) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Allott amendment No. 318, to provide that molybdenum receive a percentage depletion rate of 23 percent;

(9) By voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Hollings amendment No. 357, to change provisions of the committee amendment relating to treatment of bonds held by financial institutions;

(10) By voice vote, Scott amendment to extend availability of 50-percent charitable deduction limitation and full deduction for gifts of certain appreciated property also to contributors to "community foundation";

(11) By 35 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Stevens amendment No. 380, providing exception to the rules governing the repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit for investments made in depressed areas;

(12) By voice vote, Dominick amendment adding a new section relating to distribution of income of personal holding companies; and

(13) By voice vote, Bellmon amendment No. 373, to add a new section providing that if real property used

in a trade or business is involuntarily condemned, then any gain realized from the condemnation will be nontaxable if the condemned property is replaced by any real property within a 2-year period; and

Rejected:

(1) By 29 yeas to 50 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Metcalf amendment No. 315, limiting deductions for farm expenses incurred by a taxpayer to the income from farming plus $15,000;

(2) By 32 yeas to 47 nays, modified Miller amendment No. 359, which would have modified the committee substitute with regard to farm losses;

(3) By 16 yeas to 63 nays, Kennedy amendment to add any unrealized appreciation in the value of property donated to charity to the list of tax preference items included in the minimum tax computation; and

(4) By 24 yeas to 52 nays, Kennedy amendment which would have substituted a four bracket graduated tax for committee-approved 5-percent minimum tax on sum of every taxpayer's preferences.

Pending at adjournment was Bellmon amendment No. 352, to add a new section providing that in any proceeding before the Tax Court the prevailing party may be awarded a judgment of costs.

Pages 37459–37460, 37461–37520, 37557–37558

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Rear Adm. T. R. Sargent III, Chief of Staff, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and Robert M. White, Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration, and Myron Tribus, Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, both of the Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 8.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported:

H.R. 4244, removing ceiling on appropriations for the Administrative Conference;

S. 1646, creating an additional judicial district in Louisiana;

S. 1872, to repeal the Emergency Detention Act of 1950;

S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial and administrative proceedings in customs matters;

Two private claims bills (H.R. 2238 and 4744); and

Two private immigration bills (S. 1389 and 2102).

Committee also considered pending drug legislation but did not conclude action thereon.

Monday, December 8, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 37564–37582

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3218 and 3219; and S.J. Res. 166.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 154, requesting the President to proclaim the month of January of each year as "National Blood Donor Month" (S. Rept. 91–578);

H.J. Res. 10, requesting the President to proclaim the second week of March as "Volunteers of America Week," with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–579);

S. 1148, to provide land-grant status for the College of the Virgin Islands and the University of Guam, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–580);

H.R. 9233, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–581);

H.R. 13000, proposed Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–582);

S. 2523, to provide grants for construction of community mental health centers, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–583);

S. Res. 239, referring to the Court of Claims S. 2807, a private claim bill (S. Rept. 91–584); and

H.R. 11503, private bill (S. Rept. 91–585).

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Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from calendar and passed the following bills:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Fort Donelson National Battlefield: H.R. 13767, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain land at Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Public lands: H.R. 9163, authorizing disposal of certain land in Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.; and

Vessel safety standards: H.R. 210, eliminating requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Indian school teachers: S. 2619, relating to travel and transportation expenses of teachers in schools operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs;

Independence National Historical Park: S. 2940, authorizing funds for acquisition of certain property for Independence National Historical Park, Pa.; and

Fish and wildlife: S. 1232, to provide for State management of fish and wildlife.

Pages 37564–37566, 37626–37628

Appropriations—Military Construction: By unanimous vote of 82 yeas, Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) and returned to the House H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Mansfield, Bible, Proxmire, Yarborough, Russell, Symington, Pearson, Fong, and Young of North Dakota.

Pages 37582–37586

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 50 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Inouye amendment No. 319, deleting section of bill under which the portion of lump-sum distributions attributable to employer contributions made after December 31, 1969, would be taxed as ordinary income rather than as capital gain;

(2) By voice vote, Ribicoff amendment No. 392, reducing from one-fifth of 1 percent to one-tenth of 1 percent the rate of audit fee tax on audits of assets of foundations after 1970;

(3) By voice vote, Curtis amendment No. 390, extending from February 15 until March 15, deadline for farmers to file tax returns considered as declarations or amendments;

(4) By voice vote, Ribicoff amendment to apply the same transition rule for distributions on preferred stock that applies to other distributions affected by the House bill;

(5) By voice vote, Miller amendment, of a technical nature, dealing with real estate investment trusts;

(6) By voice vote, Ribicoff amendment to allow a remarried widower who files a separate tax return to be entitled to the same tax treatment that would be obtained if he had not remarried;

(7) By voice vote, Miller amendment No. 344, adding two new sections to provide for special tax treatment of property acquired with funds accruing from the violation of criminal laws;

(8) By voice vote, Hansen amendment providing, in the case of farm loss provisions, the $25,000 loss exception and $50,000 income provision are to apply to corporations in the same way as to individuals; and

(9) By 46 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Moss amendment to allow a taxpayer to disregard a child's social security payments for purpose of determining eligibility as a dependent; and

Rejected:

(1) By voice vote, Curtis amendment No. 316, to add an exception to committee amendment relating to the limitation on multiple surtax exemptions of corporations;

(2) By 25 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Talmadge substitute (for amendment No. 303), relating to denying of exemptions to tax-exempt organizations for political activities; and

(3) By 27 yeas to 59 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Fannin amendment No. 303, relating to denying of exemption to tax-exempt organizations for political activities.

Pending at adjournment was Gore amendment No. 389, to remove provisions of the bill providing a five-year amortization of railroad rolling stock.

Under unanimous consent agreement, when Senate meets at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, December 9, and following routine morning business, further debate on pending amendment shall be limited to 40 minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by Senators Gore and Long. The yeas and nays have been ordered on the amendment.

Pages 37582, 37586, 37588–37625, 37629–37657

Authority to Sit: By unanimous consent, subcommittee of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, and Small Business Subcommittee of Committee on Banking and Currency are authorized to sit during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, December 9. Page 37624

Nominations: Senate received sundry Army nominations. Pages 37657–37658

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL QUARANTINE STATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held and concluded hearings on S. 2306, to establish an international quarantine station, and to permit entry of animals for purposes of improving livestock breeds. Testimony was received from Senator Hruska; Dr. Francis J. Mulhern, Deputy Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; C. W. McMillan, American National Cattlemen's Association, Denver; and Joe R. Straus, Jr., San Antonio, Tex.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittees continued hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, with testimony on the following items:

Office of Intergovernmental Relations—Nils A. Boe, Director;

President's Advisory Council on Executive Organization—Howard Schnoor;

Treasury Department—Eugene T. Rossides, Assistant Secretary, Myles Ambrose, Commissioner, Bureau of Customs, and James J. Rowley, Director, U.S. Secret Service;

Tax Court of the United States—William M. Drennen, Chief Judge;

Small Business Administration—Senator Spong; Wil-

liam D. Brewer, Deputy Administrator, Anthony S. Stasio, Acting Associate Administrator for Financial Assistance, William P. Turpin, Assistant Administrator (Comptroller), and Herbert T. Mills, Director, Office of Budget and Finance;

Commission on Government Procurement—Dwight A. Ink, Assistant Director for Executive Management, Bureau of the Budget;

National Commission on Consumer Finance—Maurice Mann, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; and

Commission on Population Growth and the American Future—Richard P. Nathan, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNSOLICITED CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions concluded hearings on S. 721, to require the Federal Reserve Board to prescribe regulations covering the issuance of unsolicited credit cards. Testimony was received from Thomas A. Bailey, representing the American Bankers Association; James C. Brown, Mercantile Trust Co., St. Louis; Edward J. McNeal, American Retail Federation; and Jerome R. Gulan, National Federation of Independent Business, Inc.

On Sunday, December 7, testimony was received on this bill from Robert Mead, President's Committee on Consumer Interests; Prof. William F. Willier, National Consumer Law Center, Boston College; and several other public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 14580, proposed Foreign Assistance Act of 1969. The following table gives a breakdown of the committee's action compared to fiscal 1970 requests, and House-passed figures:

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AUTHORIZATIONS

[In thousands of dollars]

Economic assistance	Requested, fiscal year 1970	House	Senate committee	Change over House
1. Development loans	675,500	425,500	350,000	−75,500
2. Technical cooperation and development grants	224,500	200,000	167,000	−33,000
3. American schools and hospitals abroad	12,900	23,400	25,900	+2,500
Local currency			(3,000)	(+3,000)
4. Alliance for Progress	553,500	437,500	419,000	−18,500
Loans	(437,500)	(337,500)	(337,500)	(0)
Grants	(116,000)	(100,000)	(81,500)	(−18,500)
5. Desalting plant for Middle East		40,000	[1] 40,000	
6. International organizations and programs	142,220	143,220	143,220	0
Indus Basin	7,530	7,530	7,530	0
7. Supporting assistance	495,000	395,000	420,000	+25,000
8. Contingency fund	40,000	15,000	20,000	+5,000
9. Administrative expenses: AID	54,250	52,250	50,000	−2,250
Total economic assistance	2,205,400	1,739,400	1,642,650	−96,750
10. Grant military assistance	425,000	454,500	[2] 325,000	−129,500
Total economic and military assistance	2,630,400	2,193,900	1,967,650	−226,250

[1] Added to development loans.

[2] Military assistance funds for military headquarters must come from the Foreign Assistance Act. Amount for fiscal year 1970—$31.3 million.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Henry J. Tasca, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Greece.

CRIME CONTROL, AND NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

An original bill to control the drug problem;

S. 30, Organized Crime Control Act of 1969 (amended);

S.J. Res. 154, requesting the President to proclaim the month of January of each year as "National Blood Donor Month";

H.J. Res. 10, requesting the President to proclaim the second week of March in every year as "Volunteers of America Week" (amended);

S. Res. 239, referring to the Court of Claims S. 2807, a private claim bill; and

One private claim bill (H.R. 11503).

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Thomas C. Morrill, State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co.; Prof. Allen Linden, York University, Toronto, Canada; and William A. Stringfellow, National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents.

Prior to receiving the above testimony, subcommittee, in executive session, received testimony from Bernard Webb of Georgia State University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FAMILY PLANNING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health began hearings on S. 2108 and related bills, to promote public health and welfare by the improvement of family planning services and population research activities of the Federal Government. Testimony was received from Senator Tydings; Dr. John Rock, Harvard University Medical School; Dr. John B. Graham, University of North Carolina School of Medicine; Oscar Harkavy, director of Ford Foundation Office of Population, New York; Frederick S. Jaffe, director, Center for Family Planning Program Development; Dr. Allen F. Guttmacher, president, Planned Parenthood-World Population; Dr. Joseph D. Beasley, Tulane University, New Orleans; Dr. Gary D. London, Los Angeles; Miss Mary Edmond, R.N., New Jersey College of Medicine and Dentistry, Newark; Dr. Leslie Corsa, American Public Health Association, Ann Arbor, Mich.; and Carl Flemister, Citizens Committee for Children, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL PAY LEGISLATION, AND CIVIL SERVICE REVOLVING FUND

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 13000, proposed Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969; and H.R. 9233, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 38 public bills, H.R. 15112–15149; one private bill, H.R. 15150; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1021–1024, H. Con. Res. 464, and H. Res. 740–744, were introduced. **Pages 37704–37706, 37732–37733**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15095, to amend the Social Security Act to provide a 15-percent across-the-board increase in benefits under the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program (H. Rept. 91–700, filed Friday, December 5);

Report entitled "Debt Collection Operations of the Department of Justice" (H. Rept. 91–701);

S.J. Res. 90, to enable the United States to organize and hold a diplomatic conference in the United States in the 1970 fiscal year to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty and to authorize an appropriation therefor (H. Rept. 91–702);

H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies, amended (H. Rept. 91–703);

H.R. 14956, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930—to extend the duty-free treatment of certain dyes, amended (H. Rept. 91–704);

H.R. 15071, to continue for 2 additional years the duty-free status of certain gifts by members of the Armed Forces serving in combat zones, amended (H. Rept. 91–705);

H. Res. 740, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15095, to amend the Social Security Act to provide a 15-percent across-the-board increase in benefits under the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program (H. Rept. 91–706);

H. Res. 741, providing for the consideration of S. 740, to establish the Cabinet Committee on Opportunities for Spanish-Speaking People (H. Rept. 91–707);

H.R. 15149, foreign aid appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–708);

Conference report on H.R. 12964, appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies for 1970 fiscal year (H. Rept. 91–709); and

H. Res. 742, waiving points of order against H.R. 15149, foreign aid appropriations for fiscal year 1970 (H. Rept. 91–710). **Page 37732**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. **Page 37659**

Defense Appropriations: By a record vote of 330 yeas to 33 nays, the House passed H.R. 15090, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Agreed to an amendment that prohibits use of funds for publicity or propaganda purposes not authorized by Congress.

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment that would eliminate $359.5 million in deployment funds for the Safeguard antiballistic-missile system (rejected by a division vote of 25 yeas to 78 nays);

An amendment to eliminate $100 million for procurement of the TOW antitank missile (rejected by a teller vote of 43 yeas to 59 nays);

An amendment designed to limit the amount to be

spent for public relations and information to $10 million (rejected by a division vote of 31 yeas to 84 nays); and

An amendment proposing a straight 10-percent cut in funding. Pages 37660–37704

Military Construction Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to the conference requested by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Sikes, McFall, Patten, Long of Maryland, Mahon, Cederberg, Jonas, Talcott, and Bow. Page 37704

Late Reports: Committee on Appropriations received permission to file a report by midnight tonight on foreign aid appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970; Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry privileged reports by midnight tonight; and conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 12964, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 37704

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 37731

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton continued hearings on the cotton program. Testimony was heard from Department of Agriculture witnesses.

POISONED HAY INDEMNITY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Operations held a hearing on H.R. 6525, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to indemnify farmers whose hay is contaminated with residues of economic poisons. Testimony was heard from Representatives Olsen and Melcher and departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the foreign assistance and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970, amended.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the District of Columbia Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and D.C. Department of Corrections witnesses.

Hearings continue Wednesday, December 10.

INDIAN JUDGMENT FUNDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10184 amended, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Sioux Tribe of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation.

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 14737, and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; also H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held a hearing on H.R. 12934 and related bills, to extend the Clean Air Act. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations concluded hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from J. Ronald Fox, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics; and Lt. Gen. Joseph M. Heiser, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Department of the Army.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session and approved for full committee action reports entitled "United States Aid Operations in Indonesia", part I and part II.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from John Vinciguerra, Assistant General Manager for Administration, and Edward J. Bloch, Deputy General Manager, Atomic Energy Commission; Vincent J. Paterno, national president, Association of Civilian Technicians; John J. Murphy, president, National Customs Service Association; and George Epthemes, secretary, National Association of Government Engineers.

Hearings continue Wednesday, December 10.

MEXICAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order against section 9 of S. 740, establishes the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Holifield, Roybal, and Erlenborn.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for the consideration of and waiving points of order against the foreign assistance and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Testimony was heard from Representatives Passman and Shriver.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 15095, to provide a benefit increase under the social security system. Testimony was heard from Chairman Mills and Representative Byrnes of Wisconsin and Burton of California.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development continued hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Dr. Alvin Weinberg, Director, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Dr. Louis Branscomb, Director, National Bureau of Standards; and Dr. John Pierce, Bell Telephone Laboratories.

Hearings continue Thursday, December 11.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Administrator, NASA; and Charles W. Harper, Deputy Associate Administrator (Aeronautics) Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3220–3223; S.J. Res. 167; and S. Res. 293. **Pages 37823, 37825**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–586);

S. 1389, private bill (S. Rept. 91–587);

H.R. 2208, private bill (S. Rept. 91–588);

H.R. 4560, private bill (S. Rept. 91–589);

H.R. 5133, private bill (S. Rept. 91–590);

H.R. 6600, private bill (S. Rept. 91–591);

H.R. 10156, private bill (S. Rept. 91–592);

S. 2102, private bill, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–593); and

S. 3014, to designate as wilderness certain wildlife refuge areas in Alaska, New Mexico, Oregon, and Washington, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–594).

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Bill Referred: H.R. 15090, Defense appropriations, was referred to Committee on Appropriations.

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Calendar Call: On call of calendar five bills, of which two were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: H.R. 2238 and H.R. 4744.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

"Volunteers of America Week": H.J. Res. 10, requesting the President to proclaim the second week of March as "Volunteers of America Week."

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Louisiana courts: S. 1646, to create an additional judicial district in Louisiana; and

"National Blood Donor Month": S.J. Res. 154, requesting the President to proclaim the month of January of each year as "National Blood Donor Month."

Pages 37807–37809

Customs: Senate took up and passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with committee amendments S. 2624, to amend laws relating to judicial and administrative proceedings in customs matters. **Pages 37809–37818**

Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote, Javits admendment of a technical nature relating to tax treatment of donations to tax-exempt organizations of property which is subject to an indebtedness;

(2) By voice vote, Cooper amendment No. 399, to provide for the amortization over a 5-year period of the cost of coal mine safety equipment;

(3) By voice vote, Miller amendment relating to taxation of accumulation trusts;

(4) By voice vote, Miller amendment of a clarifying nature, dealing with provisions of bill on conversion of a convertible debenture into common stock of the issuer;

(5) By 54 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Byrd of West Virginia amendment

No. 398, to make persons eligible for actuarially reduced social security benefits at age 60 beginning in January 1970 (modified so as to make provisions effective only after proclamation by President so authorizing);

(6) By voice vote, Scott amendment relating to taxes on excess business holdings;

(7) By voice vote, modified Mathias amendment No. 382 (relating to retirement plans of subchapter "S" corporations), to change definition of a "shareholder-employee" so that an employee or officer would have to own 10 percent or more of the corporation's stock in order to be so classified;

(8) By voice vote, Holland amendment to exempt from IRS levies sufficient earnings of a divorced father to permit payment of the support awarded by the court;

(9) By voice vote, Bellmon amendment No. 403 to allow prevailing party in a Tax Court proceeding to recover certain court costs, with exception of cases without merit;

(10) By voice vote, Williams of Delaware amendment to prohibit the sale by the IRS of tax statistics, which would be available to so-called junk mail dealers, on the basis of ZIP code numbers;

(11) By 65 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Fannin amendment No. 296, deleting section of bill which provides that contributions by a professional service organization to a pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plan for a stockholder-employee in excess of 10 percent of his earnings or $2,500, which ever is less, is to be included in the stockholder's gross income;

(12) By voice vote, Moss amendment No. 254, to provide for a special reduced rate of withholding on earnings paid to employees who are students; and

(13) By voice vote, Yarborough amendment No. 383, exempting from definition of "debt-financed property" real property subject to a lease entered into primarily for purposes substantially related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose; and

Rejected:

(1) By 3 yeas to 92 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Gore amendment No. 389, deleting from committee amendment those provisions relating to rehabilitation expenditures for used real estate, pollution control facilities, and 5-year amortization period on railroad rolling stock;

(2) By 41 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified McCarthy amendment No. 364, to give special tax consideration to taxpayers who give 80 percent or more of their adjusted gross income to charitable organizations;

(3) By 50 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hatfield motion to table Kennedy amendment No. 409, to allow an individual a credit against his income tax for political contributions in the amount of one-half of the contribution paid during the year up to a maximum credit of $25;

(4) By voice vote, Gore amendment to prevent leasing syndicates to have rapid amortization on their investments;

(5) By voice vote, Packwood amendment No. 346, to provide that housing management corporations be tax exempt; and

(6) By voice vote, Moss amendment to change effective date for tax treatment of mineral production payments.

Pending at recess was Cotton amendment No. 342, adding new section authorizing the President to impose quantitative limitations and other restrictions as he deems necessary on the importation of articles into the United States.

Under unanimous consent agreement, when Senate meets at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, December 10, debate be limited to 2 hours on the pending amendment beginning at 9:30 a.m., such time to be equally divided and controlled by Senators Cotton and Javits.

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Indians: Senate took from calendar, passed without amendment, and cleared for the President H.R. 12785, to declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 214 acres of land.

Pages 37943–37944

Authority To Sit: By unanimous consent, Small Business Subcommittee of Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to sit during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, December 10. Page 37940

Recess: Recessed at 7:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation concluded hearings on S. 2225, to strengthen voluntary agricultural organizations, and to provide for the orderly marketing of agricultural products. Testimony was received from Robert N. Hampton, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; Reuben L. Johnson and Angus McDonald, both of the National Farmers Union; Edward Dunkelberger, National Canners Association; R. Frank Frazier and James F. Rill, both of the National Broiler Council; Harold Ford, Southeastern Poultry and Egg Association, Decatur, Ga.; James H. Brian, National Association of Frozen Food Packers; James F. Fleming, Alabama Poultry Industries Association; George B. Collins, Northwestern Bank, North Wilkesboro, N.C.; and several other public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held executive hearings to receive testimony from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird and chairman of the Joint

Chiefs of Staff, Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, with regard to H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

Subcommittee will meet in executive session tomorrow to begin markup on this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee met in executive session to mark up H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business began hearings on the Government's minority business enterprise program, with testimony from Maurice H. Stans, Secretary of Commerce; Hilary J. Sandoval, Jr., Administrator, SBA; and Floyd H. Hyde, Assistant Secretary for Model Cities, HUD.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMUNICATIONS PROCEDURES

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 1917, to establish a Federal-State board to prescribe procedures for communication common carriers in relation to interstate toll service and intrastate service. Testimony was received from Dean Burch, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, accompanied by Commissioners Robert T. Bartley and Kenneth A. Cox; Francis Pearson, Ben T. Wiggins, and George I. Bloom, all of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners; and Archie Smith, Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

AIR SAFETY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure began hearings on the development and implementation of air safety rules by the Federal Aviation Administration, receiving testimony from its Administrator John H. Shaffer.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FAMILY PLANNING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on S. 2108 and related bills, to promote public health and welfare by the improvement of family planning services and population research activities of the Federal Government. Testimony was received from Senator Cranston; Representative Chisholm; Robert H. Finch, Secretary, accompanied by Roger O. Egeberg, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, and Creed C. Black, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, all of the Department of HEW; former Senator Ernest Gruening, Population Crisis Committee; Willie Brown, Jr., member, California State Assembly; Dr. Gerald Dorman, president, American Medical Association; Dr. Joseph W. Goldzieher, Southwest Foundation for Research and Education, San Antonio, accompanied by Maj. Gen. William H. Draper, Jr., president, Population Crisis Foundation of Texas; Dr. George Crawford, United Methodist Church, Dallas; Dr. James M. Dunn, Texas Baptist Convention, Dallas; Mrs. Sue Randall, Southwest Regional Planned Parenthood-World Population, San Antonio; Lloyd Tuppling, Sierra Club; and Mrs. Carl A. S. Coan, Annapolis, Md.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Donald L. Peyton, American National Standards Institute; Dr. Carl U. Dernehl, American Academy of Occupational Medicine; and John A. McCart, Government Employees Council, AFL-CIO.

Subcommittee continued hearings in an evening session.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 15151–15173; four private bills, H.R. 15174–15177; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1025–1028, H. Con. Res. 465, and H. Res. 745 were introduced. Page 38015

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. 14733, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for domestic migrant agricultural workers (H. Rept. 91–711);

H.R. 14790, to amend the Public Health Service Act so as to extend for an additional period the authority to make formula grants to schools of public health, amended (H. Rept. 91–712);

H.J. Res. 506, consenting to an extension and renewal of the interstate compact to conserve oil and gas (H. Rept. 91–713);

H.R. 14289, to amend the act of March 4, 1921, to place the counties of El Paso and Hudspeth, Tex., in the mountain standard time zone, amended (H. Rept. 91–714);

H.R. 13407, to consent to the amendment of the Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact (H. Rept. 91–715);

H.R. 14789, to amend title VIII of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended, relating to the Foreign Service retirement and disability system (H. Rept. 91–716);

H.R. 7161, S. 65, amended, S. 80, amended, S. 81, amended, and S. 82, amended, all private bills (H. Rept. 91–717 to 91–721, respectively);

H.R. 13954, to amend the act of August 22, 1949 (63 Stat. 623) so as to authorize the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution to plan and construct museum support and depository facilities (H. Rept. 91–722);

H.R. 13956, to amend the act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 953; 20 U.S.C. 65a), relating to the National Museum of the Smithsonian Institution, so as to authorize additional appropriations to the Smithsonian Institution for carrying out the purpose of said act (H. Rept. 91–723);

H.R. 13959, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the many contributions to the founding and early development of the State of Texas and the city of San Antonio by Jose Antonio Navarro, amended (H. Rept. 91–724);

H.R. 14213, to amend sections 5580 and 5581 of the Revised Statutes to provide for additional members of the board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 91–725);

H.R. 13448, to authorize the exchange upon terms fully protecting the public interest, of the lands and buildings now constituting the U.S. Public Health Service hospital at New Orleans, La., for lands upon which a new U.S. Public Health Service hospital at New Orleans, La., may be located (H. Rept. 91–726);

Conference report on H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–727); and

Conference report on H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes (H. Rept. 91–728).

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 37946

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 37947

State, Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 12964, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Receded and concurred to Senate amendment No. 21, with an amendment, and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 37947–37948

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 37949

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a record vote of 200 yeas to 195 nays, with 2 voting "present," House passed H.R. 15149, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report back forthwith with an amendment reducing by $282,000 funds for assistance to refugees in the United States.

On a demand for a separate vote on an amendment increasing military assistance to the Republic of Korea by $50 million and retaining $54.5 million for aircraft for the Republic of China, House agreed to the amendment by a record vote of 250 yeas to 142 nays (agreed to earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 119 yeas to 82 nays as a substitute for an amendment seeking to eliminate the funds for Republic of China aircraft purchase).

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment prohibiting economic assistance to any country furnishing economic assistance to Communist China (agreed to by a division vote of 83 yeas to 54 nays); and

An amendment eliminating the section prohibiting transfer of loan repayment receipts to the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (agreed to by a division vote of 91 yeas to 19 nays).

Rejected the following amendments:

An amendment to restore $33.8 million for United Nations development programs (rejected by a teller vote of 59 yeas to 75 nays);

An amendment to restore the overseas private investment program in the bill and fund it at $75 million;

An amendment to reduce development loan funds from $265 million to $168,875,000 (rejected by a division vote of 29 yeas to 86 nays);

An amendment to the above amendment to increase development loan funds to $425,500,000;

An amendment to increase funds for Agency for International Development administrative expenses by $2,250,000; and

An amendment eliminating the requirement that expenditures outside the United States for any commodity in excess of $100,000 be reported to Congress.

H. Res. 742, the rule waiving points of order on the bill, was adopted earlier by voice vote. Pages 37949–37996

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 38014

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session to consider all bills before the committee which would extend or amend the food stamp program.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

ARMED FORCES HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Supplemental Service Benefits continued hearings on the health benefits program of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

VIETNAM MASSACRE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigating met in executive session for continuation of hearings on the alleged massacre in Vietnam by U.S. forces. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. William Peers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

QUALITY OF URBAN LIFE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Urban Growth continued hearings on the quality of urban life. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

D.C. TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded a hearing on H.R. 12600, to make certain revisions in the retirement benefits of District of Columbia public school teachers and other educational employees. Testimony was heard from D.C. government and public witnesses.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION—VOCATIONAL EDUCATION EXTENSION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 860 amended, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act, 1947, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances; and

H.R. 13630 amended, to extend certain expiring provisions of law relating to vocational education.

Prior to the full committee action, the General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved H.R. 13630 (title above) for full committee action.

COMPREHENSIVE PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Dr. R. J. Neutra, architect, Los Angeles; Mrs. Edna Thomas, president, Newark Day Care Council; Kate Bullis, KLH Day Care Center; vice president Nocella, Amalgamated Clothing Workers Union; and Dr. Leonard Seeley, British behaviorist.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the Geneva Protocol of 1925 concerning U.S. policies on gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Representative Kastenmeier; Dr. Judith S. Bellin, Women's Strike for Peace, Freeport, N.Y.; Patricia A. Samuel, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Washington, D.C.; and Dr. E. James Lieberman, Scientists' Committee on Chemical and Biological Warfare.

Hearings continue Thursday, December 11.

COMMISSION ON POPULATION GROWTH AND THE AMERICAN FUTURE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of S. 2701, to create a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future. The subcommittee also considered H.R. 4599 and H.R. 14460 but took no final action on them.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SDS INVOLVEMENT IN EXCHANGE OF WAR PRISONERS

Committee on Internal Security: Held a hearing on Students for a Democratic Society involvement in the exchange of prisoners of war. Testimony was heard from Lt. Robert F. Frishman, a Navy pilot who was shot down over North Vietnam October 24, 1967, and was imprisoned until August of this year.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HUDSON RIVERWAY LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 13106 amended, to extend for 3 years the period of time during which certain requirements shall continue to apply with respect to applications for a license for an activity which may affect the resources of the Hudson Riverway. Testimony was heard from Representatives Ottinger and Ryan and G. Douglas Hofe, Jr., Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation.

INVESTMENT COMPANY AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 14737, and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate

the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 12934 and related bills, to extend the Clean Air Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform.

Committee to continue Thursday, December 11.

FACILITIES FOR PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED—CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION FACILITIES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session approved for full committee action H.R. 14464, to amend the act of August 12, 1968, to insure that certain facilities constructed under authority of Federal law are designed and constructed to be accessible to the physically handicapped; and H.R. 12795 amended, to amend the act entitled "an act to provide better facilities for the enforcement of the customs and immigration laws," to increase the amount authorized to be expended.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 14464 (title above) and heard testimony from Representative Bennett and public witnesses.

RIVER BASIN MONETARY AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on and approved for full committee action a clean bill on river basin monetary authorizations. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from Bruce T. Lundin, Director, Lewis Research Center; Dr. H. Guyford Stever, member, Panel on Science and Technology, House Committee on Science and Astronautics; and Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, chairman, Aeronautical and Space Engineering Board, National Academy of Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. James R. Pugh, Jr. (USAF), Executive Director, Procurement and Production, Defense Supply Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NSLI FUNDS FOR VETERANS' MORTGAGES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 9476 amended, use of national service life insurance funds for veterans' mortgages.

Joint Committee Meetings

TAXATION OF NATIONAL BANKS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 12 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3224–3235; S. Con. Res. 50; and S. Res. 294–296.

Pages 38198–38216

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 778, extending deadline on certain Alaskan earthquake urban renewal projects (S. Rept. 91–595);

H.R. 4244, removing ceiling on appropriations for the Administrative Conference (S. Rept. 91–596);

S. Res. 279, to extend until January 31 the authority of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs (S. Rept. 91–597);

S. Res. 283, to print 2,900 additional copies of Senate committee report No. 91–83 entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States" (S. Rept. 91–598);

S. Con. Res, 47, to print as a Senate document report of the proceedings of the 44th biennial meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–599);

S. Con. Res. 50, to print additional copies of Senate committee report 91–501 entitled "Indian Education: A National Tragedy—A National Challenge" (S. Rept. 91–600);

H. Con. Res. 345, to print as a House document manuscript entitled "A Guide to Student Assistance" (S. Rept. 91–601);

H. Con. Res. 407, to print as a House document a pamphlet entitled "Our Flag" (S. Rept. 91–602); and

H.R. 14580, proposed Foreign Assistance Act of 1969, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–603); and

S. Res. 295 and 296, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written reports). Pages 38197–38198

President's Message—Arts and Humanities: Senate received a message from the President requesting the Congress to extend for 3 years the National Foundation of the Arts and the Humanities, and requesting $40 million therefor—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 38266–38267

Appropriations—State, Justice, Commerce: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 12964, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies. Senate agreed to the House amendment to Senate amendment No. 21, which would provide that no funds be available for salaries or expenses of deputy clerks in any office that has discontinued the taking of applications for passports subsequent to October 31, 1968, and has not resumed such service on a permanent basis.

Pages 38192–38197

Tax Reform: Senate had third reading of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, after taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 65 yeas to 30 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cotton amendment No. 342, adding new section authorizing the President to impose quantitative limitations and other restrictions as he deems necessary on the importation of articles into the United States (prior to which, Senate by 22 yeas to 73 nays, rejected Javits motion to table this amendment);

(2) By 69 yeas to 24 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower-Sparkman amendment No. 407, liberalizing depreciation on used rental housing and easing recapture rules on depreciation for new and used rental housing and rehabilitation expenses;

(3) By voice vote, Ervin amendment to make certain charitable trust exempt from the divestiture rules;

(4) By 49 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Sparkman amendment No. 370, exempting from the definition of a private foundation certain organization created by will executed prior to March 30, 1924;

(5) By 58 yeas to 34 nays, modified Dole amendment No. 413, modifying the minimum tax to remove intangibles from the list of tax preferences, prior to approval of which Senate, by 74 yeas to 20 nays, adopted McIntyre amendment thereto providing that intangibles are to be removed from the minimum tax base only for those with gross incomes of $3 million or less (during consideration of these amendments five other record votes were taken on motions related thereto).

(6) By voice vote, Long amendment to permit a taxpayer, under certain conditions, to change from the installment to the accrual method of accounting;

(7) By voice vote, Cooper amendment No. 387 to change the provision of the committee amendment with regard to hobby losses;

(8) By voice vote, Hansen amendment to modify the alternative capital gains tax to provide that the 25-percent ceiling is to apply to amounts up to $140,000 even though tax preferences exceed $10,000, except that the $140,000 is reduced by preferences over $10,000;

(9) By voice vote, Bennett amendment of a technical nature relating to taxation of certain stock issuances;

(10) By voice vote, Bennett amendment of a technical nature relating to provisions of the bill dealing with election as to recognition of gain in certain liquidation of stock;

(11) By voice vote, Curtis conforming amendment to section of the bill dealing with tax-exempt organizations;

(12) By 52 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hruska amendment to delay for 1 year the retirement provisions in the new rules for Subchapter S corporations;

(13) By 72 yeas to 11 nays, Miller amendment No. 393 to change the formula in the committee amendment relating to the 5-percent minimum tax; and

(14) By voice vote, Sparkman amendment No. 358 to exempt States and municipalities from requirement to register with the SEC any industrial development

bonds which they propose to issue, the interest on which would be tax exempt; and

Rejected:

(1) By 25 yeas to 66 nays, McCarthy amendment No. 353, the principal effect of which would provide that unmarried individuals and heads of households would pay under those tax rates now imposed on married persons filing jointly;

(2) By 25 yeas to 66 nays, Hart amendment No. 314 making changes in committee amendment relative to tax treatment of treble damage payments under the antitrust laws;

(3) By 36 yeas to 51 nays, Yarborough amendment No. 351 deleting from the rules governing the repeal of the 7-percent investment tax credit that provision of the bill authorizing an exception in the case of gas transmission pipelines;

(4) By 32 yeas to 51 nays, Hartke amendment to Miller amendment No. 393 (described under amendments adopted) which would have further amended the rate formula of the adopted amendment;

(5) By 10 yeas to 71 nays, Dole amendment No. 416 amending the provisions of the bill relating to political activities of labor organizations;

(6) By 56 yeas to 28 nays, Long motion to table Curtis amendment to postpone effective date of Senate major amendments to the bill which decrease revenue until after there is a surplus in the administrative budget of the U.S. Government; and

(7) By 55 yeas to 26 nays, Long motion to table Cannon amendment to allow an individual a credit against his income tax for political contributions for Federal elections in the amount of one-half of the contribution paid during the year up to a maximum credit of $25.

Pending at adjournment was question on final passage of the bill.

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Authority To Sit: By unanimous consent, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs is authorized to sit during the session of the Senate on Thursday, December 11.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Henry L. Brooks, of Kentucky, to be U.S. Circuit Judge, Sixth Circuit; Clarence M. Coster, of Minnesota, to be an Associate Administrator of Law Enforcement Assistance; John Henry Schneider, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Patents; and six judicial nominations, four to be U.S. district judge, one to be U.S. attorney, and one to be U.S. marshal.

Pages 38327–38328

Nominations: Senate received sundry Coast Guard and foreign service nominations. Pages 38327–38328

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, concluded markup on H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued in executive session to markup H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for Department of the Interior, and related items, from Senators Gravel, Stevens, and Hart; Representative Pollock; Dr. Emery A. Johnson, Indian Health Service, Department of HEW; Glen T. Bean, National Park Service, and Abram V. Tunison, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, both of the Department of the Interior; and funds on termination costs relating to the United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship from Antonio F. Rodriguez, Commissioner-Director and Lamar Whitaker, Administrative Officer.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign assistance program and related items, receiving testimony concerning the Peace Corps from its Director Joseph H. Blatchford.

In a morning executive session, testimony was received from James V. Siena, Deputy Under Secretary of the Army (International Affairs); and Lt. Gen. James B. Lampert, High Commissioner of the Ryukyu Islands concerning the administration of the Ryukyu Islands.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business continued hearings on the Government's minority business enterprise program. Testimony was received from Garland Guice, Chicago Economic Development Corp.; Milton D. Stewart, Creative Capital Corp., New York; Ed Lucero, United Latin American Business Association, Denver; and Gary Allen, Aiken, South Carolina.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee met in executive session on pending business, but made no announcements.

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Graham W. Watt, of Ohio, to be Assistant to the Commissioner of the D.C. Prior to this action, in open session, testimony was received from Senator Saxbe; Representatives Kyros and Whalen; and Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

D.C. HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety held and concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 2975, to require the wearing of eye protection devices in certain courses of instruction in schools of the District of Columbia, with testimony from William A. Robinson, Assistant Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia; and James E. O'Neil, Prevention of Blindness Society;

H.R. 12673, to authorize the transfer of blood components by licensed D.C. blood banks, with testimony from Mr. Robinson; and Dr. Vernon Martens, D.C. Medical Society. A statement was presented for the record for Polly Shackleton, member, D.C. City Council;

H.R. 12671, to facilitate and encourage vacation employment of minors in the District of Columbia, with testimony from Mr. Robinson. A statement was presented for the record for Stanley Anderson, member, D.C. City Council; and

S. 2820, to grant certain authority and responsibility to the D.C. Industrial Safety Board in connection with working condition safety of nongovernment employees in the District of Columbia, with testimony from Mr. Robinson; Charles T. Greene, D.C. Minimum Wage and Industrial Safety Board; Joseph H. Koonz, Jr.; J. C. Turner, Central Labor Council; J. W. Mann, Washington Building Congress; Richard Getsinger, Master Builders Association, Inc.; Harry S. Wender, Association of Plaintiffs Trial Attorneys; Edward Lanen, Retail Store Employees Union, Local 400; Pierre P. Schmitz, D.C. Metropolitan Subcontractors Association; and Cyprian Tilghman, Joint Executive Board of Hotel and Restaurant Employees Union, Local 80.

NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations met in executive session to hear Acting Deputy Director of the Budget J. R. Schlesinger discuss program budgeting and systems analysis in the national security field.

COPYRIGHT REVISION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights met in executive session and approved for full committee consideration S. 543, to revise the copyright laws, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee in executive session, considered S. 2218, proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Tuesday, December 9, Subcommittee on Labor, in a late evening session, continued hearings on S. 2193 and 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Howard Pyle, president, National Safety Council; Dr. I. E. Buff, Charleston, W. Va.; George Perkel, Textile Workers' Union of America, AFL–CIO; and George L. Gorbell, Manufacturing Chemists Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 15.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following resolutions:

S. Res. 279, to extend until January 31 the authority of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs;

H. Con. Res. 345, to print as a House document manuscript entitled "A Guide to Student Assistance";

H. Con. Res. 407, to print as a House document a pamphlet entitled "Our Flag";

S. Con. Res. 47, to print as a Senate document report of the proceedings of the 44th biennial meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf (amended);

S. Res. 283, to print 2,900 additional copies of Senate committee report No. 91–83 entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States";

An original concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 50) to print 3,000 additional copies of Senate committee report 91–501 entitled "Indian Education: A National Tragedy—A National Challenge"; and

Two original resolutions (S. Res. 295 and 296) providing for payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Committee also approved the request of Senator Sparkman to accept a decoration from the Korean Government, and the request from the Senators representing Hawaii and Alaska that their long-distance telephone quotas be increased until such time as WATS line service is available.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 15178–15193; one private bill, H.R. 5194; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1029–1031; and H. Con. Res. 466 and 467, were introduced. Pages 38190–38191

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows.

Report entitled "Customs Control Over Petroleum Imports" (H. Rept. 91–729);

H.R. 6971, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 91–730);

S. 1108, to waive the acreage limitations of section 1(b) of the act of June 14, 1926, as amended, with respect to conveyance of lands to the State of Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park (H. Rept. 91–731);

H.R. 1497, a private bill (H. Rept. 91–732);

H.R. 9366, to change the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employees of the Government Printing Office, amended (H. Rept. 91–733);

H.R. 14300, to amend title 44, United States Code, to facilitate the disposal of Government records without sufficient value to warrant their continued preservation, to abolish the Joint Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers, amended (H. Rept. 91–734);

H.R. 14086, to amend the Community Mental Health Centers Act to extend the program of assistance under that act for community mental health centers and facilities for the treatment of alcoholics and narcotic addicts, amended (H. Rept. 91–735);

H.R. 13816, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard, amended (H. Rept. 91–736);

H.R. 13716, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard Reserve, amended (H. Rept. 91–737);

H.R. 15165, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future, amended (H. Rept. 91–738);

H. Con. Res. 454, calling for the humane treatment and release of American prisoners of war held by North Vietnam and the National Liberation Front, amended (H. Rept. 91–739); and

Conference report on S. 2864, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development (H. Rept. 91–740). Pages 38179–38189

Late Report: Committee on Government Operations received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 15165, to establish a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future. Page 38074

Supplemental Appropriations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed to make it in order to consider anytime after today the supplemental appropriations bill. Page 38075

Presidential Message—Arts and Humanities: Received and read a message from the President wherein he asks Congress to extend the legislation creating the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities and increase funds available for it—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed. Pages 38076–38077

Export Control: By a record vote of 157 yeas to 238 nays, House rejected the conference report on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports.

Agreed by voice vote to recede and concur to Senate amendment with an amendment, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 38077–38108

National Banks: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 7491, to clarify liability of national banks for certain taxes, and sent the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 38108–38109

Legislative Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 13763, making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

House receded from its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 1 through 34, and 39 through 41, and concurred therein.

House receded from its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 37 and concurred therein with an amendment, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 38109–38123

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file by midnight tonight a conference report on S. 2864, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development. Page 38123

Real Estate Disposal: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 9163, to authorize the disposal of certain real property in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., under the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949; clearing the measure for the White House. Page 38123

Voting Rights Act: After consuming 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminatory use of tests and devices, the Committee of the Whole rose.

Two hours of general debate time remain when consideration resumes tomorrow.

H. Res. 714, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote. Pages 38123–38139

Meeting Time: By unanimous consent the House agreed to meet at 10 a.m. on Thursday, December 11. Pages 38139–38140

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 38190

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for continued consideration of all bills before the committee which would extend or amend the food stamp program.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM MASSACRE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigating met in executive session for continuation of hearings on the alleged massacre in Vietnam by U.S. forces. Testimony was heard from Chief Warrant Officer Hugh Thompson, a helicopter pilot.

SECRET FOREIGN BANK ACCOUNTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 15073, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to require insured banks to maintain certain records, to require that certain transactions in U.S. currency be reported to the Department of the Treasury. Testimony was heard from Eugene Rossides, Assistant Secretary Designate, Office of Secretary of the Treasury and Randolph Thrower, Commissioner, IRS.

Hearings continue Friday, December 12.

LOWER INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Tuesday, December 9, the committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business and employment. No announcements were made.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from officials of the Department.

Hearings continue Friday, December 12.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from a panel on various structures of early childhood programs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on H.R. 13472, H.R. 11620, and H.R. 10908, proposed manpower bills of 1969. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor George P. Shultz.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 1045 and H.R. 1046, Welfare and Pension Plans Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMISSION ON POPULATION GROWTH AND THE AMERICAN FUTURE

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15165 amended, to create a Commission on Population Growth and the American Future; and two investigative reports entitled "United States Aid Operations in Indonesia," part I and part II.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATION MISCELLANY

Committee on House administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H. Res. 744, providing for the printing of the proceedings in the Committee on House Administration incident to the presentation of a portrait of the Honorable Samuel N. Friedel;

S. Con. Res. 44 amended, to authorize printing of a manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies";

S. Con. Res. 46, to authorize the printing of a report entitled "Handbook for Small Business";

H.R. 9366 amended, to change the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employees of the Government Printing Office; and

H.R. 14300 amended, to amend title 44, United States Code, to facilitate the disposal of Government records without value to warrant their continued preservation, to abolish the Joint Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers.

INDIAN FUNDS—HUDSON RIVERWAY LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10184 amended, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds of the Sioux Tribe of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., and

H.R. 13106 amended, to extend for 3 years the period of time during which certain requirements shall continue to apply with respect to applications for a license for an activity which may affect the resources of the Hudson Riverway.

The committee also considered but passed over without prejudice H.R. 105 and H.R. 106, to establish land-grant colleges in the Virgin Islands and Guam.

SDS INVOLVEMENT IN EXCHANGE OF WAR PRISONERS

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on Students for a Democratic Society involvement in the exchange of prisoners of war. Further testimony

was heard from Lt. Robert F. Frishman, a Navy pilot who was shot down over North Vietnam October 24, 1967, and was imprisoned until August of this year.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTMENT COMPANY AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 14737 and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from Bowie Kuhn, Commissioner of Baseball and other public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION FROM IRELAND AND NORTHERN EUROPE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on the effect of the act of October 3, 1965, on immigration from Ireland and Northern Europe. Testimony was heard from Edward J. Sussman, National Secretary, Steuben Society of America and John F. Collins, National Chairman, American Irish National Immigration Committee.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from W. Cody Wilson, Executive Director, Commission on Obscenity and Pornography; Irwin Karp, Esq., counsel, the Authors League of America, Inc.; and Lawrence Speiser, director, Washington office, American Civil Liberties Union.

ANADROMOUS FISH CONSERVATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 1049, to amend the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act of October 30, 1965, relating to the conservation and enhancement of the Nation's anadromous fishing resources, to encourage certain joint research and development projects; and H.R. 9546, to amend section 4 of the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act of October 30, 1965. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Vincent Connery, president, National Association of Internal Revenue Employees; Carl W. Clewlow, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civilian Personnel Policy; Patrick Zembower, Assistant Director, Economic Security Department, Federal Representation, American Nurses' Association and Francis Hadro, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Personnel, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue Monday, December 15.

POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 10877, proposed postal rate increases. Testimony was heard from Stephen W. Ryder, representing American Newspaper Publishers Association; Stanford Smith, General Manager of ANPA; and James W. Hargrove, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Finance and Administration, and other postal officials.

OBSCENE MAIL MATTER

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on obscene mail matter. Testimony was heard from Chairman Dulski, accompanied by Theodore Kosler, Associate Judge, City Court of Buffalo, N.Y.; Julian Kubiniec, Assistant District Attorney for Erie County, N.Y.; Frank Spano, detective, city of Buffalo Police Department; and former Senator Frank Carlson. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Button, Stratton, Zablocki, and Halpern.

DARIEN GAP HIGHWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded hearings on H.R. 12014, to amend title 23 of the United States Code to authorize the United States to cooperate in the construction of the Darien Gap Highway to connect the Inter-American Highway with the Pan American Highway System of South America. Testimony was heard from Representative Don Clausen; Francis Turner, Federal Highway Administrator and Robert Hurwitch, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Inter-American Affairs.

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing on and approved for full committee action a number of watershed projects. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

SURVEY RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors met in executive session and approved 31 survey resolutions.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Special Subcommittee on Legislative Reorganization met in executive session to consider pending legislative reorganization bills. No announcements were made.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from Fred W. Garry, vice president and general manager, Aircraft Engine Technical Division, General Electric Co., Cincinnati; and Gen. Clifton F. Von Kann, vice president, operations and engineering, Air Transport Association of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in Defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Hon. Daniel J. Harnett, Assistant Administrator for Industry Affairs, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NSLI FUNDS FOR VETERANS' MORTGAGES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9476 amended, use of national service life insurance funds for veterans' mortgages.

Joint Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality.

WATER POLLUTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4148, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again on Friday, December 12.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 38398–38461

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3236–3239. Pages 38398–38399

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 8449, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–604); and

S. 2244, setting penalties for violation of the Explosives Act by carriers (S. Rept. 91–605). Pages 38399–38403

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 19 measures, of which 11 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: H.R. 11503, H.R. 2208, H.R. 4560, H.R. 5133, H.R. 6600, and H.R. 10156.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Civil Service: H.R. 9233, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: S. 1389.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Public health: S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health;

Mental health centers: S. 2523, to provide grants for construction of community mental health centers; and

Private bill: S. 2102.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Referral: S. Res. 239, referring to the Court of Claims S. 2807, a private claim bill;

Printing: S. Res. 283, to print 2,900 additional copies of Senate committee report No. 91–83 entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States";

Gratuities: S. Res. 295 and 296, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 50, to print additional copies of Senate committee report 91–501 entitled "Indian Education: A National Tragedy—A National Challenge";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 345, to print as a House document manuscript entitled "A Guide to Student Assistance"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 407, to print as a House document a pamphlet entitled "Our Flag."

Resolution adopted with an amendment:

Printing: S. Con. Res. 47, to print as a Senate document report of the proceedings of the 44th biennial meeting of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf. Pages 38340–38347, 38451–38461

Appropriations—Legislative: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 13763, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch, after agreeing to the House amendment to Senate amendment No. 37, appropriating $2,275,000 for work in connection with the extension of the west front of the Capitol, $2 million of which shall not be expended until completion of studies in connection therewith at a cost of $250,000. This action cleared the measure for the White House. Pages 38348–38352

Appropriations—D.C.: By unanimous vote of 92 yeas, Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendments H.R. 14916, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia. Prior to passage of bill, Senate adopted all committee amendments en bloc which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and the following additional amendments thereto:

(1) By 46 yeas to 43 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Eagleton amendment restoring $8.7 million as a reserve to finance future salary increases for D.C. police, firemen, and teachers;

(2) Modified Spong amendment increasing funds for the D.C. Department of Corrections;

(3) Modified Bayh amendment increasing by $500,000 funds for neighborhood service centers; and

(4) Two Proxmire amendments of a technical nature.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Proxmire, Montoya, Eagleton, Pearson, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 38352–38366

Tax Reform: By 69 yeas to 22 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969.

Prior to passage, Senate rejected, by 31 yeas to 60 nays, motion of Senator Williams of Delaware to recommit the bill to the Committee on Finance with instructions to report back forthwith the committee substitute amendment, as amended to date by the Senate, with the exception of several amendments adopted by the Senate which would substantially reduce revenue.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long, Anderson, Gore, Talmadge, Bennett, Curtis, and Miller.

By unanimous consent, permission was granted the Secretary of the Senate to make certain technical, clerical, and conforming corrections in the engrossment of the amendment to the House bill. Pages 38372–38397

Foreign Aid: Senate laid down and made its pending business H.R. 14580, authorizing funds for the foreign aid program for fiscal year 1970. Pages 38397, 38461–38475

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Graham W. Watt, of Ohio, to be Assistant to the Commissioner of the District of Columbia; two judicial to be U.S. marshal; and sundry nominations in the Air Force, Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Pages 38482–38483

Nomination: Senate received one judicial nomination to be U.S. attorney. Page 38482

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign assistance program and related items, after receiving testimony on funds for the Export-Import Bank of the United States from its president and chairman, Henry Kearns.

MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business continued hearings on the Government's minority business enterprise program. Testimony was received from Robert O. Dehlendorf II, Arcata National Corp., Menlo Park, Calif.; Thomas M. Crosby, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies; Martin J. Koldyke, Dean Witter & Co., Chicago; Jackie Robinson, Sea Host, Inc., New York; Lou Langston, Illinois Department of Business and Economic Development, Chicago; Darwin Bolden, Interracial Counsel on Business Opportunity, New York; Carl E. Haugen, Larry J. Toal, and Jack Davies, all of the Chase Manhattan Bank, New York; Henry G. Parks, representing the National Urban League, Inc.; Donald E. Sneed, Jr., Unity Bank & Trust Co., Roxbury, Mass.; and Clifford B. Witham, Lake George, N.Y.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, approved a letter to the Secretary of the Interior relating to the proposed Alaska pipeline, and announced that the other items on their agenda, including S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, will be considered on Monday, December 15.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee met in executive session to consider the

transmittal of testimony of Bernard Webb, Georgia State College, to the Wisconsin Insurance Department. Subcommittee agreed that it would not forward such testimony, as their investigation was not complete, but gave its permission to let Professor Webb appear before the Wisconsin department in his capacity as a policyholder, and not as a representative of the subcommittee.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued, in executive session, to consider S. 2218, proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 15195–15217; five private bills, H.R. 15218–15222; and five resolutions, H. Res. 746–750, were introduced. Pages 38589–38590

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 744, S. Con. Res. 44, and S. Con. Res. 46, for titles, see "Printing Resolutions" below (H. Repts. 91–741 to 91–743, respectively);

H.R. 13630, to extend certain expiring provisions of law relating to vocational education (H. Rept. 91–744);

S. 59, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the United States over lands within the Army National Guard facility, Ethan Allen, and the U.S. Army Materiel Command firing range, Underhill, Vt. (H. Rept. 91–745);

H.R. 12535, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to release certain restrictions on a tract of land heretofore conveyed to the State of Texas in order that such land may be used for the city of El Paso north-south freeway (H. Rept. 91–746);

H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–747); and

H.R. 15166, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain comprehensive river basin plans for flood control and navigation (H. Rept. 91–748). Page 38589

Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance and the Subcommittee on Communications and Power of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, and the Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology of the Committee on Science and Astronautics received permission to sit during general debate of the House today. Page 38483

Late Report: Committee on Public Works received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 15166, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain comprehensive river basin plans for flood control and navigation Page 38484

Printing Resolutions: The following resolutions from the Committee on House Administration were called up and agreed to:

H. Res. 744, providing for the printing of the proceedings in the Committee on House Administration incident to the presentation of a portrait of the Honorable Samuel N. Friedel;

S. Con. Res. 44, to authorize printing of a manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies: Cases and Selected Readings" as a Senate document, amended; and

S. Con. Res. 46, authorizing the printing of a report entitled "Handbook for Small Business" as a Senate document. Page 38485

Voting Rights Act: By a record vote of 234 yeas to 179 nays, House passed H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to the discriminating use of tests and devices.

On a demand for a separate vote on an amendment in the form of a substitute that establishes a nationwide suspension of literacy tests, extends nationwide the Attorney General's authority to monitor elections and initiate voting rights lawsuits, establishes uniform residency requirements for presidential elections, and establishes a Presidential commission to study voting practices, House agreed to the amendment by a record vote of 208 yeas to 204 nays. While in the Committee of the Whole, the substitute was agreed to by a teller vote of 189 yeas to 165 nays.

Rejected an amendment to the substitute amendment designed to remove the nationwide suspension of literacy tests. Pages 38485–38537

Supplemental Appropriations: Passed by voice vote H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

By a record vote of 142 yeas to 243 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report back forthwith with an amendment to eliminate $7.5 million for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (rejected earlier while in the Committee of the Whole by a division vote of 22 yeas to 55 nays).

A point of order against language permitting use of clerk hire allowance for student congressional intern salaries was sustained.

Agreed to an amendment that provides for an increase of $9,168,172 to pay a judgment rendered on behalf of the Delaware Indian Tribe. Pages 38537–38543

Bill Rereferred: Committee on the District of Columbia was discharged from further consideration of S. 3180, to adjust salaries of judges in the government of the

District of Columbia—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 38543

Tax Reform: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 13270, Tax Reform Act of 1969, and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Mills, Boggs, Watts, Ullman, Byrnes of Wisconsin, Utt, and Betts. Pages 38544–38545

Rule Adopted: Agreed to H. Res. 734, an open rule providing for consideration of, and 3 hours of debate on, H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. Pages 38545–38550

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for continued consideration of all bills before the committee which would extend or amend the food stamp program.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL FOR FISCAL YEAR 1970

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the supplemental appropriation bill for fiscal year 1970.

U.S. LANDS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in open session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 59, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the United States over lands within the Army National Guard facility, Ethan Allen, and the U.S. Army Material Command firing range, Underhill, Vt.; and

H.R. 12535, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to release certain restrictions on a tract of land heretofore conveyed to the State of Texas in order that such land may be used for the city of El Paso north-south freeway.

VIETNAM MASSACRE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigating continued hearings on the alleged massacre in Vietnam by U.S. forces and heard testimony from Capt. Ernest L. Medina.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, December 16.

MOBILE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT ASSISTANCE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 13916, Mobile Teachers' Retirement Assistance Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ACREAGE LIMITATION EXCEPTIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on S. 2062 and H.R. 6245, to provide for the differentiation between private and public ownership of lands in the administration of the acreage limitation provisions of the Federal reclamation laws. Testimony was heard from Representatives McClure and Hansen of Idaho and departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative de la Garza.

SDS INVOLVEMENT IN EXCHANGE OF WAR PRISONERS

Committee on Internal Security: Continued hearings on Students for a Democratic Society involvement in the exchange of prisoners of war. Testimony was heard from Petty Officer Douglas B. Hegdahl.

Hearings continue Tuesday, December 16.

INVESTMENT COMPANY AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 11995, H.R. 14737, and S. 2224, Investment Company Amendments Act of 1969; and H.R. 13754, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940, to regulate the sales charge on face-amount certificates. Testimony was heard from Hamer Budge, Chairman, Securities Exchange Commission.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 420 and all identical bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from Pete Rozelle, commissioner of football.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

ANNUITIES INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits met in executive session to consider H.R. 15024, to amend section 8340 of title 5, United States Code, to provide a 5-percent increase in certain annuities. The subcommittee decided to table the bill.

PUBLIC WORKS MISCELLANY

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 15166, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain comprehensive river basin plans for flood control, navigation;

H.R. 14464, to amend the act of August 12, 1968, to insure that certain facilities constructed under authority of Federal law are designed and constructed to be accessible to the physically handicapped; and

H.R. 12795, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide better facilities for the enforcement of the customs and immigration laws," to increase the amount authorized to be expended.

The committee also approved numerous flood control and navigation survey resolutions and numerous watershed projects.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology concluded hearings on aeronautical research. Testimony was heard from James C. Elms, Director, Electronics Research Center, NASA, and Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Secretary of the Air Force.

DEFENSE SPENDING IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings on the impact of cutbacks and shifts in defense spending on small business. Testimony was heard from Arthur F. Sampson, Commissioner, Federal Supply Service, General Services Administration.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 38621–38682

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3240–3242; and S. Res. 297 and 298. Pages 38641–38642, 38718

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 11711, to extend until July 6, 1972, the time for the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission to complete its affairs under the Cuban claims program (S. Rept. 91–606);

H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–607); and

Report of the Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Constitutional Rights" (S. Rept. 91–608). Page 38641

Bill Referred: H.R. 15209, fiscal 1970 supplemental appropriations bill, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 38709

Voting Rights: H.R. 4249, to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to discriminatory use of tests and devices was read the first time, but objection was heard to second reading, and, under the rules, second reading was put over until Monday, December 15. Pages 38717–38718

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, Senate passed the following four measures:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Administrative Conference: H.R. 4244, removing ceiling on appropriations for the Administrative Conference.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Alaska: S. 778, extending deadline on certain Alaskan earthquake urban renewal projects.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Wilderness areas: S. 3014, to designate as wilderness certain wildlife refuge areas in Alaska, New Mexico, Oregon, and Washington.

Resolution adopted without additional amendment:

Committee authorization: S. Res. 279, to extend until January 31 the authority of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs. Pages 38622–38624

Housing and Urban Development: Senate agreed to the conference report on S. 2864, proposed Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969. This measure was sent to the House for further action. Pages 38624–38628

Taxation of National Banks: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 7491, to clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 38633–38634

President's Communications—Appropriations: Senate received the following three communications from the President:

(1) request for supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970 in the amount of $4,750,000 for the Treasury Department for the purpose of providing added protection of foreign diplomatic missions by an Executive Protection Service—referred to Committee Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–46;

(2) requesting $9,698,591 to pay claims and judgments rendered against the United States—referred to

Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–48; and

(3) requesting supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970 in the amount of $159,000 for the U.S. section of the United States-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship—referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 91–47. Pages 38640–38641

Foreign Aid Authorizations: By 52 yeas to 31 nays, Senate passed H.R. 14580, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program, Prior to passage, Senate agreed to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute and took action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 53 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment authorizing President to issue guarantees to eligible investors for purpose of increasing participation of private enterprise in furthering development of economic resources and productive capacities of less developed countries; and

(2) By 45 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dodd amendment to strike language to prohibit further grants of military aid to Greece beyond that heretofore authorized; and

Rejected:

(1) By 33 yeas to 51 nays, Muskie amendment to encourage Vietnamese land reform programs by authorizing President to make grants to Vietnam Government for purchase of U.S. goods and commodities produced in the United States; and

(2) By 41 yeas to 43 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Church amendment to provide that total authorizations of the bill not exceed $1,760,700,000.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Church, Aiken, and Case.

By unanimous consent, permission was granted the Secretary of the Senate to make certain technical and clerical corrections in the engrossment of the amendment to the House bill. Pages 38682, 38684–38731

Greece: Senate adopted S. Res. 298, stating the sense of the Senate that the U.S. Government exert all possible effort to influence a speedy return of a constitutional government in Greece. Page 38641

Printing: Senate concurred in the House amendment to S. Con. Res. 44, to print as a Senate document manuscript entitled "Separation of Powers and the Independent Agencies: Cases and Selected Readings." Page 38732

Cigarette Advertising: By 70 yeas to 7 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 6543, proposed Public Health Cigarette Smoking Act, after adopting committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and the following additional amendments thereto:

(1) Modified Moss amendment No. 410 relating to section of bill dealing with notification of the Congress by the Federal Trade Commission of its intention to suspend its pending trade regulation rule proceeding relating to cigarette advertising; and

(2) By 38 yeas to 35 nays, Moss amendment to strike the word "excessive" from the following mandatory wording on cigarette packages: "Warning: Excessive cigarette smoking is dangerous to your health."

Pages 38732–38754

Federal Employees' Pay: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with committee amendment and returned to the House H.R. 13000, proposed Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969. Pages 38754–38759

Virgin Islands: By unanimous consent, S. 1148, to provide land-grant status for the College of the Virgin Islands and the University of Guam, was taken from calendar and referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 38760

Authority To Report: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that following adjournment of the Senate today until 10 a.m. Monday, December 15, all committees be authorized to file reports. Page 38760

Appropriations—Defense: H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, was laid down and made the pending business. Page 38759

Treaty Received: Protocol to the International Convention for the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries (Ex. I, 91st Cong., first sess.) was received and, by unanimous consent, injunction of secrecy was removed therefrom—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

Pages 38759–38760

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Michael Collins, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs; and Anthony D. Marshall, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: one judicial to be U.S. attorney; one Army in the rank of general; and numerous in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Pages 38760–38771

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $69,332,656,000, a

decrease of $627,392,000 from the House-passed figure of $69,960,048,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.

MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business concluded hearings on the Government's minority business enterprise program, after receiving testimony from Prof. William E. Wetzel, University of New Hampshire; Philip F. Zeidman, attorney, Washington, D.C.; Arnold A. Saltzman, president, Seagrave Corp., New York; Berkley Burrell, president, National Business League, Dr. Wilfred L. White, Howard University; and John D. Valiante, Washington, D.C.

CUBAN CLAIMS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 11711, to extend until July 6, 1972, the time for the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission to complete its affairs under the Cuban claims program.

Committee also ordered favorably reported the nominations of Michael Collins, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs; and Anthony D. Marshall, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic.

Prior to this action, in open session, the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, AND MIGRANT HEALTH SERVICES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee continued in executive session to consider S. 2218, proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969, and S. 2660, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 5 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, December 15.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 15223–15259; one private bill, H.R. 15260; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1032, H. Con. Res. 468–471, and H. Res. 751, were introduced. Pages 38904–38905

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

A report entitled "U.S. Aid Operations in Indonesia" (H. Rept. 91–749);

H.R. 14464, to amend the act of August 12, 1968, to insure that certain facilities constructed under authority of Federal law are designed and constructed to be accessible to the physically handicapped (H. Rept. 91–750);

H.R. 9476, to increase the availability of guaranteed home loan financing for veterans and to increase the income of the National Service Life Insurance Fund, amended (H. Rept. 91–751); and

H.R. 12795, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide better facilities for the enforcement of the customs and immigration laws," to increase the amount authorized to be expended (H. Rept. 91–752).

Pages 38903–38904

D.C. Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Natcher, Giaimo, Patten, Pryor of Arkansas, Mahon, Davis of Wisconsin, Riegle, Wyatt, and Bow. Page 38771

Volunteers of America Week: Cleared for the President H.J. Res. 10, authorizing the President to proclaim the second week of March 1970 as Volunteers of America Week, by agreeing to the Senate amendment thereto. Pages 38771–38772

Blood Donor Month: Agreed to S.J. Res. 154, to authorize and request the President to proclaim the month of January each year as "National Blood Donor Month," with amendments, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Page 38772

Passenger Vessel Construction: Cleared for the President H.R. 210, to eliminate requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards, by agreeing to the Senate amendment thereto. Page 38773

Housing Act: Agreed to the conference report on S. 2864, to amend and extend laws relating to housing and urban development, clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 38773–38780

Poverty: By a record vote of 276 yeas to 117 nays, House passed H.R. 12321, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964.

By a record vote of 163 yeas to 231 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Edu-

cation and Labor with instructions to report it back forthwith with an amendment in the form of a substitute to the committee bill, as amended, making the antipoverty act into a State program (rejected while in the Committee of the Whole by a teller vote of 166 yeas to 183 nays).

Agreed to the following amendments:

An amendment limiting counseling, education, and appropriate services in the legal aid program to proper legal services (rejected earlier as an amendment to the substitute by a division vote of 65 yeas to 73 nays); and

An amendment to authorize a special program for narcotics addicts recovery (rejected earlier as an amendment to the substitute by a division vote of 87 yeas to 98 nays).

Rejected an amendment that would reduce funds in the program by $295 million (rejected by a division vote of 93 yeas to 111 nays).

Agreed to the following amendments to the substitute prior to its rejection:

Exemption from the State plan of Headstart, family planning (by a division vote of 75 yeas to 26 nays), and Indian programs (by a division vote of 90 yeas to 41 nays); and legal ethics compliance (by a division vote of 124 yeas to 88 nays).

Rejected the following amendments to the substitute:

Selection of community action agency board members by elected officials (by a division vote of 26 yeas to 52 nays), increasing funds set aside for national interest programs (by a teller vote of 125 yeas to 156 nays), and exemption of community action programs from the State plan (by a division vote of 114 yeas to 141 nays).

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 3016, a similar Senate-passed measure, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

House insisted on its amendment and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Green of Oregon, Pucinski, Brademas, O'Hara, Carey, Hawkins, William D. Ford, Hathaway, Mink, Meeds, Clay, Ayres, Quie, Reid of New York, Erlenborn, Scherle, Dellenback, Esch, and Steiger of Wisconsin. Pages 38780–38877

Foreign Aid Authorization: House disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic, economic, social, and political institutions; and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Morgan, Zablocki, Hays, Fascell, Adair, Mailliard, and Frelinghuysen.

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Late Reports: Committee on Public Works received permission to file reports by midnight tonight on S. 2910, to amend Public Law 89–260 to authorize additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building; and H.R. 12795, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide better facilities for the enforcement of the customs and immigration laws," to increase the amount authorized to be expended.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 17. Page 38879

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 38903

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM—DAIRY SECTION, FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for continued consideration of all bills before the committee which would extend or amend the food stamp program.

The committee also considered and approved the dairy section of the general farm bill.

LOWER INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15091 amended, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business, and employment.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from officials of the Department.

Hearings continue Monday, December 15.

PAY TELEVISION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.R. 420 and related bills, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 so as to prohibit the granting of authority to broadcast pay television programs. Testimony was heard from Sidney W. Dean, Jr., Americans for Democratic Action, New York City.

TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development concluded hearings on technology assessment. Testimony was heard from Dr. Lee A. DuBridge, Director, Office of Science and Technology; and Dr. Emmanuel Mesthene, director, program on technology and society, Harvard University.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, December 16.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 39094–39136

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3243–3245. Page 39102

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2543, to prohibit the movement in interstate and foreign commerce of "sored" Tennessee walking horses whose hoofs have been rendered sore by certain type treatments in order to induce exaggerated gait, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–609). Page 39102

Voting Rights: H.R. 4249, voting rights bill, was read for the second time and (under Rule XIV) placed on the Senate calendar, prior to which action objection was heard to unanimous consent request that the bill be referred to Committee on the Judiciary with instructions that it be reported back to the Senate by March 1, 1970, and at which time the bill be made the pending business of the Senate. Pages 39098–39101

Railroad Employees: Senate passed with committee amendments and returned to House H.R. 8449, limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty.

Explosives Act Violations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for House S. 2244, setting penalties for violation of the Explosives Act by carriers. Page 39137

Cuban Claims: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the White House H.R. 11711, to extend until July 6, 1972, the time for the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission to complete its affairs under the Cuban claims program. Page 39137

Appropriations—Defense: By 85 yeas to 4 nays Senate passed H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. Prior to passage, Senate adopted committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purposes of further amendment, and took action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 80 yeas to 9 nays, Mansfield-Cooper amendment as amended by modified substitute amendment of Senator Church to add new section stating that in line with the expressed intention of the President, no funds shall be used to finance the introduction of American ground combat troops into Laos or Thailand, prior to adoption of which, Senate by 41 yeas to 48 nays, rejected motion to table Mansfield-Cooper amendment prohibiting use of funds to support local forces in Laos or Thailand, and adopted, by 73 yeas to 17 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Church substitute as described above; and

(2) By voice vote, Eagleton amendment to reduce from $20 million to $10 million funds for production base support of the main battle tank; and

Rejected:

(1) By 36 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Smith of Maine amendment striking from bill all funds for safeguard antiballistic missile system with exception of funds for military personnel which may be used elsewhere; and

(2) By 43 yeas to 45 nays, Javits amendment to require the Navy to award ship repair contracts on a competitive basis at private shipyards except at the ship's home port; prior to rejection of this amendment, the following votes were taken in connection therewith: (a) by 45 yeas to 43 nays, adopted this amendment, (b) by 40 yeas to 49 nays, rejected Javits motion to table Long motion to reconsider vote by which this amendment was at first adopted, and (c) by 45 yeas to 43 nays, adopted Long motion to reconsider vote by which this amendment was at first adopted.

By a vote of 66 yeas to 22 nays, Senate sustained ruling of the Chair in sustaining Ellender point of order, on the ground of legislation in an appropriations bill, against Moss amendment to provide land-grant status for the College of the Virgin Islands and the University of Guam, the effect of which action rejected the amendment.

Part of the time that the Senate devoted to consideration of this bill was in closed session.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Russell, McClellan, Ellender, Stennis, Jackson, Young of North Dakota, Smith of Maine, and Allott.

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Antipoverty: Senate disagreed to the House amendments to S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, agreed to conference requested by the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Nelson, Yarborough, Pell, Kennedy, Mondale, Cranston, Hughes, Murphy, Javits, Prouty, Dominick, and Smith of Illinois. Pages 39190–39192

Export Control: Senate disagreed to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority to regulate exports, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Williams of New Jersey, Mondale, Hughes, Tower, Bennett, and Brooke. Page 39205

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Wilbur F. Pell, Jr., of Indiana, to be U.S. circuit judge, seventh circuit; and Hosea M. Ray, to be U.S. attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi. Page 39210

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR–HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to begin mark up of H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 2035, to authorize consolidation of Federal assistance programs, and S. 2479, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1969.

INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations met in executive session to hear Robert Conquest, British author and analyst of the Soviet policy process, speak on the problems of international negotiation.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2193 and S. 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969, receiving testimony from Ralph Nader, Washington, D.C.; and Wayne L. Christensen and Gerald S. Ostrowski, both of the National Constructors Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM VETERANS MEDICAL CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs resumed hearings on medical care for Vietnam veterans. Testimony was received from Dr. Russel V. Lee, Palo Alto Medical Clinic and Stanford University; Dr. Philip Lee, University of California Medical Center, San Francisco; Dr. Hugh Luckey, New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center, Cornell University; Dr. Louis Jolyon West, Neuropsychiatric Institute, UCLA; Dr. Stewart Wolf, University of Oklahoma School of Medicine, Oklahoma City; and Dr. Thomas Gonda, Stanford University Hospital.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

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Bills Introduced: Eight public bills, H.R. 15261–15268; four private bills, H.R. 15269–15272; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1033, H. Con. Res. 472, were introduced. Page 39093

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "U.S. Aid Operations in Indonesia" (H. Rept. 91–753);

Conference report on H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the District of Columbia for fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–754); and

H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business and employment (H. Rept. 91–755). Page 39093

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business and employment. Page 38997

Additional Conferees: Representatives Stokes and Ashbrook were appointed as additional conferees to the conference on S. 3016, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. Also appointed Representative Bell in lieu of Representative Steiger of Wisconsin. Page 38997

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Land conveyance: S. 1108, to waive the acreage limitations of section 1(b) of the act of June 14, 1926, as amended, with respect to conveyance of lands to the State of Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Commending servicemen: H. Res. 661, commending the American serviceman and veteran of Vietnam for his efforts and sacrifices;

Subsistence for patients: H.R. 9654, to authorize subsistence, without charge, to certain air evacuation patients; and

Fisheries compact: H.R. 13407, to consent to the amendment of the Pacific Marine Fisheries Compact.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Navarro medals: H.R. 13959, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the many contributions to the founding and early development of the State of Texas and the city of San Antonio by Jose Antonio Navarro; and

Coast Guard: H.R. 13816, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 10124, 4574, and 13716.

Objected to: H.R. 14646. Pages 38999–39006

Late Report: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight tonight a report on H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the District of Columbia for fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 39006

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Social Security: H.R. 15095, to amend the Social Security Act to provide a 15-percent across-the-board increase in benefits under the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program (passed by a record vote of 400 yeas);

Railroad compact: H.R. 14646, granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York Railroad Passenger Transportation Compact (passed by a record vote of 352 yeas to 49 nays). Subsequently, S. 2734, an identical Senate bill, was passed in lieu, clearing the measure for the President;

Tort actions: H.R. 10124, to amend section 2401 of title 28, United States Code, to extend the time for filing tort actions by persons under the age of 21, or insane or mentally ill, or imprisoned on a criminal charge.

Prisoners of war release: H. Con. Res. 454, calling for the humane treatment and release of American prisoners of war held by North Vietnam and the National Liberation Front (passed by a record vote of 405 yeas);

Foreign service retirement: H.R. 14789, to amend title VIII of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended, relating to the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability System;

Diplomatic conference: S.J. Res. 90, to enable the United States to organize and hold a diplomatic conference in the United States in fiscal year 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty and authorize an appropriation therefor clearing the measure for the President;

River basin appropriations: H.R. 15166, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain comprehensive river basin plans for flood control and navigation;

Public buildings: H.R. 14464, to amend the act of August 12, 1968, to insure that certain facilities constructed under authority of Federal law are designed and constructed to be accessible to the physically handicapped; and

Atomic Energy Act: S. 3169, to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, clearing the measure for the President. Pages 39006–39057

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 39093

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for continued consideration of the food stamp program.

Committee to continue tomorrow.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from officials of the Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ADULT–CHILD SUPPORT OF PARENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 670 amended, to amend section 19(a) of the District of Columbia Public Assistance Act of 1962.

PHOSPHATE BASE DETERGENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources began hearings on phosphate built detergents. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ICE AGE NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC RESERVE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation concluded a hearing on H.R. 4172, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide additional financial assistance for development and operation costs of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve in the State of Wisconsin. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kastenmeier, Reuss, and Zablocki and departmental witnesses.

MISREPRESENTATION OF GOLD OR SILVER ARTICLES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on and approved for full Committee action H.R. 8673 amended, to protect consumers by providing a civil remedy in misrepresentation of the quality of articles composed in whole or in part of gold or silver. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification continued hearings on

H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Hon. Kenneth A. Housman, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Personnel, and Vincent J. Paterno, national president, Association of Civilian Technicians.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PREVAILING RATE SYSTEMS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session to consider H.R. 15098, to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of pay for prevailing rate employees of the Government, but took no action on it.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14916, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14580, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

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Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3246–3249. Page 39253

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–610);

H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–611);

Report of Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Impact of Crime on Small Business, Parts I and II" (S. Rept. 91–612);

S. 3246, to protect the public health by amending the narcotic, depressant, and hallucinogenic drug laws, together with individual views (S. Rept. 91–613);

H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign aid program, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–614); and

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Constitutional Amendments" (S. Rept. 91–615).

Pages 39242, 39252–39254

Bills Referred: Sundry House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 39250

Bills Rereferred: By unanimous consent, Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 3244 and 3245, bills relating to judgments in favor of the Sac and Fox Indian Tribes, and the bills were rereferred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 39251

Appropriations—Labor-HEW: Senate began consideration of H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and took action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote, Byrd of West Virginia amendment to increase from $21.9 million to $45 million funds for research and development into new and improved methods for preventing and controlling air pollution resulting from fuel combustion;

(2) By 60 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Nelson amendment increasing from $1.624 billion to $2.048 billion funds for the Office of Economic Opportunity;

(3) By voice vote, modified Hartke amendment to provide an additional $10 million for the immunization campaign against German measles (rubella);

(4) By voice vote, Murphy amendment to increase by $20 million funds for title V (State Supplementary Programs) of the Manpower Development and Training Act;

(5) By voice vote, Yarborough amendment providing an increase of $1.2 million for schools of public health; and

(6) By 73 yeas to 9 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) modified Allott amendment increasing by $60 million funds for school assistance for federally affected areas.

Pending at recess was Scott amendment to provide that, except as required by the Constitution, no funds be used to force a school district to take actions involving the busing of students, abolishment of any schools, or assignment of any elementary and secondary school

student to a particular school against the choice of his parents.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that when the Senate meets at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, December 17, following the prayer and a live quorum, further debate on the pending amendment be limited to 3 hours, to be equally divided and controlled, respectively, by Senators Scott and Stennis. Following the vote on this amendment, debate on amendment No. 142, to be offered by Senator Allen, will be limited to 30 minutes to be equally divided and controlled by Senators Allen and Magnuson; and that on all other amendments, except amendments to sections 407, 408, and 409 of the bill, and one by Senator Javits to be limited to 1½ hours, debate be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the mover of the amendment and Senator Magnuson. Pages 39293–39328, 39331–39367

Appropriations—D.C.: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 14916, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia. Senate agreed to the House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 5, 7, 10, 11, 13, and 14. This action cleared the measure for the President. Pages 39329–39331

Voting Rights: By unanimous consent, H.R. 4249, voting rights bill, was taken from calendar and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, to be reported back not later than March 1, 1970, or the first legislative day thereafter, at which time it will be made the Senate's pending business. Page 39335

Nominations: Senate received numerous Navy nominations, two of which were in the rank of admiral.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DOT

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $6,771,841,000, an increase of $157,411,000 over the House-passed figure of $6,614,430,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $20,819,691,700, an increase of $3,246,089,000 over the House-passed figure of $17,573,602,700.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign aid program. As approved by the committee the bill would appropriate a total of $2,821,313,000, an increase of $215,140,000 over the House-passed figure of $2,606,173,000.

Prior to this action, subcommittee approved this bill for full committee consideration.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee for Consumers began hearings on S, 2246, providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders concerning deceptive advertising or other deceptive sales acts; S. 3092, to extend protection to consumers through civil actions and provide for class actions; and S. 3201, proposed Consumer Protection Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Richard W. McLaren, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division); Virginia H. Knauer, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; and Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the following nominations:

George H. Barlow, to be U.S. district judge for the district of New Jersey;

Leonard I. Garth, to be U.S. district judge for the district of New Jersey;

Philip C. Wilkins, to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of California;

Joe McDonald Ingraham of Texas, to be U.S. circuit judge, fifth circuit; and

John L. Gibbons, of New Jersey, to be U.S. circuit judge, third circuit.

Senator Case, and Charles L. Bertini, president, and Francis J. Bolduc, both of the New Jersey Bar Association, appeared in behalf of the nominees from New Jersey; Senator Murphy appeared in behalf of Mr. Wilkins; and Senator Tower appeared in behalf of Mr. Ingraham. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 2193 and S. 2788, proposed Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1969. Testimony was received from John J. Sheehan, United Steelworkers of America; Dr. R. Lomax Wells, American Medical Association; William E. Naumann, Associated General Contractors of America; and A. C. Blackman, American Society of Safety Engineers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FULL OPPORTUNITY ACT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Evaluation and Planning of Social Programs resumed hearings on S. 5, proposed Full Opportunity Act, having as its witnesses Joseph A. Califano, Jr., attorney, Washington, D.C.; and Prof. Ernest R. Hilgard, Stanford University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

VIETNAM VETERANS' MEDICAL CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on medical care for Vietnam veterans. Testimony was received from Charles E. Mattingly, the American Legion; Edward H. Golembieski and Dr. I. B. Brick, both of the National Rehabilitation Commission; Dr. Donald C. Klein, National Training Laboratories for Applied Behavioral Sciences; Peter Lassen and Max Cleland, both of Paralyzed Veterans of America; Dr. Sedgwick Mead, Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Vallejo, Calif.; Charles Huber, William J. Flaherty, and Raymond P. Neal, all of Disabled American Veterans; Francis Stover and Norman Jones, both of Veterans of Foreign Wars; Irvin Schloss, past national president and J. H. Street, both of Blinded Veterans Association; and Edgar G. Burkhardt and Col. W. T. Leonard, both of Veterans of World War I.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 15273–15296; three private bills, H.R. 15297–15299; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1034 and 1035, and H. Res. 752–755, were introduced. **Pages 39508–39509**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 860, to amend section 302(c) of the Labor-Management Relations Act, 1947, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances, amended (H. Rept. 91–756);

H.R. 14864, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950 to authorize the Federal Government to institute measures for the protection of defense production and of classified information released to industry against acts of subversion (H. Rept. 91–757);

H. Res. 754, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies (H. Rept. 91–758);

H. Res. 755, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business, and employment (H. Rept. 91–759);

H. Res. 572, amending H. Res. 200, 91st Congress, authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct certain studies and investigations (H. Rept. 91–760); and

Conference report on S. 2917, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States (H. Rept. 91–761).

Watershed Protection: Received and read a report from the Committee on Public Works on the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. **Page 39379**

Department of Defense Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15090, making appropriations for the Department of Defense and related agencies for fiscal year 1970, and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Sikes, Whitten, Andrews of Alabama, Flood, Slack, Addabbo, Lipscomb, Minshall, Rhodes, Davis of Wisconsin, and Bow. **Page 39380**

Late Report: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight Wednesday, December 17, a conference report on H.R. 15090, Department of Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1970. **Page 39380**

Servicemen's Allowances: Considered by unanimous consent, House passed the following bills relating to military pay and allowances:

H.R. 110, to amend section 427(b) of title 37, United States Code, to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to a member of a uniformed service even though the member does not maintain a residence or household for his dependents, subject to his management and control;

H.R. 386, to amend title 37 of the United States Code to provide that a family separation allowance shall be paid to any member of a uniformed service assigned to Government quarters provided he is otherwise entitled to such separation allowance;

H.R. 8021, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize a dislocation allowance under certain circumstances, certain reimbursements, transportation for dependents, and travel and transportation allowances under certain circumstances; and

H.R. 8022, to amend title 37, United States Code, to authorize travel, transportation, and education allowances to certain members of the uniformed services for dependents' schooling. **Pages 39381–39384**

Presidential Message—Trade Agreements: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress the 13th Annual Report on the Trade Agreements Program—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed.

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Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar, the House passed the following bills:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 9001, 7264, 8100, and 1497.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 10658, S. 65, 80, 81, and 82.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2552, 6375, 6389, S. 1438, H.R. 9488, S. Con. Res. 33, H.R. 3629, 3955, 12089, S. 476, H.R. 1697, 3530, 4105, and 7161.

Objected to and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary: H. Res. 86, S. 901, H.R. 2302, S. 882, H. Res. 498, H.R. 11500, 1782, 3590, and H. Res. 533.

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D.C. Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14916, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part to the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1970.

House receded and concurred to Senate amendment No. 4.

Receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 5, 7, 10, 11, 13, and 14.

Returned the measure to the Senate for further action.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to file sundry reports by midnight tonight. Page 39391

Export Control Act: House insisted on its amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports, and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, Widnall, Mize, and Brown of Michigan.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Spanish-speaking people: S. 740, to establish the Cabinet Committee on Opportunities for Spanish-Speaking People, amended (passed by a record vote of 316 yeas to 81 nays with 2 voting "present");

Intergovernmental relations appropriations: H.J. Res. 757, to authorize appropriations for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S.J. Res. 117, a similar Senate-passed measure, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. The measure was returned to the Senate for further action;

Oil, gas compact: S.J. Res. 54 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 506), consenting to an extension and renewal of the interstate compact to conserve oil and gas, clearing the measure for the President;

Mental health centers: H.R. 14086, to amend the Community Mental Health Centers Act to extend the program of assistance under that act for community mental health centers and facilities for the treatment of alcoholics and narcotic addicts.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 2532, a similar Senate-passed measure, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. The measure was returned to the Senate for further action;

Public health schools: H.R. 14790, to amend the Public Health Service Act so as to extend for an additional period the authority to make formula grants to schools of public health.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 2809, a similar Senate-passed measure, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. The measure was returned to the Senate for further action;

Migrant farm workers: H.R. 14733, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of assistance for health services for domestic migrant agricultural workers;

Time zone: H.R. 14289, to amend the act of March 4, 1921, to place the counties of El Paso and Hudspeth, Tex., in the mountain standard time zone, and agreed to amend the title;

Land exchange: H.R. 13448, to authorize the exchange, upon terms fully protecting the public interest, of the lands and buildings now constituting the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at New Orleans, La., for lands upon which a new U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at New Orleans, La., may be located;

Vocational education: H.R. 13630, to extend certain expiring provisions of law relating to vocational education;

Radiotelephone: H.R. 6971, to require a radiotelephone on certain vessels while navigating upon specified waters of the United States;

GPO apprentices: H.R. 9366, to change the limitation on the number of apprentices authorized to be employees of the Government Printing Office; and

Smithsonian regents: H.R. 14213, to amend sections 5580 and 5581 of the Revised Statutes to provide for additional members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (passed by a record vote of 273 yeas to 119 nays). Pages 39391–39432

Late Report: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight tonight a conference report on S. 2917, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States. Page 39426

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 39508

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM—WHEAT ACREAGE ALLOTMENT INCREASES

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 485, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 with regard to wheat. The committee also continued consideration of the food stamp program.

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Testimony was heard from officials of the Department.

Hearings continue Friday, December 19.

PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AND CHILD DAY CARE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 13520, Comprehensive Preschool Education and Child Day Care Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Jacobs; Howard Samuel, Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America; Edwin W. Martin, Jr., Acting Associate Commissioner, Bureau of Education for the Handicapped, HEW; Edward T. Breathitt, president, American Child Care Centers, and a panel of Headstart conferees.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 11145, to establish in the Department of Labor a Youth Conservation Corps.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 6535, H.R. 8200, H.R. 9170, and related bills, higher education assistance. Testimony was heard from Benjamin Henley, Acting Superintendent of Schools, District of Columbia, and Gladys Ford, president, Military Parents' Association, District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session for briefing on developments in the Arab-Israeli conflict by Assistant Secretary Joseph J. Sisco, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State.

PHOSPHATE BASE DETERGENTS

Committee on Government operations: Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources concluded hearings on phosphate base detergents. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ALASKA LAND FREEZE ORDER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in open session and adopted a resolution on the Alaska land freeze order, PLO 4582, to permit the granting of a right-of-way for an 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay to Valdez, Alaska.

CAMERA NEWS, INC., ASSOCIATION WITH SDS

Committee on Internal Security: Held a hearing on the association of Camera News, Inc. ("Newsreel") with the Students for a Democratic Society. Testimony was heard from Lee Hays, production manager, WNDT–TV, NYC; and Herbert Romerstein, committee investigator.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANADROMOUS FISH CONSERVATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 1049 amended, to amend the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act of October 30, 1965, relating to the conservation and enhancement of the Nation's anadromous fishing resources, and to encourage certain joint research and development projects.

JOB EVALUATION POLICY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Position Classification concluded hearings on H.R. 13008, Job Evaluation Policy Act of 1969. Testimony was heard from David Silvergleid, president, National Postal Union.

WHITE HOUSE POLICE FORCE

Committee on Rules: Granted on open rule providing for the consideration of, and 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gray and Cramer.

INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY

Committee on Rules: Reported H. Res. 572 amended, supplemental investigative authority, Committee on Education and Labor. Testimony was heard from Chairman Perkins and Representatives Brademas and Erlenborn.

LOWER INTEREST RATES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate, on H.R.

15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business, and employment. Testimony was heard from Chairman Patman and Representatives Sullivan, Reuss, Widnall, Brock, Stanton, and Blackburn.

SPACE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications began hearings on assessment of space communications technology. Testimony was heard from Willis H. Shapley, Associate Deputy Administrator, NASA; Leonard Jaffe, Deputy Associate Administrator (Applications) NASA; Dr. Richard B. Marsten, Director, Communications Program, NASA; and William E. Plummer, Acting Director, Office of Telecommunications Management, Executive Office of the President.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14580, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

TAX REFORM

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, December 17, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 39627–39654

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3250–3253. Page 39627

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–616). Page 39627

Bills Referred: Sundry House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 39546

Bill Rereferred: By unanimous consent, Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 3128, to establish a Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Area Regional Airport Authority, and the bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce with the understanding that at conclusion of hearings thereon by that committee, the bill will be rereferred back to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 39564

Appropriations—Labor-HEW: By 88 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, after taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 52 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Scott amendment No. 431, to add words "Except as required by the Constitution" at the beginning of section 408 (barring funds from use to force a school district to take action involving busing of students, the abolishment of any school, or assignment of any student to any elementary or secondary school to a particular school against the choice of his parents), and at the beginning of section 409 (barring funds from any such uses as a condition precedent to obtaining Federal funds otherwise available to any State, school district, or school);

(2) By 49 yeas to 43 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment No. 432, striking from the bill section 407, setting forth congressional recommendations that, in cases where an institution of higher education has had two occasions of disorderly conduct or unauthorized possession of a building, the Secretary of HEW shall, prior to making or renewing grant thereto, require such institution to submit a plan providing reasonable assurance that such conduct will not recur, or if recurring, will be dealt with effectively;

(3) By voice vote, modified Tydings amendment No. 433 increasing by $2.8 million funds for the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development for purpose of research in the field of family planning;

(4) By voice vote, Cotton amendment providing $2 million for proposed program of the Department of Labor to assist the Department of Justice in its fight against crime;

(5) By voice vote, Williams of New Jersey amendment increasing by $600,000 funds for development of programs for the aging; and

Rejected:

(1) By 60 yeas to 28 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), adopted Griffin motion to table modified Allen amendment declaring sense of Congress that the freedom of choice of parents to choose the public primary and secondary schools to which they shall send their children is an inviolate right, the protection and maintenance of which is part of the public policy of the United States.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Stennis, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Holland, Cotton, Fong, Boggs, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 39520–39543, 39546–39582

Appropriations—DOT: By 80 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and took action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By voice vote, Hart amendment barring funds for further construction of certain Florida airport facilities until joint study by the Departments of the Interior and Transportation shows that such facilities will not have an adverse environmental effect on the ecology of the Everglades;

(2) By voice vote, Hartke amendment increasing by $500,000 funds for additional employees for the Highway Safety Bureau;

(3) By voice vote, Hartke amendment increasing by $100,000 funds for the National Transportation Safety Board; and

(4) By 52 yeas to 29 nays, Ribicoff amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) increasing by $7 million funds for traffic and highway safety for purpose of developing and testing of a prototype safe car; and

Rejected:

(1) By 22 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment No. 430, to strike from the bill funds for development of a civil supersonic transport aircraft.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, Magnuson, Pastore, Bible, Case, Smith of Maine, and Allott. Pages 39582–39627

Social Security: By unanimous consent, H.R. 15095, social security bill, and H.R. 9366, re GPO apprentices, will be held at the desk until further notice. Pages 39587, 39612

Appropriations—Foreign Aid: H.R. 15149, foreign aid appropriations, was laid down and made the pending business. Pages 39652–39654

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of John J. Gibbons, of New Jersey, to be U.S. circuit judge, third circuit; Joe McDonald Ingraham, of Texas, to be U.S. circuit judge, fifth circuit; Philip C. Wilkins, to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of California; George H. Barlow and Leonard I. Garth, each to be a U.S. district judge for the district of New Jersey; and six other judicial nominations, three to be U.S. attorneys and three to be U.S. marshals. Page 39654

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $267,437,318, an increase of $23,211,385 over the House-passed figure of $244,225,933.

Prior to this action, subcommittee approved this bill for full committee consideration.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee for Consumers continued hearings on S. 2246, providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders concerning deceptive advertising or other deceptive sales acts; S. 3092, to extend protection to consumers through civil actions and provide for class actions; and S. 3201, proposed Consumer Protection Act of 1969. Testimony was received from Senator Tydings; and Mary Gardiner Jones, James M. Nicholson, A. Everette MacIntyre, and Philip Elman, all Commissioners, Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OCEANOGRAPHY

Committee on Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Oceanography began hearings on S. 2802, to assist the States in establishing coastal zone management programs; and S. 2841, to establish a national program in regard to marine and atmospheric environment, receiving testimony from Dr. Julius A. Stratton, Ford Foundation; and Dr. John A. Knauss, University of Rhode Island, Kingston.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 2981, to revise the laws of the D.C. on juvenile court proceedings;

S. 3009, to authorize the Commissioner of the D.C. to enter into contracts for the payment of costs of reservoirs on the Potomac River;

S. 1626, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 4182, changing the name of the D.C. Training School to Forest Haven Institution, and to revise criteria for handling mentally retarded persons at such institution; and

S. 2694, providing salary increases for D.C. police and firemen (amended).

Committee also reconsidered its action of August 11, when it approved with amendments S. 1814, proposed D.C. Transit Act of 1969 and ordered the bill favorably reported with further amendments.

D.C. CRIMINAL VICTIMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee concluded a hearing on S. 2936, providing for the compensation of victims of crime in the D.C. Testimony was presented by Senator Yarborough; Representative Mikva; Jerry V. Wilson, Chief, Metropolitan Police Department; George W. Porter, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Dean Page Keeton, University of Texas Law School; Prof. Norval Morris, University of Chicago; and Prof. Gilbert Geis, State University of New York at Albany.

CONTINENTAL SHELF

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Special Subcommittee on Outer Continental Shelf held a hearing to discuss Continental Shelf policy, receiving testimony from Northcutt Ely and John G. Laylin, both representing the American Bar Association; and Maxwell S. McKnight, National Petroleum Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MIGRANT HEALTH SERVICES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2660, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 3 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 15300–15313; three private bills, H.R. 15314–15316; and four resolutions, H. Res. 756–759, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6244, to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to extend financial assistance to desertland entrymen to the same extent as such assistance is available to homestead entrymen (H. Rept. 91–762);

H.R. 10184, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds for the Sioux Tribe of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., amended (H. Rept. 91–763);

H.R. 11372, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Authorize the Partition or Sale of Inherited Interests in Allotted Lands in the Tulalip Reservation, Washington, and for Other Purposes," approved June 18, 1956 (70 Stat. 290), amended (H. Rept. 91–764);

Conference report on S. 1075, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct investigations, studies, surveys, and research relating to the Nation's ecological systems, natural resources, and environmental quality, and to establish a Council on Environmental Quality (H. Rept. 91–765); and

Conference report on H.R. 15090, making appropriations for Department of Defense and related agencies for fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–766).

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter of resignation from Representative Horton wherein he resigns from the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Subsequently agreed to H. Res. 756, electing Representative Landgrebe to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 39654

Federal Employee Pay: House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 13000, to implement the Federal employee pay comparability system, to establish a Federal Employee Salary Commission and a Board of Arbitration, and asks a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Dulski, Henderson, Olsen, Udall, Corbett, Gross, and Button.

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Civil Service Funds: Agreed to the Senate amendment, with an amendment, to H.R. 9233, to amend title 5, United States Code, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission in connection with certain functions of the Commission. Returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Page 39658

Conferee Change: Representative Ashley was appointed as a conferee in lieu of Representative Barrett to the conference on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports. Page 39658

Railroad Safety: House concurred in the Senate amendments to H.R. 8449, to amend the act entitled "An Act To Promote the Safety of Employees and Travelers Upon Railroads by Limiting the Hours of Service of Employees Thereon," approved March 4, 1907, clearing the measure for the President. Page 39659

Motor Vehicle Safety: House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 10105, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970, 1971, and 1972, and asks a conference with the Senate. Ap-

pointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Moss, Murphy of New York, Blanton, Springer, Keith, and Harvey. Page 39659

Additional Conferees: Appointed Representatives Scheuer and Steiger of Wisconsin as additional conferees in the conference on S. 3016, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. Page 39659

Interest Rates: By a record vote of 260 yeas to 136 nays with 3 voting "present," House passed H.R. 15091, to lower interest rates and fight inflation, to help housing, small business, and employment.

By a record vote of 193 yeas to 206 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the measure to the Committee on Banking and Currency with instructions to report it back forthwith with an amendment to strike all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu portions of S. 2577, a similar Senate-passed bill that would provide authorization for purchase of $3 billion in federally guaranteed mortgages by the Federal Reserve Board.

Agreed to the following committee amendments on demands for separate votes on each:

An amendment striking provisions authorizing the Federal Reserve Board to purchase federally guaranteed mortgages and stating that it is the intent of Congress this authority be used to assist in meeting national housing goals (agreed to by a record vote of 231 yeas to 172 nays with 1 voting "present"); and

An amendment striking provisions authorizing the purchase of up to $6 billion in federally guaranteed mortgages by the Federal Reserve Board (agreed to by a record vote of 233 yeas to 170 nays with 1 voting "present").

Also agreed to a series of technical committee amendments.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 2577 was passed in lieu, after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

H. Res. 755, the rule under which the bill was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

House insisted on its amendments and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, Widnall, Brock, and Stanton. Pages 39659–39701

Coal Mine Safety: By a record vote of 334 yeas to 12 nays, House agreed to the conference report on S. 2917, to improve the health and safety conditions of persons working in the coal mining industry of the United States.

Rejected a motion to recommit the conference report to the committee on conference with instructions to the managers on the part of the House to insist on House provisions on section 110B (rejected by a record vote of 83 yeas to 259 nays).

A point of order was overruled against consideration of the conference report, based on the contention that conferees amended sections not in disagreement. Pages 39704–39721

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for continued consideration of the food stamp program. The committee adjourned to continue on the food stamp program the first Tuesday after the first Monday the House meets after the recess.

HEALTH CARE COST-SHARING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on and approved for full committee action H.R. 8413 amended, to amend title 10, United States Code, to prescribe health care cost-sharing arrangements for certain surviving dependents. Testimony was heard from Vernon McKenzie, Director of Medical Administration Management, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary (Health and Medical), Department of Defense.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session to consider pending real estate projects. Testimony was heard from Representative Murphy and departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from John Holt, author of "How Children Fail."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 6535, H.R. 8200, H.R. 9170, and related bills, higher education assistance. Testimony was heard from Dr. Alice Rivlin, senior fellow, the Brookings Institution; and Rufus Wilson, Chief Benefits Director, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BIAFRA/NIGERIA SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for briefing on the situation in Biafra/Nigeria and prospects for a peace settlement. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Clar-

ence Clyde Ferguson, Jr., Special Coordinator on Relief to the Civilian Victims of the Nigerian Civil War; and William H. Brubeck, Director, Special Staff for Nigeria, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State.

SDS ACTIVITY AT FORT DIX AND IBT STRIKE

Committee on Internal Security: Held a hearing on Students for a Democratic Society activity at Fort Dix, N.J., on October 12, 1969, involving two SDS factions, Revolutionary Youth Movement (RYM) and Revolutionary Youth Movement II (RYM II); and SDS summer activity in the strike of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 639, against the Curtis Bros. Furniture Co. of Washington, D.C. Testimony was heard from Lt. Michael Goch, New Jersey State Police; and Committee investigators Ray McConnon and Richard Shaw.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTIOBSCENITY LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on antiobscenity legislation. Testimony was heard from Senator Barry Goldwater; Representative Feighan; and Raymond P. Gauer, national executive secretary, Citizens for Decent Literature, Inc.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on private claims bills.

SUPERGRADE INCREASES—POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2325 amended, to increase the number of supergrade positions. The committee also continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform.

SPACE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on assessment of space communications technology. Testimony was heard from Senator Gravel; Representative Pollock, and Dr. Joseph Charyk, president, Communications Satellite Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICIAL CONDUCT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

ANTIPOVERTY

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14580, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program.

TAX REFORM

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4148, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1969, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 39942, 40040–40044

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3254–3261. **Page 40040**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 30, Organized Crime Control Act of 1969, with an amendment, together with individual and additional views (S. Rept. 91–617);

S. 2660, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 3 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor, with amendment (S. Rept. 91–618);

S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–619);

S. 2981, to revise the laws of the D.C. on juvenile court proceedings, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–620); and

H.J. Res. 764, authorizing funds for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity (S. Rept. 91–621). **Pages 39906–39907, 40040**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 39948, 40040

Appropriations—Foreign Aid: By 55 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign aid program, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and took action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) McGee amendments to adjust total amounts in several economic assistance items so as to comply with sums in the foreign aid authorizations bill;

(2) By 62 yeas to 28 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Fulbright amendment providing that total funds appropriated by the bill not exceed total authorized to be appropriated (prior to adoption of this amendment, Senate, by 34 yeas to 57 nays, rejected Fong motion to table this amendment); and

(3) McGee amendment reducing from $375 million to $350 million total funds for military assistance.

Rejected:

(1) By 38 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Fulbright amendment which would have reduced from $375 million to $350 million total funds for military assistance, and would have eliminated $50 million earmarked for military assistance for the Republic of Korea.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McGee, Ellender, McClellan, Holland, Montoya, Fong, Cotton, Pearson, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 39901–39906, 39913–39924, 39929–39942

GPO Apprentices: Senate took from the desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President, H.R. 9366, increasing limitation on number of apprentices to be employees of the Government Printing Office. Page 39941

Mexican-American Affairs: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 740, to establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 39944–39946

Tennessee Walking Horses: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendments S. 2543, to prohibit the movement in interstate and foreign commerce of "sored" Tennessee walking horses whose hoofs have been rendered sore by certain type treatments in order to induce exaggerated gait. Pages 39895–39898

Mortgage Credit: Senate disagreed to the House amendments to S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, agreed to conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Bennett, and Brooke. Pages 39924–39926

Appropriations—Supplemental: By 74 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and took additional action thereon as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 52 yeas to 37 nays, sustained Byrd of West Virginia question of germaneness of so-called Philadelphia plan section of the bill (section 904), reaffirming authority of the Comptroller General delegated to him by the Congress in the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921;

(2) By 73 yeas to 13 nays, Byrd of West Virginia amendment providing that section 904 not be construed as affecting jurisdiction or scope of judicial review of any Federal court in connection with the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921, or any other Federal law;

(3) By 80 yeas to 0 nays, Harris amendment increasing by $2 million funds for Indian health services;

(4) By voice vote, Dodd amendment providing additional $310,000 for the Passport Office of the Department of State;

(5) By voice vote, Randolph amendment providing $10 million for Department of HEW, and $15 million for Department of the Interior, both for expenses to improve health and safety in the Nation's coal mines;

(6) By voice vote, Williams of New Jersey amendment providing $2 million for expenses to implement the Federal Construction Safety Act of 1969;

(7) By voice vote, Griffin amendment providing an additional $130,000 for State Marine Schools for the Michigan State Maritime Academy; and

(8) By 65 yeas to 10 nays, Hruska amendment to provide for continuing appropriations for any appropriations bill that fails to be enacted prior to sine die adjournment, but not later than January 30, 1970.

Rejected:

(1) Griffin amendment to Byrd of West Virginia amendment (to section 904) providing for a stay of proceedings pending final judicial determination in case of where a certain holding of the Comptroller General is contrary to a formal opinion of the Attorney General (amendment rejected by adopting, by 53 yeas to 35 nays, Byrd of West Virginia motion to table said amendment); and

(2) By 40 yeas to 44 nays, Javits amendment to Byrd of West Virginia amendment (to section 904) to provide for judicial review of certain findings of the Comptroller General.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd of West Virginia, Pastore, Holland, Ellender, McClellan, Magnuson, Stennis, Young of North Dakota, Smith of Maine, Hruska, and Allott. Pages 39942–39946, 39948–39982, 40004–40039

Appropriations—Labor-HEW: By unanimous consent, Senators Pastore and Case were appointed as additional conferees on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare. Page 39919

Veterans' Education: Senate disagreed to the House amendments to the Senate amendments to H.R. 11959, proposed Veterans' Education and Training Assistance Amendments Act of 1969, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Cranston, Yarborough, Randolph, Kennedy, Mondale, Hughes, Schweiker, Javits, Dominick, Saxbe, and Smith of Illinois. Page 39962

Federal Employees' Pay: Senate insisted upon its amendments to H.R. 13000, proposed Federal Salary Comparability Act of 1969, agreed to conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McGee, Yarborough, Randolph, Fong, and Boggs. Page 39964

Civil Service: Senate agreed to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 9233, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 39978

Coal Mine Safety: Senate agreed to conference report on S. 2917, proposed Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 39982–39999

Appropriations—Defense: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 15090, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 39999–40004

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Arthur F. Burns, of New York, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Wesley L. Hjornevik, of Texas, to be Deputy Director, and Donald S. Lowitz, of Illinois, and Frank C. Carlucci III, of Pennsylvania, each to be an Assistant Director, all of the Office of Economic Opportunity; Dr. Jesse L. Steinfeld, of California, to be Surgeon General of the Public Health Service; Barrington D. Parker, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Columbia; William J. Schloth, to be U.S. attorney for the middle district of Georgia; Gerald J. Gallinghouse, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Louisiana; and William M. Johnson, to be U.S. marshal for the southern district of Georgia. Pages 40113–40114

Nominations: On Wednesday, December 17, Senate received the nominations of Gardiner Luttrell Tucker, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; and Whitney North Seymour, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the southern district of New York. Page 39654

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Arthur F. Burns, of New York, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Javits appeared on behalf of Mr. Burns, and the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded a hearing on the nomination of Douglas W. Toms, of Washington, to be Director of the National Highway Safety Bureau. Testimony was received from Representative May on behalf of Mr. Toms. Senator Randolph, Chairman of the Committee on Public Works, submitted a statement for the record. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

ALASKA NATIVE LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1830, providing for the settlement of certain land claims of Alaska natives, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MHD

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee for Minerals, Materials, and Fuels began hearings concerning the use of magnetohydrodynamics (MHD). Testimony was received from Dr. Arthur Kantrowitz, AVCO Everett Research Laboratory, Everett, Mass.; Prof. Robert H. Eustis, Stanford University; Dr. J. D. Dicks, University of Tennessee, Tullahoma; and Dr. W. E. Parkins, Atomics International, North American Rockwell, California. Louis H. Roddis, Jr., president, Consolidated Edison, New York, submitted a statement for the record.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Dr. Jesse L. Steinfeld, of California, to be Surgeon General of the Public Health Service; and

Wesley L. Hjornevik, of Texas, to be Deputy Director, and Donald S. Lowitz, of Illinois, and Frank C. Carlucci III, of Pennsylvania, each to be an Assistant Director, all of the Office of Economic Opportunity.

WHITE HOUSE AND EMBASSY PROTECTION

Committee on Public Works: Committee concluded a hearing on H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies, receiving testimony from Assistant Secretary Eugene T. Rossides and James J. Rowley, Director of the U.S. Secret Service, both of the Department of the Treasury.

EMPLOYMENT OF THE AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes held hearings on the employment aspects of the economics of aging. Testimony was received from Dr. Harold Sheppard, W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research; Ben P. Robertson, Deputy Administrator, Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Division, Department of Labor; Mrs. Rashelle G. Axelbank, former labor market analyst, New York Division of Employment; Dr. Robert N. Butler, research and practicing physician; Dr. Sidney Cobb, Harvard School of Public Health; and Alfred Slote, assistant director of television, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 15317–15351; three private bills, H.R. 15352–15354; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1036 and H. Res. 760, were introduced. **Pages 39893–39894**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic, economic, social and political institutions (H. Rept. 91–767);

S. 2325, an act to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for additional positions in grades GS–16, GS–17, and GS–18, amended (H. Rept. 91–768);

Conference report on S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit (H. Rept. 91–769);

Conference report on H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–770); and

Conference report on H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies (H. Rept. 91–771). **Pages 38989, 39893**

Transportation Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Boland, McFall, Yates, Mahon, Minshall, Conte, and Bow. **Pages 39795–39796**

Late Reports: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight tonight conference reports on H.R. 14794, Department of Transportation appropriations, and H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. **Page 39796**

Land Conveyance: House passed H.R. 12535, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to release certain restrictions on a tract of land heretofore conveyed to the State of Texas in order that such land may be used for the city of El Paso north-south freeway. **Pages 39798–39799**

National Guard Land: House passed S. 59, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the United States over lands within the Army National Guard Facility, Ethan Allen, and the U.S. Army Materiel Command Firing Range, Underhill, Vt., clearing the measure for the President. **Page 39799**

Veterans' Care: Cleared for the White House H.R. 9334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State Veterans' homes; by concurring to the Senate amendment thereto. **Page 39800**

Veterans' Training Assistance: House concurred to the Senate amendment, with an amendment, to H.R. 11959, to amend chapters 31, 34, and 35 of title 38, United States Code, in order to increase the rates of vocational rehabilitation, education, educational assistance, and special training allowance paid to eligible veterans and persons under such chapters; and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. **Pages 39800–39810**

Coast Guard Reserve: House passed H.R. 13716, to improve and clarify certain laws affecting the Coast Guard Reserve. **Pages 39810–39811**

Defense Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 15090, making appropriations for the Department of Defense and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

House recedes from its disagreement and concurs with Senate amendments Nos. 8, 10, 11, 20, 22, 24, 26, 27, 29, 31, 33, 34, 36, 38, 40, 41, 43, and 44. **Pages 39812–39814**

White House, Embassy Protection: By a record vote of 394 yeas to 7 nays, House passed H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies.

Agreed to an amendment requiring that recruiting for this service not hinder recruiting efforts of the District of Columbia Metropolitan Police.

H. Res. 754, the rule under which the measure was considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

Pages 39814–39826

Late Report: Committee on Banking and Currency received permission to file by midnight tonight a conference report on S. 2597, to provide additional mortgage credit. Page 39826

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for the year ending June 30, 1970; and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Flood, Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Hull, Casey, Mahon, Michel, Shriver, and Reid of Illinois.

Agreed to a motion to instruct House conferees to agree to Senate amendments Nos. 87 and 88 (excludes funds in the act to be used to force busing of students, except as provided by the Constitution, abolishment of any school or assignment of any student attending any elementary or secondary school against his or her or parents choice. Forbids busing of students, except as provided by the Constitution, to a particular school as a condition precedent to obtaining Federal funds otherwise available to any State, school district or school). A motion to table the motion to instruct conferees was rejected by a record vote of 181 yeas to 216 nays.

Pages 39826–39830

Investigative Authority: By a record vote of 224 yeas to 154 nays, House agreed to H. Res. 572, amending H. Res. 200, 91st Congress, authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct certain studies and investigations. Agreed to amend the title of the resolution. Pages 39830–39833

Foreign Aid Appropriations: Disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 15149, making appropriations for Foreign Assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970; and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Passman, Rooney of New York, Hansen of Washington, Cohelan, Long of Maryland, McFall, Mahon, Shriver, Conte, Reid of Illinois, Riegle, and Bow. Page 39841

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for discussion on the wheat and feed grains program.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on the educational needs of elementary and secondary schools in the 1970's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 6535, H.R. 8200, H.R. 9170 and related bills, higher education assistance. Testimony was heard from Arnold R. Weber, Assistant Secretary for Manpower, Department of Labor; and Geoffrey H. Moore, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments continued hearings on the Geneva Protocol of 1925 concerning U.S. policies on gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Thomas R. Pickering, Acting Director, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; John B. Rhinelander, Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State; and Howard F. Furnas, Special Assistant to the Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House three investigative reports entitled as follows: (1) "Government-Rejected Consumer Items"; (2) "Procurement of 2.75-inch Aircraft Rocket Launchers"; and (3) "Accident and Injury Data (Adequacy of Arrangements by Federal Departments and Agencies for Collecting and utilizing accident and injury data)."

SDS ACTIVITY IN CHICAGO

Committee on Internal Security: Concluded a hearing on SDS "national action" in Chicago, October 8–11, 1969. Testimony was heard from committee investigators Herbert Romerstein and Stuart Pott.

APPRECIATION RESOLUTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and unanimously approved a resolution of appreciation to Dr. Andrew Stevenson who retired October 31, 1969, after having served more than 22 years on the professional staff of the committee.

POSTAL REFORM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for continued consideration of H.R. 4, postal reform. No announcements were made.

Committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SPACE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on assessment of space communications technology. Testimony was heard from Howard R. Hawkins, President of RCA Global Communications and RCA Alaska Communications, Inc.; and Richard R. Hough, vice president, Long Lines Department, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

ANTIPOVERTY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

MORTGAGE CREDIT

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit.

TAX REFORM

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, meeting in morning, afternoon, and evening sessions. Conferees were expected to conclude action in the early morning hours of Friday, December 19.

Friday, December 19, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 40127–40187

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3262–3276; and S.J. Res. 168.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 944, to increase authorized maximum per diem allowance in the Armed Service to meet actual travel expenses (S. Rept. 91–622);

H.R. 14227, to adjust armed services retired pay and retainer pay to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index (S. Rept. 91–623);

H.R. 14571, to amend the CIA Retirement Act for certain employees (S. Rept. 91–624);

S. 3009, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into contracts for the payment of costs of reservoirs on the Potomac River (S. Rept. 91–625); and

S. 1626, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the District of Columbia, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–626). Pages 40136–40137

Bill Referred: H.R. 14944, to authorize an adequate force for the protection of the Executive Mansion and foreign embassies, was referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 40127

Veterans: By unanimous consent, the Secretary of the Senate was authorized to return to the House the message informing the Senate that the House had agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 9634, to improve and make more effective the Veterans' Administration program of sharing specialized medical resources.

Page 40124

Mortgage Credit: Senate agreed to the conference report on S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit.

Pages 40186–40189

Foreign Aid Authorizations: Senate agreed to the conference report, and cleared for the President H.R. 14580, fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program. Pages 40189–40190

Appropriations—Military Construction: Senate agreed to conference report and cleared for the President H.R. 14751, fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction.

Also, Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 473, authorizing Clerk of the House to make a correction in the enrollment of H.R. 14751. Pages 40198–40199

Migrant Health: By unanimous consent, Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 14733, to extend the Migrant Health Act for 3 years, and providing increased authorizations therefor, and the bill was then passed with an amendment in the nature of a substitute to include language of S. 2660, companion bill. S. 2660 was then indefinitely postponed. Pages 40207–40208

Railroad Safety: Senate took from the calendar and passed with committee amendments S. 1933, proposed Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1969. Pages 40202–40207

National Blood Donor Month: Senate agreed to the House amendments with an amendment to S.J. Res. 154, requesting the President to proclaim the month of

January of each year as "National Blood Donor Month," and returned the bill to the House for further action.

Page 40210

Appropriations—DOT: Senate agreed to conference report and cleared for the President H.R. 14794, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies. Senate receded from its amendments Nos. 2, 14, and 15. Page 40211

Treaty Received: Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations (Ex. J, 91st Cong., first sess.) was received, and, by unanimous consent, injunction of secrecy was removed therefrom—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 40151

Confirmation: By 79 yeas to 4 nays, Senate confirmed the nomination of Henry J. Tasca, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Greece. Page 40213

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

The nomination of Gardiner L. Tucker, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense (Systems Analysis);

H.R. 944, to increase authorized maximum per diem allowance in the armed service to meet actual travel expenses;

H.R. 14227, to adjust armed services retired pay and retainer pay to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index;

H.R. 14571, to amend the CIA Retirement Act for certain employees; and

One hundred and eleven nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Tucker was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported a list of diplomatic and foreign service nominations received by the Senate on December 10.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2218, proposed Elementary and Secondary Education Amendments of 1969.

EMPLOYMENT OF THE AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes continued hearings on the employment aspects of the economics of aging. Testimony was received from Charles Odell, Director of U.S. Employment Service, Department of Labor; Dr. Robert Proper, Lovelace Foundation for Medical Education and Research; Capt. G. D. Goss, Denver, Capt. Stewart W. Hopkins, Tiburon, Calif., and Capt. Charles Rogers, Miami, all representing the Airline Pilots Association International; Dr. Leon Koyle, De Haviland Aircraft of Canada, Ltd., Ontario; Fred Thompson, Woodward & Lothrop, District of Columbia; and H. P. Strople, Center for Research and Economic Development for Older Americans, Inc., Falls Church, Va. A statement for the record was presented by Representative Pepper.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 15355–15388; three private bills, H.R. 15389–15391; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1037–1039, H. Con. Res. 473, and H. Res. 761, were introduced. Pages 40219, 40225, 40264–40265

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

A report entitled "Marketing of Federal Obligations—Participation Certificates" (H. Rept. 91–772);

A report entitled "Government-Rejected Consumer Items" (H. Rept. 91–773);

A report entitled "Procurement of 2.75-inch Aircraft Rocket Launchers (H. Rept. 91–774);

A report entitled "Accident and Injury Data" (H. Rept. 91–775);

H.R. 11832, to provide for the establishment of an international quarantine station and to permit the entry therein of animals from any other country and the subsequent movement of such animals into other parts of the United States for purposes of improving livestock breeding (H. Rept. 91–776);

A report entitled "The Position and Problems of Small Business in Procurements Financed by the Agency for International Development" (H. Rept. 91–777);

Conference report on S. 3016, to provide for the continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, and to authorize funding of such programs (H. Rept. 91–778); and

Conference report on H.R. 15149, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–779).

Page 40264

Late Reports: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight tonight the conference re-

port on H.R. 15149, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970; and conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight Sunday, December 21, the conference report on H.R. 13270, to reform the income tax laws. Pages 40215–40217

Tax Reform: Unanimous consent was given to the request by the majority leader that 2 hours will be allowed for consideration of the conference report on H.R. 13270, to reform income tax laws, when the report is brought to the floor. Page 40217

Commission Appointments: Appointed as members of the Commission on Government Procurement Representatives Holifield and Horton and Joseph W. Barr, of Maryland. Page 40217

Military Construction Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14751, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Pages 40217–40219

Enrollment Correction: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 473, authorizing the Clerk of the House to make a correction in the enrollment of H.R. 14751, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 40219

Foreign Aid: By a record vote of 208 yeas to 166 nays, House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14580, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the United States by assisting peoples of the world to achieve economic development within a framework of democratic economic, social, and political institutions. Pages 40219–40221

Transportation Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14794, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

House insisted on its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 2, 14, and 15, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40221–40225

Printing Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 761, authorizing the printing of 3,000 extra copies of the conference report on H.R. 13270, to reform the income tax laws. Page 40225

Civil Service Positions: Passed with an amendment S. 2325, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for additional positions in grades GS–16, GS–17, and GS–18; returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40225–40227

Recess: House went into recess at 3:02 p.m. and reconvened at 5 p.m. Page 40238

Additional Mortgage Credit: By a record vote of 359 yeas to 4 nays, with 2 voting "present," House agreed to the conference report on S. 2577, to provide additional mortgage credit, clearing the measure for the President. Pages 40239–40244

Supplemental Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to the conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Whitten, Rooney of New York, Boland, Flood, Steed, Hansen, Bow, Jonas, Cederberg, and Rhodes. Page 40249

Late Reports: Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight Saturday, December 20, the conference report on H.R. 15209, supplemental appropriations. Conferees for the House received permission to file by midnight Saturday, December 20, the conference report on H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970. Page 40249

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 40263

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Select Subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Further testimony was heard from officials of the department.

Hearings continue Monday, December 22.

BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on National Security Policy and Scientific Developments concluded hearings on the Geneva Protocol of 1925 concerning U.S. policies on gas and bacteriological warfare. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. W. E. Lemos, Director, Policy Planning and Arms Control, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

SPACE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications concluded hearings on assessment of space communications technology. Further testimony was heard from William E. Plummer, Acting Director of Telecommunications Management, Executive Office of the President; and Dr. Joseph V. Charyk, president, Communications Satellite Corporation.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign aid program.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.

TAX REFORM

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, agreeing to file a conference report thereon by midnight Sunday, December 21.

Saturday, December 20, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 40362–40400

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3277–3286; and S. Con. Res. 51. **Pages 40373, 40378**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Nineteenth Annual Report of the Select Committee on Small Business, together with individual views (S. Rept. 91–627);

Report entitled "Impact of Corporation Farming on Small Business," together with individual views (S. Rept. 91–628);

S. 2694, providing salary increases for D.C. police and firemen, with amendments. (S. Rept. 91–629); and

S. 2289, to make unlawful unreasonable and undue property tax assessments on common and contract carrier property, with amendments (S. Rept. 91–630).

Pages 40372–40373

Supergrades: Senate agreed to House amendment, and cleared for President, S. 2325, authorizing Civil Service Commission to establish additional supergrade postions. **Page 40372**

Private Bills: Senate agreed to the House amendment, and cleared for the White House, the following private bills: S. 65, 80, 81, and 82. **Page 40373**

Youth Opportunity: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the White House H.J. Res. 764, authorizing funds for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity. **Pages 40363–40364**

Thousand Islands Bridge Authority: By unanimous consent, Committee on Public Works was discharged from further consideration of S. 3197, authorizing Thousand Islands Bridge Authority to construct an additional toll bridge across the St. Lawrence River near Cape Vincent, N.Y., and the bill was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Pages 40366–40367**

Antipoverty: By 54 yeas to 21 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted conference report on S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act. Prior to adoption of this report, Senate took following actions with regard thereto;

By 31 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), rejected motion to recommit the report with instructions for the Senate conferees to insist (1) on elimination of language relative to legal services for members of the Armed Forces, (2) on the Senate's provision relative to audits, and (3) on elimination of language relating to the making of a specific reservation of funds for local initiative programs; and

Adopted by 39 yeas to 38 nays, Nelson motion to table point of order by Senator Dominick that language in report exceeded authority of Senate conferees in making specific reservation of funds for local initiative programs. **Pages 40400–40414**

Antipoverty—Technical Correction: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 51 (amended), to authorize the Secre-

tary of the Senate to make a technical correction in the enrollment of S. 3016, authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act.

Pages 40414–40415

Environmental Quality: Senate agreed to the conference report on S. 1075, to provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality. Pages 40378, 40415–40427

Appropriations—Foreign Aid: By 39 yeas to 29 nays, Senate adopted Mansfield motion to table conference report on H.R. 15149, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the foreign aid program.

Senate insisted upon its amendments, requested a further conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McGee, Ellender, Holland, Montoya, Fong, Cotton, and Pearson.

By 48 yeas to 22 nays, Senate adopted Mansfield motion to instruct the conferees to insist in particular that the level of appropriations not exceed those authorized by law for fiscal year 1970, and that no earmarking of funds for particular countries be specified for military assistance. Pages 40428–40442

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Douglas W. Toms, of Washington, to be Director of the National Highway Safety Bureau; Gardiner L. Tucker, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; one Air Force in the rank of general; two Navy, in the rank of admiral; two Army; three judicial, one to be U.S. attorney, and two to be U.S. marshal; and a list of diplomatic and foreign service nominations. Pages 40443–40444

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported a list of Coast Guard nominations received by the Senate on December 10.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 15392 and 15393; two private bills, H.R. 15394 and 15395; and two resolutions, H. Res. 762 and 763, were introduced.

Pages 40492–40493

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for the year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–780); and

Conference report on H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 (H. Rept. 91–781).

Pages 40459–40460, 40488–40492

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a record vote of 181 yeas to 174 nays, House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 15149, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

Points of order based on the contention that $54.5 million for military assistance to the Republic of China was not in the authorization bill were overruled.

By a record vote of 136 yeas to 220 nays, rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the committee of conference with instructions to House conferees to support Senate amendment No. 25 (deleting $54.5 million for military assistance to the Republic of China).

House receded from its disagreement and concurred to Senate amendment No. 6; receded from its disagreement and concurred with amendment to Senate amendments Nos. 8 and 31. Returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40445–40457

Blood Donors: House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of the House to S.J. Res. 154, proclaiming the month of January each year as National Blood Donors Month, concurred to the Senate amendment thereto, clearing the measure for the President. Pages 40457–40458

Recess: House went into recess at 3:32 p.m. and reconvened at 4:21 p.m. Page 40459

Poverty Bill: By a record vote of 243 yeas to 94 nays, House agreed to the conference report on S. 3016, to provide for continuation of programs authorized under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, and to authorize funding of such programs.

Agreed to S. Con. Res. 51, authorizing the Secretary of the Senate to make certain corrections in the enrollment of S. 3016. Pages 40460–40467

Monday Meeting Time: By unanimous consent, the House will meet Monday, December 22, at 10:30 a.m.

Page 40468

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 40492

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held today.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970.

Monday, December 22, 1969

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 40593–40666

Bills Introduced: 15 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3287–3301. Pages 40611–40612

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1653, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with regard to recovery of a reasonable attorney's fee in case of successful maintenance of an action for recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–631);

S. 1872, to repeal the Emergency Detention Act of 1950, with an amendment (S. Rept. 91–632);

S. 3154, to provide long-term financing for expanded urban public transportation programs, with individual views (S. Rept. 91–633). Pages 40611, 40749

Calendar Call: On call of the calendar, Senate passed the following measures:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Travel expenses: H.R. 944, to increase authorized maximum per diem allowance in the armed services to meet actual travel expenses;

Retired pay: H.R. 14227, to adjust armed services retired pay and retainer pay to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index; and

CIA retirement: H.R. 14571, to amend the CIA Retirement Act for certain employees.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Potomac River reservoirs: S. 3009, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into contracts for the payment of costs of reservoirs on the Potomac River.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C. juvenile court: S. 2981, to revise the laws of the D.C. on juvenile court proceedings; and

Practice of psychology in D.C.: S. 1626, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the District of Columbia. Pages 40596–40611

Tax Reform: By 71 yeas to 6 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 13270, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1969, thus clearing the measure for the White House.

Pages 40666–40670, 40687–40713, 40717–40718

Emergency Detention Act: Senate took from desk and passed with committee amendment S. 1872, to repeal the Emergency Detention Act of 1950.

Pages 40701–40702

D.C. Police and Firemen Salaries: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendments S. 2694, providing salary increases for D.C. police and firemen. Pages 40713–40717

Tariff: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for the President, H.R. 15071, to continue for 2 additional years the duty-free status of certain gifts by members of the Armed Forces serving in combat zones. Page 40718

Economic Report: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for the President H.J. Res. 1040, extending the time for filing the Economic Report and the report of the Joint Economic Committee.

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Appropriations—Supplemental: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970. Senate concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 8, 13, 19, 29, and 32, and, by 39 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), adopted Mansfield motion that the Senate recede from its insistence on its amendment No. 33, to reaffirm the authority of the Comptroller General delegated to him by the Congress in the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921, the effect of which rejected the so-called Philadelphia plan seeking to increase number of nonwhite construction workers on Federal contracts.

This action cleared the measure for the White House.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed numerous Coast Guard nominations. Page 40755

Nomination: Senate received withdrawal of the nomination of Robert Strausz-Hupé, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco. Page 40755

Recess: Recessed at 11:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NIGERIA-BIAFRA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, received a briefing concerning the Nigeria-Biafra situation from David D. Newsom, Assistant Secretary for African Affairs, and Ambassador C. Clyde Ferguson, Jr., both of the Department of State.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 15396–15412; six private bills, H.R. 15413–15418; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1040, H. Con. Res. 474, and H. Res. 764–766 were introduced. Page 40974

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 13270, to reform the income tax laws, filed Sunday, December 21 (H. Rept. 91–782);

A report entitled "Improved Manpower Management in the Federal Government" (H. Rept. 91–783);

S. 2910, to amend Public Law 89–260 to authorize additional funds for the Library of Congress James Madison Memorial Building (H. Rept. 91–784); and

H.R. 3786, to authorize the appropriation of additional funds necessary for acquisition of land at the Point Reyes National Seashore in California, amended (H. Rept. 91–785). Page 40974

Labor-HEW Appropriations: By a record vote of 261 yeas to 110 nays, House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 13111, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

House receded from its disagreement and concurred to Senate amendments Nos. 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 25, 26, 41, 52, 57, 72, and 84; receded from its disagreement and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 4, 50, 51, 56, and 83. Returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40756–40767

Tax Reform: By a record vote of 381 yeas to 2 nays, House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 13270, to reform the income tax laws, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40767–40973

Tariff Regulations: Considered by unanimous consent, House passed the following bills relating to duty-free status of certain items:

H.R. 15071, to continue for 2 additional years the duty-free status of certain gifts by members of the armed services in combat zones; and

H.R. 14956, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930—to extend the duty-free treatment of certain dyes.

Pages 40900–40901

Economic Report: Considered by unanimous consent, House-passed H.J. Res. 1040, extending the time for filing the Economic Report. Page 40901

Foreign Aid Appropriations: House disagreed to the insistence by the Senate on its amendments to H.R. 15149, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, and agreed to a further conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Passman, Rooney of New York, Hansen of Washington, Cohelan, Long of Maryland, McFall, Mahon, Shriver, Conte, Reid of Illinois, Riegle, and Bow.

Pages 40901–40902

Supplemental Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 15209, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

House receded from its disagreement and concurred to Senate amendments Nos. 4, 8, and 27; receded from its disagreement and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 13, 19, 29, and 32 (the latter providing continuing appropriations, agreed to by a record vote of 276 yeas to 99 nays).

By a record vote of 156 yeas to 208 nays with 1 voting "present", House rejected the motion to recede from its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 33 (that would limit application of the so-called Philadelphia plan to eliminate job discrimination). Agreed to a motion to insist on its disagreement, and returned the measure to the Senate for further action. Pages 40902–40922

Apollo XI Flags: Agreed to H. Res. 765, to authorize the Smithsonian Institution to display the U.S. flag presented to the House by the Apollo XI astronauts.

Pages 40922–40923

Environmental Quality: Agreed to the conference report on S. 1075, to establish a national policy for the environment; to authorize studies, surveys, and research relating to ecological systems, natural resources, and the quality of the human environment; and to establish a Board of Environmental Quality Advisers; clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 40923–40928

Tuesday Meeting Time: By unanimous consent, the House will meet Tuesday at 11 a.m.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special select subcommittee continued hearings on the D.C. Department of Corrections. Further testimony was heard from Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, D.C. Department of Corrections.

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Senate

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Bills Introduced: Three bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3302–3304; and S. Res. 299–303. **Pages 41049–41051**

Bill Referred: H.R. 14956, to extend the duty-free treatment of certain dyes, was referred to Committee on Finance. **Page 41135**

Auto Safety: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 10105, to authorize funds to implement programs for improved highway design and motor vehicle safety standards, agreed to conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Hartke, Hart, Prouty, and Griffin. **Page 41047**

Export Control: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 4293, providing for continuation of authority to regulate exports. **Page 41136**

Public Health: Senate disagreed to the House amendment to S. 2809, to extend authorizations for the making of grants to schools of public health, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Nelson, Eagleton, Cranston, Hughes, Dominick, Javits, Murphy, Prouty, and Saxbe. **Page 41139**

Mental Health Centers: Senate disagreed to the House amendment to S. 2523, to provide grants for construction of community mental health centers, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Kennedy, Nelson, Eagleton, Cranston, Hughes, Dominick, Javits, Murphy, Prouty, and Saxbe. **Pages 41139–41142**

Office of Intergovernmental Relations: Senate agreed to the House amendment to S.J. Res. 117, authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations, thus clearing the measure for the President. **Pages 41143**

Indefinite Postponement—Taxation: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on H.R. 12290, continuing income tax surcharge and excise taxes on autos and communications services, to terminate the investment credit, and to provide a low-income allowance for individuals. **Page 41146**

Adjournment Resolutions: Senate adopted the following adjournment resolutions:

Adjournment: H. Con. Res. 475, providing for sine die adjournment of the first session of the 91st Congress;

Reconvening date: H.J. Res. 1041, providing for reconvening of second session of the 91st Congress at noon, Monday, January 19, 1970;

Enrolled bills: H. Con. Res. 476, authorizing the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of Congress;

Committee to wait on President: S. Res. 299, to notify the President that the first session of the 91st Congress has completed its work;

Vice President: S. Res. 300, tendering thanks of Senate to Vice President Spiro T. Agnew for manner in which he has presided over Senate;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 301, tendering thanks of Senate to Senator Richard B. Russell for manner in which he has presided over Senate; and

Acting President pro tempore: S. Res. 302, tendering thanks of Senate to Senator Lee Metcalf for manner in which he has presided over Senate; and

Appointments to Boards: S. Res. 303, authorizing President pro tempore, during sine die adjournment to make appointments to commissions and committees authorized by law. **Pages 41147–41148**

Authorizations to Secretary: By unanimous consent, the Secretary of the Senate is authorized to receive message from the President on budget outlays for fiscal year 1970 during sine die adjournment. **Page 41147**

Appropriations—Labor-HEW: Senate took up conference report on H.R. 13111, fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and made this matter its unfinished business. **Pages 41161–41168**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed sundry nominations in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. **Page 41168**

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Lyle S. Garlock, of Virginia, to be a member of the Foreign

Claims Settlement Commission of the United States; and 25 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Adjournment sine die: Adjourned sine die at 2:56 p.m.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 15419–15433; one private bill; H.R. 15434; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1041–1044, H. Con. Res. 475 and 476, and H. Res. 767–774, were introduced. Page 41011

Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports (H. Rept. 91–786). Page 41011

Printing Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 767, authorizing the printing of 700 additional copies of hearings for use of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy entitled "Environmental Effects of Producing Electrical Power." Page 40981

Notification of President: Agreed to H. Res. 768, providing for a committee to notify the President of the completion of all business before Congress. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford on the part of the House. Page 40981

Recess: House went into recess at 11:32 a.m., and reconvened at 12:10 p.m. Page 40981

Adjournment Resolution: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 475, providing for sine die adjournment of the first session of the 91st Congress. Page 40981

Authority To Sign: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 476, authorizing the Speaker and the President of the Senate or the President pro tempore or the Acting President pro tempore of the Senate to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of the two Houses. Page 40981

Comptroller General Reports: Agreed to H. Res. 769, providing for the printing, during the adjournment of the first session of the 91st Congress, of reports of the Comptroller General of the United States. Page 40982

Convening Date: Passed H.J. Res. 1041, establishing that the second regular session of the 91st Congress convene at noon on Monday, January 19, 1970. Page 40982

Housekeeping Requests: The following unanimous consent requests were agreed to:

Notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of the House, the Clerk be authorized to receive messages from the Senate;

Notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of the House, the Speaker be authorized to accept resignations, and to appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House; and

That reports filed with the Clerk following the sine die adjournment by committees may be printed by the Clerk as reports of the 91st Congress.

Pages 40981–40982

Export Control Act: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 4293, to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports. Pages 40982–40983

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 770, electing Representative Crane to the Committees on Banking and Currency and House Administration. Page 40987

Recess: House went into recess at 12:46 p.m., and reconvened at 2:50 p.m. Page 41006

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 41007

Adjournment sine die: Adjourned sine die at 3:10 p.m.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT CONTROL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4293, providing for continuation of authority to regulate exports. Subsequently, both Houses agreed to the conference report, thus clearing the measure for the White House.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF NINETY-FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

RÉSUMÉ OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through December 23, 1969

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	176	186	..
Time in session	926 hrs., 56′	747 hrs., 21′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	17,768	13,159	30,927
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	11,295
Public bills enacted into law	74	116	190
Private bills enacted into law	29	46	75
Bills in conference	2	7	9
Bills through conference	12	28	40
Measures passed, total	684	720	1,404
Senate bills	277	75	..
House bills	156	364	..
Senate joint resolutions	33	22	..
House joint resolutions	17	23	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	14	12	..
House concurrent resolutions	28	32	..
Simple resolutions	159	192	..
Measures reported, total	*745	706	1,451
Senate bills	294	56	..
House bills	160	443	..
Senate joint resolutions	33	5	..
House joint resolutions	13	17	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	13	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	24	18	..
Simple resolutions	208	160	..
Special reports	20	38	..
Conference reports	..	42	..
Reported measures not acted on	19	48	..
Measures introduced, total	3,825	17,728	21,553
Bills	3,304	15,434	..
Joint resolutions	168	1,044	..
Concurrent resolutions	51	476	..
Simple resolutions	302	774	..
Quorum calls	29	176	..
Yea-and-nay votes	245	177	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 633 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 786 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through December 23, 1969

Army nominations, totaling 13,703, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	13,676
Unconfirmed	26
Withdrawn	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 18,962, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	18,961
Unconfirmed	1
Navy nominations, totaling 26,531, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	26,531
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 9,330, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,330
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 4,005, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,961
Unconfirmed	19
Withdrawn	24
Rejected	1
Postmaster nominations, totaling 628, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	176
Withdrawn	452

Summary

Total nominations received	73,159
Total confirmed	72,635
Total unconfirmed	46
Total withdrawn	477
Total rejected	1

BILLS ENACTED INTO PUBLIC LAW (91ST CONG., 1ST SESS.)

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HISTORY OF BILLS ENACTED INTO PUBLIC LAW (91ST CONG., 1ST SESS.)

(Cross-reference of bill number to public law number may be found on p. D 670)

Title	Bill No.	Date introduced	Committees—hearings		Date reported		Report No.		Page of Congressional Record of passage		Date of passage		Public Law	
			House	Senate	House	Senate	House	Senate	House	Senate	House	Senate	Date approved	No.
To increase salary of President of United States from $100,000 to $200,000 per annum, to take effect at noon January 20, 1969.	H.R. 10	Jan. 3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	915	Jan. 6	Jan. 15	Jan. 17	91-1
Making supplemental appropriation of $36 million for Bureau of Employment Security, Department of Labor.	H.J. Res. 414	Feb. 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3028	3108	Feb. 6	Feb. 7	Feb. 9	91-2
Relating to the method of the election of the board of directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.	S. 17 (H.R. 4214)	Jan. 15	IFC	Com.	Feb. 18	Jan. 29	91-24	91-6	3972	2418	Feb. 19	Jan. 31	Mar. 12	91-3
Providing that the minimum amount which can be apportioned to Trust Territory of the Pacific for job training under the Manpower Development and Training Act shall be $100,000.	H.R. 497	Jan. 3	EdL	.....	Feb. 25	.....	91-26	.....	5264	5525	Mar. 4	Mar. 7	Mar. 19	91-4
To extend until April 1, 1971, period within which President may transmit to Congress plans for reorganization of agencies in the executive department.	S. 1058	Feb. 18	GO	GO	Mar. 13	Feb. 27	91-80	91-89	6657	4900	Mar. 18	Feb. 28	Mar. 27	91-5
To extend the time for filing final reports under the Correctional Rehabilitation Study Act of 1965 until July 31, 1969.	H.R. 8438	Mar. 6	POCS	.....	Apr. 17	.....	91-148	.....	6676	7305	Mar. 18	Mar. 24	Mar. 28	91-6
Providing supplemental funds in the amount of $1,000,000,000 for the Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1969.	H.J. Res. 584	Mar. 24	App	App	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	91-112	91-117	7378	8020	Mar. 25	Mar. 27	Apr. 1	91-7
Providing a permanent debt limitation of $365,000,000,000, and a temporary additional increase of $12,000,000,000 through June 30, 1970.	H.R. 8508	Mar. 10	WM	Fin	Mar. 10	Mar. 25	91-32	91-116	6806	7727	Mar. 19	Mar. 26	Apr. 7	91-8
Extending until July 1, 1969, time for making of final report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates.	S.J. Res. 37	Jan. 31	VA	BC	.....	Mar. 7	.....	91-92	8130	5683	Apr. 1	Mar. 10	Apr. 11	91-9
To provide lifetime mail service for Mamie Doud Eisenhower, the widow of former President Eisenhower.	H.R. 10158	Apr. 16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9258	9547	Apr. 16	Apr. 18	Apr. 25	91-10
Providing grade of general for Assistant Marine Corps Commandant so long as the office is held by present incumbent.	H.R. 3832	Jan. 16	AS	AS	Feb. 6	Apr. 18	91-16	91-130	3359	9865	Feb. 17	Apr. 22	May 2	91-11
To provide for the striking of medals in honor of the dedication of the Winston Churchill Memorial and Library at Westminster College, Fulton, Mo.	S. 1081	Feb. 19	BC	BC	May 2	Mar. 13	91-181	91-95	11215	6393	May 5	Mar. 13	May 7	91-12
To strike a medal commemorating the founding of the American Fisheries Society.	S. 1130 (H.R. 8648)	Feb. 25	BC	BC	May 2	Mar. 13	91-184	91-96	11218	6565	May 5	Mar. 17	May 15	91-13
To increase by $480,000,000 U.S. participation in the International Development Association.	H.R. 33	Jan. 3	BC	FR	Mar. 7	May 8	91-31	91-166	6052	12594	Mar. 12	May 14	23	91-14
To continue to June 30, 1970, the National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development.	H.R. 8794	Jan. 12	MMF	Com	Mar. 26	May 12	91-139	91-169	9689	12528	Apr. 21	May 14	May 23	91-15
To strike a medal in commemoration of the 300th anniversary of the founding of South Carolina.	H.R. 6269	Feb. 5	BC	BC	May 2	May 14	91-180	91-172	11214	12788	May 5	May 16	May 28	91-16
Designating the first week in June 1969 as Helen Keller Memorial Week.	S.J. Res. 99	Apr. 22	Jud	Jud	.....	May 1	.....	91-159	13119	11288	May 20	May 5	May 28	91-17
To strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Wichita.	H.R. 8188	Mar. 4	BC	BC	May 2	May 16	91-183	91-174	11218	13002	May 5	May 20	May 28	91-18
Reappointing for 1 additional year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.	S.J. Res. 104 (H.J. Res. 677)	Apr. 29	AS	AS	May 7	May 1	91-189	91-162	12896	11289	May 19	May 5	May 28	91-19
Authorizing special pay for junior nuclear-qualified submarine officers who extend their period of active service.	H.R. 9328	Mar. 20	AS	AS	Mar. 26	May 19	91-141	91-182	8136	13547	Apr. 1	May 23	June 3	91-20
Granting consent of Congress to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact.	S. 278 (H.R. 751)	Jan. 16	Jud	Jud	May 8	May 1	91-209	91-143	12921 12904	11279	May 19	May 5	June 3	91-21
Relating to eligibility for acquiring specially adapted housing necessitated by service-connected disabilities requiring use of wheelchair.	S. 408	Jan. 21	VA	BC	May 14	Mar. 13	91-242	91-94	12924	6564	May 19	Mar. 17	June 6	91-22

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Authorizing the President to designate the period June 8–14, 1969, as "Professional Photography Week in America."	S.J. Res. 77	Mar. 11	Jud	Jud	.....	May 1	.....	91–154	14638	11287	June 4	May 5	June 7	91–23
To make certain technical changes and corrections in the laws relating to veterans' benefits.	H.R. 684	Jan. 3	VA	Fin	Feb. 4	May 29	91–14	91–217	3357	14481	Feb. 17	June 2	June 11	91–24
To extend temporary suspension of duty on various metal scrap...	H.R. 10016	Apr. 14	WM	Fin	Apr. 22	May 29	91–156	91–221	12339	14482	May 13	June 2	June 13	91 25
To extend the temporary suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum.	H.R. 10015	Apr. 14	WM	Fin	Apr. 23	May 20	91–161	91–220	12338	14481	May 13	June 2	June 13	91–26
To provide for the reappointment of Dr. John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res. 13	Jan. 15	HA	RAdm	May 14	May 1	91–246	91–133	14393	11278	June 2	May 5	June 13	91–27
To provide additional temporary extension of the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of silk yarn.	H.R. 2718	Jan. 9	WM	Fin	Apr. 23	May 9	91–159	91–218	12334	14481	May 13	June 2	June 13	91–28
To strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the State of Alabama.	S. 1995 (H.R. 10931)	Apr. 29	BC	BC	May 26	May 14	91–267	91–171	14394	12788	June 2	May 16	June 17	91–29
To provide for the appointment of Thomas J. Watson, Jr., as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res. 35	Jan. 28	HA	RAdm	May 14	May 1	91–247	91–132	14393	11278	June 2	May 5	June 17	91–30
To make further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969..	H.J. Res. 782	Jan. 3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16157	16144	June 17	June 17	June 18	91–31
To insure preservation of all veterans' disability compensation evaluations in effect for 20 or more years.	H.R. 4622	Jan. 27	VA	Fin	Feb. 4	May 29	91–12	91–219	3356	15517	Feb. 17	June 12	June 23	91–32
Making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970 until Oct. 31, 1969.	H.J. Res. 790	June 24	App	App	June 24	June 25	91–324	91–274	17024	17208	June 24	June 25	June 30	91–33
To revise the pay structure of the police force of the National Zoological Park.	H.R. 2667	Jan. 9	HA	RAdm	May 14	June 12	91–248	91–231	14400	15906	June 2	June 16	June 30	91–34
Providing temporary extension (60 days) of the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949.	S.J. Res. 122 (H.J. Res. 780)	June 12	BC	BC	June 27	June 25	91–332	91–275	17622	17482	June 27	June 26	June 30	91–35
Providing a temporary extension of existing suspension of duty on heptanoic acid, and continuing for 1 month the existing rates of withholding of income tax (including withholding of surtax).	H.R. 4229	Jan. 23	WM	Fin	Apr. 22	June 25	91–152	91–279	12335	17211	May 13	June 25	June 30	91–36
Liberalizing the corporate charter of the National Education Association of the United States.	H.R. 4600	Jan. 27	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	June 18	91–54	91–242	9686	16522	Apr. 21	June 19	June 30	91–37
To extend for 1 additional month, until August 1, 1969, time for filing of report by the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates.	S.J. Res 123	June 16	VA	BC	.....	June 17	.....	91–236	17024	16152	June 24	June 17	July 1	91–38
Extending for 1 year the date for final report of National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws, and authorizing additional funds therefor.	H.R. 4297	Jan. 23	Jud	Jud	Mar. 11	June 20	91–34	91–266	6542	16922	Mar. 17	June 24	July 8	91–39
To amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 with regard to construction-differential subsidies.	H.R. 265 (S. 234)	Jan. 3	MMF	Com	June 11	June 20	91–303	91–2	15843	17487	June 16	June 26	July 8	91–40
To make permanent the existing temporary suspension of duty on crude chicory roots and to repeal the freeze on aid to families with dependent children.	H.R. 8644	Mar. 11	WM	Fin	Apr. 23	May 29	91–160	91–223	12337	16520	May 13	June 19	July 9	91–41
Authorizing funds to satisfy judgment in connection with acquisition of lands for Padre Island National Seashore, Tex.	H.R. 11069	May 8	IIA	IIA	June 11	June 19	91–305	91–261	15849	17757	June 16	June 30	July 11	91–42
Authorizing $27,000,000 for the saline water program for fiscal year 1970.	S. 1011	Feb. 17	IIA	IIA	May 8	Mar 20	91–208	91–100	12460	7305	May 14	Mar. 24	July 11	91–43
Fiscal 1970 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission..	H.R. 12167 (S. 2416	June 16	AE	AE	June 16	June 18	91–315	91–244	17045	17549	June 24	June 26	July 11	91–44

Ceding to Montana concurrent jurisdiction with the United States over the real property comprising the VA Center at Fort Harrison, Mont.	H.R. 3689	Jan. 15	VA	LPW	Feb. 4	July 2	91-13	91-284	3356	18540	Feb. 17	July 8	July 19	91-45
Authorizing release of 100,000 short tons of lead from the national stockpile and supplemental stockpile.	S. 1647	Mar. 24	AS	AS	June 11	May 1	91-304	91-136	16273	11836	June 18	May 8	July 19	91-46
Second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969	H.R. 11400	May 15	App	App	May 15	June 11	91-252	91-228	13277	16599	May 21	June 19	July 22	91-47
To strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. Diplomatic Courier Service.	H.R. 7215	Feb. 19	BC	BC	May 2	July 14	91-182	91-319	11216	19497	May 5	July 15	July 22	91-48
Authorizing $142,800,000 for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal 1970.	H.R. 4153	Jan. 23	MMF	Com.	Apr. 1	June 24	91-144	91-271	10754	17759	Apr. 29	June 30	July 22	91-49
To continue for 30 days the interest equalization tax	H.R. 13079	July 24	WM	.....	July 24	.....	91-392	.....	20880	21572	July 28	July 31	Aug. 2	91-50
Extending to June 30, 1970, the life of the National Commission on Product Safety.	S. 1590 (H.R. 10987)	Mar. 20	IIA	Com	June 30	May 5	91-335	91-165	20164	11672	July 21	May 8	Aug. 4	91-51
Granting consent of the Congress to the upper Niobrara River compact between Wyoming and Nebraska.	S. 38	Jan. 15	IIA	IIA	July 9	June 20	91-359	91-265	20149	16921	July 21	June 24	Aug. 4	91-52
Providing for quarterly collection of Federal unemployment tax, and continuing through December 31, 1969, the 10-percent surtax.	H.R. 9951	Apr. 3	WM	Fin	Apr. 22	June 26	91-155	91-281	12340	21571	May 13	July 31	Aug. 7	91-53
To promote health and safety in the construction industries in all Federal and federally assisted construction projects.	H.R. 10946	May 6	EdL	LPW	May 14	July 15	91-241	91-320	14642	20756	June 4	July 24	Aug. 9	91-54
To designate the period of August 26-September 1, 1969, as National Archery Week.	S.J. Res. 85	Apr. 1	Jud	Jud	.....	July 10	.....	91-300	20879	19357	July 28	July 14	Aug. 9	91-55
Providing 3-year extension of existing suspension of duty on certain copying shoe lathes and suspending for 2 years operation of certain social security legislation so as to correct medicaid abuses.	H.R. 5833	Feb. 3	WM	Fin	Apr. 22	May 29	91-154	91-222	12336	17704	May 13	June 30	Aug. 9	91-56
Authorizing conveyance to Tennessee of certain lands within Great Smoky Mountains National Park.	H.R. 2785	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	June 11	July 10	91-306	91-297	18385	20029	July 7	July 18	Aug. 9	91-57
To designate the Ventana Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif.	S. 714 (H.R. 3687)	Jan. 28	IIA	IIA	July 24	Mar. 24	91-388	91-115	22054	7627	Aug. 4	Mar. 26	Aug. 18	91-58
Providing for a temporary extension of authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949.	H.J. Res. 864	Aug. 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22546	22887	Aug. 6	Aug. 7	Aug. 18	91-59
To establish Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in Colorado.	S. 912	Feb. 4	IIA	IIA	July 31	June 19	91-411	91-263	22073	16723	Aug. 4	June 20	Aug. 20	91-60
Providing for the establishment in the National Capital area of a National Media Center for the Handicapped.	S. 1611	Mar. 20	EdL	LPW	July 28	May 22	91-395	91-125	22095	13653	Aug. 4	May 23	Aug. 20	91-61
Extending authority of the Civil Aeronautics Board over acquisition of air carriers to include a review of acquisition of an air carrier by noncarriers.	S. 1373 (H.R. 8261)	Mar. 7	IFC	Com	May 20	May 22	91-261	91-185	19928	18244	July 17	July 2	Aug. 20	91-62
To convey certain D.C. property to the Washington International School.	H.R. 12720	July 9	DC	DC	July 11	Aug. 11	91-377	91-375	19335	23673	July 14	Aug. 13	Aug. 25	91-63
To compensate the Indians of California for the value of land erroneously used as an offset in a judgment against the United States obtained by said Indians.	H.R. 671	Jan. 3	IIA	IIA	June 30	Aug. 12	91-334	91-381	18386	23676	July 7	Aug. 13	Aug. 25	91-64
To continue for temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle, and extending for 30 days, until September 30, 1969, the interest equalization tax.	H.R. 10107	Apr. 15	WM	Fin	Apr. 23	Aug. 11	91-162	91-373	12340	23281	May 13	Aug. 11	Aug. 25	91-65
Authorizing funds for the construction of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington.	S. 742	Jan. 28	IIA	IIA	June 5	Mar. 20	91-287	91-98	16631	7303	June 19	Mar. 24	Aug. 25	91-66
Providing salary increases for the Vice President and certain officers of the Congress.	H.R. 7206	Feb. 19	POCS	POCS	Feb. 25	Apr. 25	91-27	91-131	6668	22903	Mar. 18	Aug. 7	Sept. 15	91-67
Authorizing lease of certain D.C. property to the Jewish Historical Society for purpose of establishing a Jewish historical museum.	H.R. 12677	July 8	DC	DC	July 11	Aug. 13	91-374	91-388	19334	24089	July 14	Sept. 3	Sept. 16	91-68
Proposed Older Americans Act Amendments of 1969	H.R. 11235	May 14	EdL	LPW	June 5	Aug. 5	91-285	91-340	15828	23667	June 16	Aug. 13	Sept. 17	91-69
Authorizing the President to proclaim September 17, 1969, "General von Steuben Memorial Day" in observance and commemoration of the birth of the general.	H.J. Res. 250	Jan. 15	.....	Jud	.....	Sept. 16	.....	91-406	24345	25601	Sept. 4	Sept. 16	Sept. 17	91-70
Extending for 3 months authority to limit interest rates or dividends payable on time and savings deposits and accounts.	S.J. Res. 149	Sept. 10	.....	BC	.....	Sept. 10	.....	91-397	25612	25331	Sept. 16	Sept. 12	Sept. 22	91-71
Proclaiming the week of September 28-October 4, 1969, as National Adult-Youth Communications Week.	H.J. Res. 614	Mar. 31	.....	Jud	.....	Sept. 10	.....	91-394	20879	24996	July 28	Sept. 10	Sept. 24	91-72
Authorizing Secretary of the Interior to establish age limits for appointees to the U.S. Park Police.	S. 1686	Mar. 26	IIA	IIA	Sept. 8	July 9	91-477	91-295	25345	19240	Sept. 15	July 11	Sept. 26	91-73

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Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.	H.R. 11582	May 22	App	App	May 22	June 25	91-264	91-278	14078	17755	May 27	June 30	Sept. 29	91-74
Providing for disposition of a judgment revovered by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Montana.	S. 1766 (H.R. 9756)	Apr. 3	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	Aug. 12	91-471	91-380	25343	23676	Sept. 15	Aug. 13	Sept. 29	91-75
Authorizing President to award appropriate medals honoring astronauts for exceptionally meritorious efforts in behalf of the Nation.	H.J. Res. 775	June 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25372	25574	Sept. 15	Sept. 16	Sept. 29	91-76
To change the composition of the Commission for the Extension of the U.S. Capitol.	S. 1888	Apr. 18	PW	PW	.....	May 16	.....	91-173	26569	13001	Sept. 23	May 20	Sept. 29	91-77
Providing 90-day extension of housing laws which expire on October 1, 1969.	S.J. Res. 152	Sept. 18	.....	BC	.....	Sept. 18	.....	91-419	26898	26731	Sept. 24	Sept. 23	Sept. 30	91-78
Proposed Disaster Relief Act of 1969	H.R. 6508	Feb. 6	PW	PW	June 23	June 25	91-322	91-280	18805	19017 18559	July 9	July 10 July 8	Oct. 1	91-79
Providing that employer contributions do not have to be made under the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act for service performed for public international organizations.	H.R. 9526	Mar. 26	DC	DC	Apr. 24	Sept. 16	91-166	91-403	10502	26077	Apr. 28	Sept. 18	Oct. 1	91-80
Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies of three water resource development units of the Missouri River Basin project.	S. 574	Jan. 23	IIA	IIA	July 9	May 22	91-358	91-186	26906	13547	Sept. 24	May 23	Oct. 8	91-81
To designate the Desolation Wilderness, Eldorado National Forest, Calif.	S. 713 (H.R. 850)	Jan. 28	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	Mar. 20	91-473	91-97	26914	7302	Sept. 24	Mar. 24	Oct. 10	91-82
To provide that certain U.S. property conveyed in 1927 to the city of Baltimore be subject to reversion to the United States if such property is not used for public purposes.	H.R. 10420	Apr. 22	AS	AS	Aug. 6	Sept. 25	91-451	91-435	23106	27469	Aug. 11	Sept. 29	Oct. 10	91-83
Extending for 1 year authorizations for and the time for filing report by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.	S. 2462	June 20	Jud	Jud	Sept. 29	July 10	91-525	91-299	28656	19356	Oct. 6	July 14	Oct. 10	91-84
Authorizing $384.6 million for programs of the Maritime Administration for fiscal year 1970.	H.R. 4152	Jan. 23	MMF	Com	May 9	June 24	91-213	91-272	12677	26556	May 15	Sept. 22	Oct. 10	91-85
To amend the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit employer contributions to trust funds for establishment of child day-care centers.	S. 2068 (H.R. 4314)	May 5	EdL	LPW	June 5	July 7	91-286	91-293	27362	25331	Sept. 29	Sept. 12	Oct. 14	91-86
Authorizing President to designate the period of November 16-22, 1969, as "National Family Health Week."	S.J. Res. 46	Aug. 11	.....	Jud	.....	May 1	.....	91-153	24344	11287	Sept. 4	May 5	Oct. 15	91-87
Authorizing acquisition of additional lands for Everglades National Park, Fla.	S. 2564	July 8	IIA	IIA	Oct. 1	Aug. 7	91-546	91-347	28663	22991	Oct. 6	Aug. 8	Oct. 17	91-88
To provide unified standards and procedures for certifying seeds.	S. 1836	Apr. 18	Agr	Agr	Sept. 30	Aug. 6	91-543	91-346	28662	23084	Oct. 6	Aug. 8	Oct. 17	91-89
To authorize additional funds for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.	H.R. 11249	May 14	PW	PW	June 12	July 22	91-309	91-327	18632	28647	July 8	Oct. 6	Oct. 17	91-90
Requesting the President to proclaim "Day of Bread" and "Harvest Festival."	H.J. Res. 851	July 30	.....	Jud	.....	Oct. 2	.....	91-446	24344	28318	Sept. 4	Oct. 3	Oct. 17	91-91
Authorizing the President to designate Oct. 12-18, 1969, as National Industrial Hygiene Week.	S.J. Res. 150	Sept. 12	.....	Jud	.....	Oct. 9	.....	91-452	29978	29794	Oct. 14	Oct. 14	Oct. 17	91-92
To revise retirement financing and benefits for Government employees and Members of Congress.	H.R. 9825 (S. 2754)	Apr. 2	POCS	POCS	Apr. 23	Aug. 1	91-158	91-339	20562	28373	July 23	Oct. 3	Oct. 20	91-93
To extend time for completion by the Securities and Exchange Commission of its study on institutional investors.	S.J. Res. 112 (H.J. Res. 754)	May 23	IFC	BC	Sept. 23	May 27	91-501	91-206	28661	14475	Oct. 6	June 2	Oct. 20	91-94
To increase funds for college student loans	H.R. 13194 (S. 2721	July 30	EdL	LPW	Aug. 7	Aug. 8	91-455	91-368	25369	25602 23457	Sept. 15	Sept. 16 Aug. 12	Oct. 22	91-95

Increasing dependency and indemnity compensation for widows and children of veterans.	S. 1471 (H.R. 13576)	Mar. 11	VA	Fin	Sept. 30	Sept. 16	91-538	91-400	28696	26070	Oct. 6	Sept. 18	Oct. 27	91-96
Extending authorization for construction grants for educational TV and radio broadcasting facilities.	S. 1242 (H.R. 7737)	Feb. 28	IFC	Com	Aug. 12	May 8	91-466	91-167	29346	12207	Oct. 9	May 13	Oct. 27	91-97
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.	H.R. 12781	July 10	App	App	July 10	Sept. 18	91-361	91-420	20337	26547	July 22	Sept. 22	Oct. 29	91-98
Authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1970.....	H.R. 11039	May 7	FA	FR	Aug. 7	Sept. 17	91-456	91-416	24668	28374	Sept. 8	Oct. 3	Oct. 29	91-99
To declare that the United States shall hold certain land in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, N. Dak.	S. 775	Jan. 29	IIA	IIA	Oct. 7	Aug. 12	91-555	91-383	30502	23676	Oct. 20	Aug. 13	Oct. 30	91-100
Eliminating 6-month limitation on nursing home care for veterans with service-connected disabilities.	H.R. 2768	Jan. 9	VA	LPW	May 27	Oct. 17	91-270	91-482	14411	30648	June 2	Oct. 21	Oct. 30	91-101
Authorizing VA to furnish medical services for non-service-connected disability to veterans totally disabled from a service-connected disability.	H.R. 3130	Jan. 13	VA	LPW	May 27	Oct. 17	91-271	91-483	14405	30648	June 2	Oct. 21	Oct. 30	91-102
To place in trust status certain lands on the Standing Rock Sioux Indian Reservation in North Dakota and South Dakota.	S. 74 (H.R. 3334)	Jan. 15	IIA	IIA	Oct. 7	Aug. 11	91-552	91-374	30499	23673	Oct. 20	Aug. 13	Oct. 30	91-103
To declare that certain federally owned land is held by the United States in trust for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation.	S. 921 (H.R. 4226)	Feb. 4	IIA	IIA	Oct. 7	Aug. 12	91-553	91-382	30500	23676	Oct. 20	Aug. 13	Oct. 30	91-104
To extend until December 31, 1969, the authority conferred by the Export Control Act of 1949.	S. J. Res. 164	Oct. 30	.....	BC	.....	Oct. 30	.....	91-500	32469	32321	Oct. 30	Oct. 30	Oct. 31	91-105
D.C. Revenue Act of 1969.....	H.R. 12982	July 21	DC	DC	Aug. 8	Sept. 24	91-463	91-429	23143	28402	Aug. 11	Oct. 3	Oct. 31	91-106
Increasing from $90,000 to $100,000 annual business requirement for license fee under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act.	H.R. 9857	Apr. 2	Agr	Agr	Sept. 30	Oct. 22	91-544	91-490	28662	31367	Oct. 6	Oct. 23	Nov. 4	91-107
Authorizing construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C.	H.R. 11609	May 22	IIA	IIA	July 8	Oct. 22	91-357	91-494	20153	31368	July 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 4	91-108
To establish the Frederick Douglass Home as part of the park system of the National Capital.	H.R. 5968	Feb. 4	IIA	IIA	Sept. 30	Oct. 22	91-540	91-496	28660	31368	Oct. 6	Oct. 23	Nov. 6	91-109
To quitclaim retained rights in certain tracts of land to the board of education of Lee County, S.C.	H.R. 9946	Apr. 3	Agr	Agr	June 12	Aug. 6	91-312	91-344	15851	30529	June 16	Oct. 20	Nov. 6	91-110
Declaring November 9 a national day of prayer for American prisoners held by the North Vietnamese.	H.J. Res. 910	Sept. 23	.....	Jud	.....	Nov. 4	.....	91-504	29934	33008	Oct. 14	Nov. 5	Nov. 6	91-111
To declare that certain federally owned lands are held by the United States in trust for the Indians of the Pueblo of Laguna.	S. 210 (H.R. 9424)	Jan. 15	IIA	IIA	Oct. 7	Aug. 12	91-554	91-379	30501	23674	Oct. 20	Aug. 13	Nov. 6	91-112
To require labeling of hazardous toys and other such articles intended for use by children.	S. 1689 (H.R. 7621)	Mar. 26	IFC	Com	July 24	June 17	91-389	91-237	24356	17759	Sept. 4	June 30	Nov. 10	91-113
Increasing rate of per diem allowance for Government employees traveling on official business.	H.R. 337	Jan. 3	GO	GO	Mar. 20	Oct. 3	91-111	91-450	7749	29042	Mar. 26	Oct. 8	Nov. 10	91-114
Relating to foreclosure or sale of certain tribal lands on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.	S. 73 (H.R. 3247)	Jan. 15	IIA	IIA	Oct. 7	Aug. 11	91-551	91-373	30499	23673	Oct. 20	Aug. 13	Nov. 10	91-115
Increasing to $610 million authorizations for the food stamp program for fiscal year 1970.	H.J. Res. 934 (S.J.Res. 126)	Oct. 7	Agr	Agr	Oct. 14	June 20	91-566	91-264	33122	33401 16926	Nov. 5	Nov. 6 June 24	Nov. 13	91-116
Making continuing appropriations through December 6, 1969..	H.J. Res. 966	Oct. 23	App	App	Oct. 23	Nov. 12	91-595	91-529	31900	34040	Oct. 28	Nov. 13	Nov. 14	91-117
To extend the period for entering contracts under the Great Plains program.	H.R. 10595 (S. 1790)	Apr. 28	Agr	Agr	May 8	June 24	91-212	91-269	12922	17695	May 19	June 30	Nov. 18	91-118
Fiscal 1970 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.	H.R. 11271	May 14	SA	AER	May 19	June 26	91-255	91-282	15271	26335	June 10	Sept. 19	Nov. 18	91-119
Authorizing funds for activities of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1970.	S. 1857 (H.R. 10878)	Apr. 18	SA	LPW	June 5	July 2	91-288	91-285	28817	26066	Oct. 7	Sept. 18	Nov. 18	91-120
Fiscal 1970 authorizations for military procurement.....	S. 2546 (H.R. 14000)	July 3	AS	AS	Sept. 26	July 3	91-522	91-290	28495	26181	Oct. 3	Sept. 18	Nov. 19	91-121
To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 so as to extend authority to transfer peanut acreage allotments.	H.R. 14030	Sept. 25	Agr	Agr	Sept. 30	Nov. 6	91-542	91-525	30507	33565	Oct. 20	Nov. 10	Nov. 21	91-122
Authorizing funds for Appalachian regional development and other regional development programs.	S. 1072 (H.R. 4018)	Feb. 18	PW	PW	June 30	July 3	91-336	91-291	19607	18556	July 15	July 8	Nov. 25	91-123
To authorize the President to effect a change in the method of selection of inductees into the Armed Forces.	H.R. 14001	Sept. 25	AS	AS	Oct. 16	Nov. 14	91-577	91-531	32468	34836	Oct. 30	Nov. 19	Nov. 26	91-124
Authorizing funds for expenses of the National Council on Indian Opportunity.	S.J. Res. 121	June 12	IIA	IIA	Nov. 12	Sept. 2	91-632	91-389	34325	24090	Nov. 17	Sept. 3	Nov. 26	91-125
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.	H.R. 12307	June 19	App	App	June 19	Nov. 6	91-316	91-521	17090	33705	June 24	Nov. 11	Nov. 26	91-126
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.	H.R. 11612	May 23	App	App	May 23	June 25	91-265	91-277	14055	18489	May 27	July 7	Nov. 26	91-127

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To extend the interest equalization tax, and to repeal certain ammunition registration requirements.	H.R. 12829	July 15	WM	Fin	July 21	Sept. 24	91-383	91-428	22813	29484	Aug. 7	Oct. 9	Nov. 26	91-128
To establish a Commission on Government Procurement.....	H.R. 474 (S. 1707)	Jan. 3	GO	GO	Aug. 12	Sept. 24	91-468	91-427	26604	27279	Sept. 23	Sept. 26	Nov. 26	91-129
To amend the Second Liberty Bond Act to increase the maximum interest rate permitted on U.S. savings bonds.	H.R. 14020	Sept. 25	WM	Fin	Oct. 1	Nov. 25	91-545	91-560	31198	35909	Oct. 23	Nov. 26	Dec. 1	91-130
To authorize appropriations to carry out the Standard Reference Data Act.	H.R. 4284	Jan. 23	SA	Com	June 5	Nov. 18	91-284	91-536	19090	35068	July 10	Nov. 20	Dec. 1	91-131
To establish the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati.	H.R. 7066 (S. 560)	Feb. 18	IIA	IIA	Sept. 8	Sept. 10	91-478	91-396	25348	26892	Sept. 15	Sept. 24	Dec. 2	91-132
To develop the Eisenhower National Historic Site at Gettysburg.	S.J. Res. 26 (H.J. Res. 81)	Jan. 23	IIA	IIA	Sept. 8	Aug. 8	91-479	91-365	25351	23670	Sept. 15	Aug. 13	Dec. 2	91-133
To establish the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site in Gillespie County, Tex.	S. 2000	Apr. 29	IIA	IIA	Nov. 12	Aug. 8	91-636	91-364	34318	23669	Nov. 17	Aug. 13	Dec. 2	91-134
To prohibit the importation of endangered species of fish and wildlife into the United States.	H.R. 11363	May 15	MMF	Com	July 18	Nov. 6	91-382	91-526	20173	33569	July 21	Nov. 11	Dec. 5	91-135
To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with regard to taking of oath of allegiance.	H.R. 3666	Jan. 15	Jud	Jud	May 13	Nov. 18	91-215	91-534	15828	35067	June 16	Nov. 20	Dec. 5	91-136
To extend the authorization for research under the provisions of the Clean Air Act.	S. 2276 (H.R. 12085)	May 27	IFC	PW	July 7	July 2	91-349	91-286	24378	18540	Sept. 4	July 8	Dec. 5	91-137
Revising laws governing contested elections in the House of Representatives.	H.R. 14195	Oct. 3	HA	RAdm	Oct. 14	Nov. 19	91-569	91-546	30514	35071	Oct. 20	Nov. 20	Dec. 5	91-138
Providing electrical and mechanical equipment for use in offices of Members of the House and in House committees.	H.R. 13949	Sept. 23	HA	RAdm	Oct. 21	Nov. 19	91-582	91-545	33125	35070	Nov. 5	Nov. 20	Dec. 5	91-139
Permitting unmarried District of Columbia judges to terminate payments for survivors' annuity and to receive refund of such moneys.	S. 2056	May 5	DC	DC	Oct. 24	Aug. 13	91-597	91-387	35510	24088	Nov. 24	Sept. 3	Dec. 5	91-140
Making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1970..	H.J. Res. 1017	Dec. 1	.....	App	.....	Dec. 3	.....	91-562	36073	37033	Dec. 1	Dec. 4	Dec. 5	91-141
Fiscal 1970 authorizations for military construction.....	H.R. 13018	July 22	AS	AS	July 23	Nov. 10	91-386	91-527	22241	33716	Aug. 5	Nov. 11	Dec. 5	91-142
Authorizing funds for Federal contribution for a transit development program in the National Capital area.	S. 2185 (H.R. 11193)	May 16	DC	DC	Nov. 20	July 3	91-677	91-289	35526	18545	Nov. 24	July 8	Dec. 9	91-143
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for public works.....	H.R. 14159	Oct. 2	App	App	Oct. 2	Nov. 10	91-548	91-528	29221	33926	Oct. 8	Nov. 12	Dec. 11	91-144
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the legislative branch.....	H.R. 13763	Sept. 11	App	App	Sept. 11	Oct. 16	91-487	91-479	26391	30793	Sept. 19	Oct. 21	Dec. 12	91-145
Authorizing funds for acquisition of certain land at Fort Donelson National Battlefield, Tenn.	H.R. 13767	Sept. 11	IIA	IIA	Oct. 13	Dec. 5	91-561	91-570	30502	37565	Oct. 20	Dec. 8	Dec. 16	91-146
To extend duration of copyright protection in certain cases.....	S.J. Res. 143	Aug. 5	Jud	Jud	Nov. 18	Oct. 2	91-651	91-447	36065	28586	Dec. 1	Oct. 6	Dec. 16	91-147
Granting consent of the Congress to the Tahoe regional planning compact so as to encourage conservation in the Lake Tahoe area, California and Nevada.	S. 118	Jan. 15	Jud	Jud	Nov. 18	Nov. 4	91-650	91-510	36065	33068	Dec. 1	Nov. 5	Dec. 18	91-148
To declare that the United States holds in trust for the Southern Ute Tribe approximately 214 acres of land.	H.R. 12785	July 14	IIA	IIA	Nov. 12	Dec. 5	91-631	91-568	36060	37943	Dec. 1	Dec. 9	Dec. 22	91-149
Authorizing disposal of certain land in Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.	H.R. 9163	Mar. 18	IIA	IIA	Oct. 13	Dec. 5	91-562	91-572	30503	37566	Oct. 20	Dec. 8	Dec. 22	91-150
To provide additional mortgage credit.....	S. 2577 (H.R. 15091)	July 9	BC	BC	Dec. 15	Nov. 5	91-755	91-516	39700	34029	Dec. 17	Nov. 13	Dec. 23	91-151
Housing and Urban Development Amendments of 1969.....	S. 2864 (H.R. 13827)	Sept. 5	BC	BC	Sept. 30	Sept. 5	91-539	91-392	31241	26723	Oct. 23	Sept. 23	Dec. 24	91-152
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies.	H.R. 12964	July 21	App	App	July 21	Nov. 3	91-384	91-502	20644	33064	July 24	Nov. 5	Dec. 24	91-153

Eliminating requirements for disclosure of construction details on passenger vessels meeting prescribed safety standards.	H.R. 210	Jan. 3	MMF	Com	Sept. 24	Dec. 5	91-517	91-573	28654	37566	Oct. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 24	91-154
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the District of Columbia.....	H.R. 14916	Nov. 20	App	App	Nov. 20	Dec. 3	91-680	91-564	35538	38366	Nov. 24	Dec. 11	Dec. 24	91-155
To clarify the liability of national banks for certain taxes.....	H.R. 7491	Feb. 24	BC	BC	June 9	Nov. 12	91-290	91-530	19922	35404	July 17	Nov. 21	Dec. 24	91-156
To extend until July 6, 1972, the time for the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission to complete its affairs under the Cuban claims program.	H.R. 11711	May 27	FA	FR	Sept. 15	Dec. 12	91-488	91-606	28654	39137	Oct. 6	Dec. 15	Dec. 24	91-157
Granting consent of Congress to a 2-year renewal of the interstate oil compact.	S.J. Res. 54 (H.J.Res. 506)	Feb. 25	IFC	IIA	Dec. 9	May 23	91-713	91-199	39418	29672	Dec. 16	Oct. 13	Dec. 24	91-158
Granting the consent of Congress to the Connecticut-New York railroad passenger transportation compact.	S. 2734 (H.R. 14646)	July 30	Jud	Jud	Nov. 6	Nov. 18	91-608	91-533	39035	34841	Dec. 15	Nov. 19	Dec. 24	91-159
Authorizing $175,000 to defray expenses for holding a diplomatic conference in the United States in 1970 to negotiate a Patent Cooperation Treaty.	S.J. Res. 90	Apr. 3	FA	FR	Dec. 8	June 16	91-702	91-233	39049	16359	Dec. 15	June 18	Dec. 24	91-160
Setting penalties for unauthorized use of nuclear materials, and extending patent licensing authority of the AEC.	S. 3169 (H.R. 14925)	Nov. 21	AE	AE	Nov. 24	Nov. 24	91-691	91-553	39057	36142	Dec. 15	Dec. 1	Dec. 24	91-161
Waiving acreage limitations with respect to conveyance of lands to Nevada for inclusion in the Valley of Fire State Park.	S. 1108	Feb. 25	IIA	IIA	Dec. 10	Aug. 7	91-731	91-348	39005	23084	Dec. 15	Aug. 8	Dec. 24	91-162
Requesting the President to proclaim the second week of March as "Volunteers of America Week."	H.J. Res. 10	Jan. 3	.....	Jud	.....	Dec. 8	.....	91-579	34100	37809	Nov. 13	Dec. 9	Dec. 24	91-163
Removing ceiling on appropriations for the Administrative Conference.	H.R. 4244	Jan. 23	Jud	Jud	May 12	Dec. 10	91-214	91-596	32578	38623	Oct. 31	Dec. 12	Dec. 24	91-164
Authorizing Secretary of the Army to relinquish jurisdiction over certain lands at Underhill, Vt.	S. 59	Jan. 15	AS	AS	Dec. 11	July 24	91-745	91-335	39799	21085	Dec. 18	July 29	Dec. 26	91-165
Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1970.....	H.R. 15209	Dec. 11	App	App	Dec. 11	Dec. 17	91-747	91-616	38543	40039	Dec. 11	Dec. 18	Dec. 26	91-166
Increasing limitation on number of apprentices to be employees of the Government Printing Office.	H.R. 9366 (S. 1655)	Mar. 24	HA	RAdm	Dec. 10	May 1	91-733	91-135	39429	39941	Dec. 16	Dec. 18	Dec. 26	91-167
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Department of Transporta- and related agencies.	H.R. 14794	Nov. 13	App	App	Nov. 13	Dec. 16	91-642	91-611	34677	39626	Nov. 18	Dec. 17	Dec. 26	91-168
Limiting to 12 hours the maximum time that a railroad employee may be on duty.	H.R. 8449	Mar. 6	IFC	Com	Aug. 13	Dec. 11	91-469	91-604	29327	39137	Oct. 9	Dec. 15	Dec. 26	91-169
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for military construction.....	H.R. 14751	Nov. 12	App	App	Nov. 12	Dec. 3	91-635	91-563	34099	37586	Nov. 13	Dec. 8	Dec. 29	91-170
Fiscal 1970 appropriations for the Defense Establishment	H.R. 15090	Dec. 3	App	App	Dec. 3	Dec. 12	91-698	91-607	37703	39203	Dec. 8	Dec. 15	Dec. 29	91-171
Tax Reform Act of 1969.....	H.R. 13270	Aug. 1	WM	Fin	Aug. 2	Nov. 21	91-413	91-552	22809	38396	Aug. 7	Dec. 11	Dec. 30	91-172
Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.....	S. 2917 (H.R. 13950)	Sept. 17	Ed L	LPW	Oct. 13	Sept. 17	91-563	91-411	32061	28243	Oct. 29	Oct. 2	Dec. 30	91-173
Requesting the President to proclaim the month of January of each year as "National Blood Donor Month."	S.J. Res. 154	Sept. 22	.....	Jud	.....	Dec. 8	.....	91-578	38772	37809	Dec. 12	Dec. 9	Dec. 30	91-174
Fiscal 1970 authorizations for the foreign aid program.....	H.R. 14580	Oct. 29	FA	FR	Nov. 6	Dec. 10	91-611	91-603	35231	38731	Nov. 20	Dec. 12	Dec. 30	91-175
Authorizing funds for expenses of the President's Council on Youth Opportunity.	H.J. Res. 764	June 4	Ed L	GO	July 28	Dec. 18	91-396	91-621	22083	40363	Aug. 4	Dec. 20	Dec. 30	91-176
Authorizing funds to extend programs under the Economic Opportunity Act.	S. 3016 (H.R. 12321)	Oct. 10	Ed L	LPW	Nov. 22	Oct. 10	91-684	91-453	38877	29929	Dec. 12	Oct. 14	Dec. 30	91-177
Increasing Federal payments to States for the care of veterans in State homes.	H.R. 9334	Mar. 20	VA	LPW	May 27	Oct. 17	91-272	91-484	14416	30648	June 2	Oct. 21	Dec. 30	91-178
To adjust armed services retired pay and retainer pay to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index.	H.R. 14227	Oct. 7	AS	AS	Nov. 18	Dec. 19	91-653	91-623	35652	40606	Nov. 25	Dec. 22	Dec. 30	91-179
To continue for 2 additional years the duty-free status of certain gifts by members of the Armed Forces serving in combat zones.	H.R. 15071	Dec. 3	WM	.....	Dec. 8	.....	91-705	.....	40900	40718	Dec. 22	Dec. 22	Dec. 30	91-180
To establish the Interagency Committee on Mexican-American Affairs.	S. 740	Jan. 28	FA GO	GO	Dec. 4	Sept. 23	91-699	91-422	39401	27121	Dec. 16	Sept. 25	Dec. 30	91-181
Providing for the reconvening of second session of the 91st Congress at noon, Monday, January 19, 1970.	H.J. Res. 1041	Dec. 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40982	41147	Dec. 23	Dec. 23	Dec. 30	91-182
To increase authorized maximum per diem allowance in the armed services to meet actual travel expenses.	H.R. 944	Jan. 3	AS	AS	Nov. 21	Dec. 19	91-682	91-622	35651	40606	Nov. 25	Dec. 22	Dec. 30	91-183
Providing for continuation of authority to regulate exports....	H.R. 4293 (S. 2696)	Jan. 23	BC	BC	Sept. 29	July 24	91-524	91-336	30425	31019	Oct. 16	Oct. 22	Dec. 30	91-184
To amend the CIA Retirement Act for certain employees.....	H.R. 14571	Oct. 29	AS	AS	Nov. 18	Dec. 19	91-654	91-624	36066	40607	Dec. 1	Dec. 22	Dec. 30	91-185
Authorizing funds for expenses of the Office of Intergovernmental Relations.	S.J. Res. 117 (H.J. Res. 757)	June 2	GO	GO	Nov. 17	Sept. 24	91-648	91-430	39404	27468	Dec. 16	Sept. 29	Dec. 30	91-186
Authorizing Civil Service Commission to establish 222 additional supergrade positions.	S. 2325	June 5	POCS	POCS	Dec. 18	Nov. 26	91-768	91-561	40226	37316	Dec. 19	Dec. 5	Dec. 30	91-187
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To promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission.	H.R. 9233	Mar. 19	POCS	POCS	May 7	Dec. 8	91-188	91-581	12895	38341	May 19	Dec. 11	Dec. 30	91-189
To provide for studies and research in connection with national policy on environmental quality.	S. 1075 (H.R. 12549)	Feb. 18	MMF	IIA	July 11	July 9	91-378	91-296	26591	19008	Sept. 23	July 10	Jan. 1 1970	91-190

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